

BODY OF MAN UNIDENTIFIED

Snake River Discloses Tragedy: Attempts at Identification Prove Fruitless

No information has been obtained as to the identity of the man whose body was found snagged on a sand bar on the east side of the Snake river below the Nyssa bridge last Friday afternoon, according to reports from Canyon county sheriff's office late this Monday, afternoon. Attempts at identification were made before the body was buried Saturday morning, and again Saturday afternoon a party of Boise people visited the sheriff's office in an attempt to ascertain whether the corpse was that of a man who disappeared from Boise some time ago, but thus far identification has not been effected.

The body, badly decomposed, was that of an aged man. The tongue was protruding in such a manner that Coroner Paul Case and Sheriff O. G. Boyd stated death probably was due, either to strangulation or extreme thirst. The theory is favored that the man was strangled to death and then thrown into the river.

The description of the body as given by authorities is that of a man of about 65 years of age, large and tall, somewhat bald but with a little gray hair and a gray mustache, a short nose and rather large head. Color of the eyes could not be determined as the body had been in the water about three weeks, it was estimated, and decomposition was general.

When death came the man was wearing a dark suit. He wore medium weight underwear and, as he was wearing a coat, the theory is advanced that he met his death at night or in the cooler hours of the day. In one pocket was found an empty pocketbook a pipe and a can of wet tobacco, a knife, and two handkerchiefs. A spectacle case containing a pair of spectacles was found in an outside pocket of the coat. No papers to help in identification were found.

The body was buried in Canyon hill cemetery Saturday in an unmarked grave. No inquest was held.

HONORED AT DINNER

At their home in Salem, Sunday August 24th, Mrs. Gene Vaughn Beutler and Mrs. Clara Vaughn Thompson gave a wedding dinner complimenting Mrs. Beutler's brother-in-law, Ralph and his bride, who was formerly Miss Verna Thompson of Nyssa, Ore.

The house was beautiful in decoration of green garlands and late summer flowers. A miniature bride and groom under a white wedding bell gave the table an unusual center of interest. The favors at each cover proved to be an individual bag of rice and was showered at the bride and groom as a parting gift of good wishes.

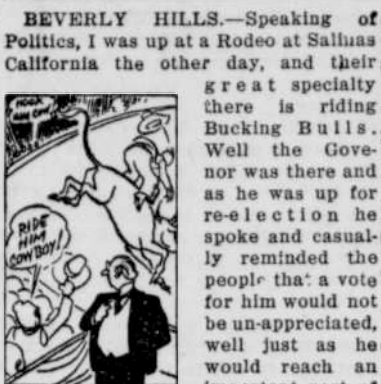
The two mothers, Mrs. Beutler and Mrs. Vaughn assisted with the serving.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beutler, of Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Abe Vaughn of Oregon City; Mr. Bob Thompson, of Nyssa; Mr. Herchal Thompson, of Nyssa; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Beutler, Mrs. A. S. Vaughn, Mrs. Beutler, Mrs. Clara Vaughn Thompson and little girl Neva Jean, of Salem.

NYSSA LIBRARY HOURS

Town patrons 2:30 to 5:30
Out of town patrons 2:30 to 7:30

SAYS WILL ROGERS



BEVERLY HILLS.—Speaking of Politics, I was up at a Rodeo at Salinas California the other day, and their great specialty there is riding Bucking Bulls. Well the Governor was there and as he was up for re-election he spoke and casually reminded the people that a vote for him would not be unappreciated, well just as he would reach an important part of his address why out would come a bucking bull and maby throw a Cow-puncher higher than a Republican Tariff bill, and the crowd would roar and applaud, the Governor would start again, "As I was saying, I have done more for Monterey County and—"

"Ba ba," "Ride him Cowboy" "hook him Cow!" "Monterey County has been my special pet in handing out appropriations", and "Here comes another one, watch that Baby buck! What a Bull! You are riding him pretty Boy!" "If I am re-elected, I will give"—

"Set in the middle of that Animal old hand!"

