

I. O. N. HIGHWAY ADVOCATED BY MALHEUR CO.

County Court in Portland Today Commercial Club Held Meeting Monday Night

A special meeting of the Nyssa Commercial Club, last Monday night, brought a couple dozen members together, who were well repaid by hearing some splendid talks and facts of importance on roads and highways. Pres. E. M. Blodgett called the meeting to order and Sec'y. F. T. Morgan explained the reason for the call. The County Court is in Portland today attending a meeting of the State Highway Commission, in an endeavor to get the Commission to designate the proposed I. O. N. Highway as a state highway. By so designating the route from Nyssa south through Jordan Valley to the Nevada line, it is hoped that Federal money will build the highway with no cost to Oregon; and predicted that dirt will be turned next summer. Most of the route passes over Government land and as the Government is now spending \$20,000,000 near Nyssa on the largest dam and irrigation project, it is more than practical that they spend another million on a road over which to market the produce of 140,000 acres of new, fertile, irrigated tracts. At the meeting Dr. Baird, of Caldwell, made the principle address of the evening and the points he brought out favorable to the I. O. N. Highway were enlightening, instructive and interesting. President Blodgett was sent to Portland with the County Court members as a delegate from the Commercial Club.

It was also expressed, at the meeting, that the road from Nyssa to Caldwell was pretty sure to be designated as Highway No. 30.

You'll be satisfied when you come here for your Christmas goods. Wilson Brothers.

Should a vacancy occur, Frank T. Morgan is Nyssa's choice for eastern Oregon's representative of the state highway commission. The Nyssa commercial club sent a resolution to this effect to Governor-elect Meier. Mr. Morgan's Vale friends are legion and it is expected that the Vale club will also give Mr. Morgan its moral backing.—Malheur Enterprise.

WIFE, GAS, SCARE MAN IN DEAD OF NIGHT

"Overcome by stomach gas in the dead of night, I scared my husband badly. He got Adlerika and it ended the gas."—Mrs. M. Owen.

Adlerika relieves stomach gas in TEN minutes! Acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel, removing old poisonous waste you never knew was there. Don't fool with medicine which cleans only PART of bowels, but let Adlerika give stomach and bowels a REAL cleaning and get rid of all gas!

NYSSA PHARMACY

Hang up the editor's stocking
Be sure you don't forget;
For the poor old worried—
Needs everything he can get.

Mrs. L. M. Rouse, of Brogan, visited a week with Mrs. B. D. Carver.

Mrs. Seberne, Mrs. L. M. Rouse and Mrs. B. D. Carver were in Boise Wednesday.

UNCLE SAM IS SANTA CLAUS TO NYSSA

There is no "depression" at Nyssa, or this big section of Malheur county. Sure, we hear some occasionally cry "hard times," through habit, but the howlers should acquaint themselves with conditions in other parts of the country—then be thankful for our prosperity.

Our farms are indeed productive. Plenty to eat and to spare. Fat cattle, hogs, poultry; wool to cloth a state, feed for stock and man; corn a plenty, vegetables, fruits and grain for multitudes.

Christmas shoppers crowd our stores, nearly every family owns a car.

Uncle Sam is spending over \$18,000,000.00 to put water on 140,000 more fertile acres surrounding Nyssa. A \$10,000,000 appropriation is expected this session of Congress to complete the big project. 600 men are now working, the big dam is 40 percent completed and the work progressing rapidly. Uncle Sam has been a Santa Claus to Malheur county and 1930 has been a good year to "we favored people."

This is the Store that Santa Selects for sane and safe Christmas shopping. Wilson Brothers.

People with comfortable beds and a warm room, these chilly nights, don't realize the displeasure of searching for a hard place to rest, without a cent in your pocket. Many thousands are searching every night. Nyssa has a few, the unemployed drawn here by the government work. And for one act we can thank Mike Dragich, who operates the Electric Cafe. The "Electric" stays open all night. Late, when business slacks, the chairs in the billiard room are generally occupied by a few broke sleepers. One morning seventeen were counted, all strangers, who got a few ours sleep in the chairs, by the stove.

We like to walk around and see the sights, and the pretty arrangement and large variety of Christmas gifts at Wilson Bros. store.