Well all this went on for quite a spell, and we never could find out what the Governor had done for old Monterey County. From the looks of the Bulls there didn't seem much that he could do for old Monterey County. What the County needed politically was noiseless bulls. Well they finally wanted me to go over and deliver a Theme song on the Merits of Herbert and Calvin, or "What the Republican Party has done to us." But not me, I wouldn't go over there and compete with those Bovines. "Bull" is all right but not when you are competing with the original. I could have told em in a minute what was the matter with Old Monterey County, Cal. old Rogers County, Okla., or Brown County, Indiana.

We are just stepping too fast. In the old days we figured the world owed us a living, now we figure he owes us an Automobile, a Player Piano, and Radio, Frigid Air, and Clara Bow.

But its all coming under the heading of higher Civilization. Till now its a case of what is Civilization. Was our old folks dumb and didn't know nothing? Say dont you kid yourself, those old Boys in their youth could take a big silver Dollar and go out and corral more "Hot times" than we ever thought of. There is many a Bar-more hid behind long whiskers. Say they did a lot of prowling in their time. A horse and Buggy could take you so far that it wasnt impossible to walk home, but it was inconvenient. Even back in my time, when I was going

good, I have come dragging in from a dance horseback, by daylight. We wasnt making payments on as many things. But we was making some mighty nifty "Whoopie." Your Mother gets mighty shocked at you Girls nowadays, but in her day her Mother was just on the verge of sending her to a reformatory, so we just got to live and let live and laugh the thing off. The Republicans got the Country and what can you expect?

Mr. Hoover wasn't able to look over the National Parks, so I am pinch-hitting for him. When you get into this wonderful Yosemite valley you haven't got any time to be reading the papers to see what foolishness Herbert, or Calvin, or Ford, or Lindbergh, is doing. Its all right to go to New York and see what Chrysler and Al Smith have built, but the old boy that laid out this place must have died and took the plans with him. There ought to be a law against anybody going to Europe till they had seen the things we have in this country. The fish all expressed their regrets that Mr. Hoover wasn't coming.

Coming through that Yosemite Park we passed those giant redwood trees. Fred Stone proposed that there is where these tree sitters ought to be located.

And say, you talk about a mountain just composed of one solid rock. Why, its right in there. Coolidge's 500 words of Republican history of America would get lost on this boulder. Why, this rock is big enough to reproduce a Hiram anti-treaty speech.

John W. Davis is in the park somewhere and the rangers are looking for him. They dont allow dogs or Democratic candidates in there.

If you want to read the most beautiful thing thats been written in years, its not a lie, its not an editorial, its a will. You wouldn't think that so much love for all mankind could be so practically expressed as it is in the will of ex-Senator Phelan of Frisco. Most of you will only read that he left Helen Wills \$20,000, but get a paper with a copy of the entire will, and you will say "why there is a man that wanted to do some good." For pure charity and tolerance toward all races and creeds its a masterpiece. It makes me feel ashamed that I ever knocked a Senator.

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Nyssa Boy Scouts Enjoy Outing

The Boy Scouts returned from their outing on Aug. 23. All had a fine time boat racing on Strawberry Lake. Duane Amens won the first race; Wesley Newton won in the second race.

They also enjoyed fishing and cliff climbing. The largest fish caught was 15 inches long. On Aug. 20th the Scouts were on a snow bank 100 feet deep. On Aug. 22nd the boys and scoutmaster went to the top of Look-out Mountain, which is 9640 feet high.

Each boy left Nyssa with 100 points for discipline and no points for efficiency. They returned with the following credits:

Name	Efficiency	Discipline
Rodney Vest	3	100
Duane Amens	7	100
Curtis Foster	5	99
Duane Miller	3	97
Robert Leuck	2	100
Byrd Walters	10	100
Ernest Peters	5	99
Arthur Cook	3	100
Wesley Newton	7	100
Howard Larsen	2	100
Gorden LeBrum	1	97

10 points is perfect for efficiency.

The boys were accompanied by R. R. Amens, Scout Master and W. W. Foster, Asst. Scout Master.

METHODIST CONFERENCE HELD SUNDAY

Appointments For Nyssa, Apple Valley and Ontario Made.

The Methodist Conference held at Weiser last week was well attended. Nyssa was well represented, sixty-nine from here attended the last day of conference on Sunday.

The following appointments were made in this vicinity, Rev. Josie J. Blokland, Nyssa; Rev. Maud Cone, Apple Valley; and Rev. A. E. Gresham, Ontario.

District Supt. Hamilton was appointed pastor of the Gooding, Idaho church, and will also be a Bible teacher in the Gooding College.

Rev. H. McAllister, of Gooding, will succeed Rev. Hamilton as District Superintendent of the Western District.

WILSON BROS. HOLDING ANNIVERSARY SALE

The Gate City Journal printed bills this week for the Big 19th Anniversary Sale, which Wilson Bros. are staging, commencing Aug. 28 and continuing until September 9.

They are offering many bargains in staple and seasonable merchandise and it will pay you to visit their store during this sale.

Will do home laundry, reasonable price. Will also do other housework by day or hour. Mrs. Baird, Nyssa.

Interest Shown In Nyssa-Winnemucca Rail Road

Larry Haynes, who recently returned from a vacation trip covering the eastern portion of Washington and northern Idaho, found considerable concern at Lewiston, his former home regarding the construction of the Nyssa-Winnemucca R. R.

Current opinion in those parts was that the projected Snake River from Lewiston to Homestead, denied by the I. C. C. has been abandoned, and that their future hope is centered on the Kerr plan of connecting the Milwaukee from the present branch line terminus at Elk River through Orofino, Stites and Whitebird to connect with the P. I. N. at New Meadows to Weiser thence to Nyssa by new construction or trackage rights over the O. S. L. and on to Winnemucca. The slogan used is "Spokane to Los Angeles." All of this and any hope for real relief must necessarily fail without the proposed new line to Winnemucca via Jordan Valley from Nyssa.

Great Northern invasion of California via Klamath Falls, threatens to take all California traffic from the Union Pacific, Northern Idaho and Eastern Washington since the so called "Hill Lines, G. N., N. P., and S. & E. I. have a compiler network of transportation lines now functioning throughout the vast and productive area north of Pendleton, as far west as Yakima and Wenatchee, and north to Nelson B. C. east to Butte, Great Falls, south to Lewiston and Grangeville, the tonnage there of being of almost uncalculable proportions. Costs of conducting the "Snake River Route" were quite large and largely borne by the Weyerhaeuser's local subsidiary, Clearwater Lumber Co., whose Lewiston plant, the largest and most up-to-date in the Northwest, now stands practically idle in mute testimony to the handicaps of transportation and distribution facilities.

That relief to this great Inland Empire will come in the near future seems inevitable; so keep your eye on Nyssa, the Gateway City to California and a new transportation and market era.

LAKEVIEW SEEKS CROSS STATE RAIL

Lakeview has fired its first guns in a campaign to force recognition in the railroad development in Central Oregon and to get for the Lake county seat a main line railroad in fulfillment of the promises made under the Strathorn program of interior railroad development and in accordance with the program of the Oregon public service commission of some years ago.

The Lakeview Chamber of Commerce is starting a move to get its demands before the interstate commerce commission prior to the hearing on that body's order to the Union Pacific to build a cross-state railroad. This hearing is to come up this fall. Lakeview wants the cross-state line built through Lakeview from Crane to Klamath Falls rather than on the survey as ordered by the interstate commerce commission. Additional tonnage and service to a great section of the state, unserved by railroads, are two of the biggest arguments of the Lakeview forces.

NOTICE

My son, H. C. Gorman, Jr., having left my home, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by him.

H. C. Gorman,
Nyssa, Oregon

BRIEF NEWS OF NYSSA

Russell Patton is visiting his friend David Austin, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Francis were callers in Nampa, Sunday morning.

Miss Naomi Evans spent Saturday and Sunday with the Henderson family at Owyhee Dam.

Mrs. Thos. B. Nordale is visiting with relatives and friends in Payette and Vale this week.

Miss Hazel Russell, of Vale, was a week-end guest at the home of Mabel V. Posey.

George Reberger was a Sunday dinner guest at the W. L. Posey home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Forbes departed for Portland, Oregon Tuesday, being called there, by the death of Mrs. Forbes' father.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sayles are the proud parents of a nine pound baby girl, born Tuesday, August 26.

Rev. and Mrs. N. E. Hershey, of Cove, Ore., visited at the Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Garrison home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron, and Mrs. F. Hall left Thursday morning for a few days visit at Hershall, Oregon.