The Christmas Grouch

Along about this time year the Christmas grouch begins to breathe feebly, but he dies hard.

There is scarcely a family which hasn't a Christmas grouch—someone who thinks gifts are foolish and that money spent in making others happy at this season is wasted.

It pains him sorely to see money wasted. It grieves to see the Christmas trees cut down; he thinks it is a sin to tell the children the legend about Santa Claus; he scolds about shopping; he is sorry for the postman who has to carry so many large bundles; he bemoans the fate of those who indulge in Christmas buying because they will all be in debt and start the new year wrong; he believes the sentiment that formerly attached to Christmas has all gone because it has been commercialized; he thinks Christmas trees are a menace to life because he once knew of a house that was set on fire by one; he declares it is a sin to spend money for flowers at Christmas.

The Christmas reformer has hundreds of ideas about how Christmas could be improved. He opines that the Christmas holidays mean nothing to him and that he will be glad when they have passed.

But Christmas remains Christmas just the same, for all the grouch's protests, and will be the same forever. The grouch casts a gloom over the household for a time, but even he can't resist the appeal of the happy Christmas season. Sooner or later he will be ashamed of himself and join in the merriment.—Cambridge News Reporter

NEW INDUSTRIES, NEW PEOPLE FOR OREGON

An optimistic view of Oregon development and prosperity is contained in the monthly report of the State Chamber of Commerce for November which shows the arrival of 140 new families who bought 5338 acres of land in various counties and whose investments in all forms of property was \$480,700. Two large land transactions featured the months report, one 197 acre tract at Scio bringing \$31,500; another 103 acre place at Ashland for \$35,000, both purchased by out-of-state parties. Three new saw-mills and payrolls were announced during the month for Lakeview. The Hood River Valley is harvesting 4000 car loads of apples and the Rogue River Valley has already shipped about 4900 cars of pears and apples to market. New creameries and cheese factories in different parts of the state started operation during the month.

One can get all the Christmas thrill desired by visiting the C. C. Anderson store. Decorations are beautiful.

Caldwell's store is a good place to stop when Christmas gifts of wearing apparel are desired. They have a good stock to choose from.

Eder Hardware has spared no pains or expense in stocking up with real substantial gifts, as well as toys, for this year's selection.

CHRISTMAS FUNDS

That quaint American custom which has grown up rapidly in late years of building up all thru the year funds to be used in making Christmas merry resulted in an accumulation of \$667,000,000 for the holiday season. Thus this system of cooperation between the banks and fathers, husbands and others for the purpose of spreading cheer and happiness among their loved ones, and throughout the community, produced a record Christmas fund in spite of all the depression and hard times. The average deposit this year was a little less than last, \$54.60 as compared with 59.50, but the volume was greater. The spending of the money and the resultant pleasure to the thrifty and fortunate families cannot fail to make a bright spot in a rather drab year. Its use was expected to furnish much extra employment, of a temporary nature. Merchants were prompt to announce that great bargaining awaited the Christmas buyers, better than in years. A \$10 bill will do as much as \$11 or \$12 a year ago.—The Pathfinder.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF MALHEUR In The Matter Of The Estate OF Dewey Albert Turner; Deceased NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned, having been appointed by the County Court of Malheur County, administrator of the estate of Dewey Albert Turner, deceased, and having qualified, notice is hereby given to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to present them, duly verified as required by law, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to said administrator at the office of E. M. Blodgett, in Nyssa, Oregon, said place being hereby designated as the place where said administrator will receive such claims.

Rachael E. Lynch,
Administrator of the Estate of Dewey Albert Turner, Deceased.
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A Letter To Santa

Dear Santa Claus:

When I was a boy I used to write you a letter every Christmas telling you all the things I wanted, and as a rule, you brought them. When I didn't get all I asked for, I just thought you didn't have enough to go round, and knew that you did the best you could.

Much water has passed under the bridge since I wrote you last, but even though you have not heard from me in years, I have not lost faith in you, Old Santa. Even though you are not a physical old man who slips down the chimney on Christmas Eve, I believe in you. I have come to love that jolly red face of yours. I am thrilled when ever I see it.