Misses Mabel and Grace Posey attended a picnic of the Delta Epsilon Sorority held Thursday at the Lakeview Park in Nampa.

Mrs. J. W. Cooper of Middleton, Ida., and Mrs. G. Doolittle of Eagle, Ida., were week-end guests at the Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cooper home.

FOR SALE—Five new four room semi-modern homes. Small first payment. Terms less than rent. Inquire of L. B. Kelley, Nyssa, Oregon.

Doctor and Mrs. E. D. Norcutt, had as their guests last week, the latter's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Conover, and sister Mrs. Glenn Kenaston, of Waitsburg, Wash.

Miss Georgia Thompson of Baker, and two girl friends of Spokane, Wash., spent the week-end at the Mr. and Mrs. Jess Thompson home.

FARM FOR SALE—38 acres. 6 room house. Paid up water. Adjoins Nyssa. Cash or Terms. Trade for Southern California income property. J. T. Laughlin, Santa Barbara, Calif.

Special for Saturday and Monday. A nice line of new Fall Felt Hats. Cashion Brims off the Face Hat and the Beretta. Priced from \$1.50 to \$5.00 and \$6.00. All at Caldwell at Gilgan Sarchet's Millinery, below Saratoga Hotel. Call early. No trouble to show the goods.

Mrs. J. B. Smith and Mrs. F. C. Fry motored over to Montour Ida., on Saturday to bring Mrs. Lucille Johnson, who has been taking treatments at Royston Hot Springs to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allen, of Middleton, Idaho, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Thra-sher, who has been seriously ill. We are glad to say she is recovering.

Mrs. Earl Ward, Mrs. Lillian Newby, Mrs. John Ward, Mrs. Victor Marshall, and Harry Newby motored to Boise on Wednesday morning.

Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Fleming, of Ashton, Idaho, were in Nyssa on Sunday visiting old friends. They were guests at the Mr. and Mrs. Al. Thompson home.

On last Tuesday morning, while the mechanics at the Service Garage were using the welding outfit, one of the tanks exploded. Fortunately no one was injured and not much damage done.

Frank Lynch left for the Mesa orchards Sunday where he has employment.

FOR RENT:—Sleeping and housekeeping rooms. Inquire at Nordale Furniture Store.—adv.

Geo. Bertsch has been nursing a very sore hand the past week, caused by an infection.

Frank T. Morgan and son Ted left Wednesday on a business trip to Portland and Eugene.

Mrs. Wayne Marshall was taken suddenly ill on Tuesday and was taken to the Holy Rosary hospital in Ontario that evening.

Mrs. Bert Barker is in Jordan Valley this week, giving permanent waves.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Schweizer were callers in Boise Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Harris visited with the former's sister in Huntington on Sunday.

Vivian Higby visited her aunt in Nampa a few days the first of the week.

Mrs. C. L. McCoy and two children Gayle and Robert were Caldwell visitors on Wednesday.

Mrs. Max Landon and daughter Maxine of Lewiston Ida., is spending a few days at the E. M. Blodgett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Townes, motored to Boise Sunday and spent the day at the Mr. and Mrs. Share home.

Mrs. Tom Burton and baby of Kamela, Ore., spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Blodgett this week.

Mesdames R. J. Davis, Arthur B. Cockrum and Ella Hilton, were visiting relatives in Boise last Friday.

Miss Stella Winder of Vale, visited at the Mr. and Mrs. Glen Frizzell home a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinney, of San Francisco, Calif., returned to their home Wednesday, after spending several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Forbes.

For Sale Cheap if taken at once: A hardwood breakfast set, like new, table has one extension with drop sides, four chairs. Also a gasoline camp-cook. Inquire at Journal office.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Bertsch went to Boise Monday, to be present at a family gathering which was held on Tuesday in honor of his mother's eighty-first birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Lelia Thompson, and daughters, Miss Lucy and Mrs. Leigh, and son Charles departed for Pendleton on Tuesday, where they will spend some time with relatives, before going to their future home in Portland.

The Civic Club ladies have been invited to the home of Mrs. Clarence Barretts, to view her gardens. All members desiring to go should meet at the Methodist church Wednesday afternoon at 2:00, Sept. 3. All those having cars are asked to bring them. Mrs. Hunt and Mrs. Goshert are the assisting hostesses.

The St. Paul Guild and members of the Episcopal Sunday school, enjoyed a picnic in the Memorial park at Caldwell on Wednesday Aug. 27. About sixty-five were present. Swimming was the main amusement. There were plenty of good things to eat, with all the ice cream one wanted, furnished by the Sunday school.

MARSHALL RAY DIES FROM INJURIES

Auto Accident Last Monday Proves Fatal For Nyssa Young Man

Marshall Ray, a Nyssa young man, lost his life on Wednesday evening from injuries received in an auto accident last Monday forenoon, when the car which he was driving failed to make the curve about three miles from Nyssa, on the Adrian road.

Mr. Ray had been to Ontario on business in the morning, and while returning home from there picked up two men, who were on their way to the Owyhee project to try and secure employment. He offered to take them out to the dam site—to the two men state—and while making the curve the car skidded and rolled over three times, landing right side up.

The other two occupants were only slightly injured and received cuts from the broken glass of of the windshield.

Ray was unconscious and taken to the hospital at Ontario, where he remained in this condition until Wednesday evening at about 7:00 o'clock when he passed away.

County Statistics

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Norwood O. White to C. P. Hudson, Lots and 65, Home Park Fruit Tract. 9, 27, 26. \$600.00.

Oregon and Western Co. to Gilbert L. Dahle, W¹/₂NW¹/₄ Sec. 31-19-942. 7, 3, 30. \$483.60.

Jordan Valley Irrig. District to James R. Lynde, NW¹/₄SE¹/₄, SW¹/₄SE¹/₄, NE¹/₄SW¹/₄, & SE¹/₄SW¹/₄ Sec. 21-30-42. 5, 22, 30. \$550.00.

Hattie F. Noble to Gertrude F. Noble Lots 18-19-20. Blk. 74 Ontario. 8, 19, 16. \$50.00.

Thomas F. Newby et al to Lillian Newby, Lot 2 Blk. 2, Emison Add. Nyssa also NE¹/₄SW¹/₄NE¹/₄NE¹/₄, Sec. 31, N¹/₄SE¹/₄NE¹/₄NE¹/₄ Sec. 31 all in Twp. 199, R. 47, 7, 1, 29. \$100.

J. D. F. Airman to Selma Fairman, Lots 63 Harper Ranch Sub-division. 8, 18, 30. \$10.00.

T. J. Joseph to State of Oregon. Metes and bounds in the SE¹/₄SW¹/₄ Sec. 9-16-47. 8, 22, 30. \$150.00.

Wm. F. Vincent to State of Oregon. Metes and Bounds in SW¹/₄SW¹/₄ Sec. 23-16-47. 8, 22, 30.00 \$25.00.

Oregon & Western Co. to Randolph Foster, SE¹/₄SE¹/₄ Sec. 25-18-43. 6, 7, 30. \$380.00.

J. E. Sater to Louis H. Kroessin, Lots 16, 17, and N¹/₄ Lot 18, Blk. 36, Ontario, also Lots 34 and 35, Blk. 9, Riverside Add. Ontario. 7, 19, 30. \$10.

Louis H. Kroessin et ux to Thos. Jones Lots 6, 17, N¹/₄ Lot 18, Blk. 36, Ontario, also Lots 34 and 35, Blk. 9, Riverside Add. Ontario. 8, 13, 30. \$10.

Marriage Licenses Issued
George Leach Harris and Ruth A. Henderson. 8, 18, 30.

Hugh Sackett Skinner and Merle D. Boswell. 8, 20, 30.

Ward Snoderly and Oda Brown. 8, 20, 30.

Robt. E. Lee and Daisy Clemens. 8, 22, 30.

Complaints Filed in Circuit Court
Elizabeth B. Stacey vs. Harley O. Stacey. 8, 18, 30. Divorce.

Petitions Filed in Probate Court
Guardianship of Edward Hawthorne. 8, 20, 30.

Estate of Jay E. Provencher. 8, 20, 30.

M. E. CHURCH NOTES

Josie J. Blokland, Pastor
Phone 13

Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
J. J. Davis Supt.

Regular services Sunday.
Wednesday. Prayer meeting,
8 P. M.
Friday Choir Practice,