A lot of folks may laugh and scoff and say there is no Santa Claus, but that does not shake my faith in you. Of course, you are not a real human being, for humans die in a short span of years and are forgotten. But you Old Santa, have been living for centuries bringing joy and happiness to young and old. Your dear face has become a symbol of unselfish love and devotion.

No, you're not a real human being; you're more than that you're a spirit. And, to the end of the world, your name and that jolly, old face shall brighten the corridors of time, filling the hearts of the world with love, happiness, peace and sweet content.

So, Santa this is a different letter from others I have written. I am not asking you to bring me anything—except the joy and happiness you always bring. This is a little note just to let you know I still believe in you; and when I get to be an old man, and my hair is as white as yours, I will cling to you and all that you stand for even more devoutly than I do now. And no innocent youngster can ever be more thrilled by that chubby, red face of yours, than I.

From your grown-up boy,
JOE

For a real cityfied, modern and elegant Christmas display, you won't find any store, anyplace, showing a prettier or more artistic arrangement than the Nyssa Pharmacy.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON—FOR THE COUNTY OF MALHEUR In the matter of the Estate of Anton Stanek, Deceased Notice to Creditors

The undersigned, having been appointed by the County Court of Malheur County, Oregon, administrator of the estate of Anton Stanek, deceased, and having qualified, notice is hereby given to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to present them, duly verified as required by law, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to said administrator at the office of E. M. Blodgett, in Nyssa, Oregon, said place being hereby designated as the place where said administrator will receive such claims.

WM. PEUTZ,
Administrator of the Estate of Anton Stanek, Deceased.
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Kingman Kolony P.T.A. Activities

The Kolony unit was hostess, on Dec. 5, to the Big Bend, Oregon Trail and Owyhee Associations at the home of Mrs. Daniel Holly. Mesdames John Holly, Wm. Ashcraft, Wilbur Roberts and Maurice Judd were assistant hostesses. A group of over forty members enjoyed the reports of the delegates to the LaGrande conference. These delegates were Mrs. Shrake of Big Bend, Mrs. Patterson of Oregon Trail, Rev. Hagler of Ontario, Mrs. A. E. Rust of Owyhee and Mrs. R. R. Overstreet of Kingman Kolony. Mrs. Higgins, County President, was another guest speaker.

A business meeting was held at the home of Mrs. R. R. Overstreet Saturday, to make final arrangements for the bazaar, the Christmas festivities and the hot lunches which are now being served at the school. The bazaar will be held Friday evening, Dec. 12 at the school house. Orchestra music and a one act play will be features of the evening. Several out of the community speakers, including Mr. Larson and Mr. Hagglund of Ontario and Mr. Otto Fowler of Caldwell, will be present to talk about beans and peas as prospective crops. There will be no admission charge.

Mesdames J. P. Dunaway, R. J. Davis, C. C. Hunt and Miss Blokland were guests, last Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. Corrine Ward near Parma, Ida.

The Amazing Age

If "law" did what it is supposed to do, the United States would be the most moral and "crimeless" country in world. No other nation has ever had such a volume of legislation.

Yet the newspapers sag with accounts of the doings of celebrated gangsters and "racketeers." Law enforcement officers search frantically for ways to press charges against them, but to no avail. An arrest is the signal for swift activity on the part of lawyers to show that supposed law-breaking is "within" the law.

The irony of such a situation is inescapable. We have thousands upon thousands of criminal laws and there is talk of asking the federal government to take a hand in subduing the criminal element in one of our gang-ridden cities! As a "crime remedy" it is often proposed to make it a crime for a perfectly honest citizen to own a revolver or pistol while it is a rare week in which gangsters fail to "bump" someone off with machine guns.

And still we talk of passing more laws. Why not reverse the process and enforce some existing laws? We do live in an amazing age!

Radiola—Wilson Bros.

Dick Howard and Miss Freda Wallbrecht, of Vale, were Nyssa Sunday visitors.

Basketball

Season Opens

The Basketball season is officially opened Friday night when the Nyssa High School boys and girls teams mix it with Huntington High School on the local court. There games will start at 7 o'clock so as to be finished before the dance. The Nyssa teams are made up of inexperienced material which is being rounded into shape as rapidly as possible by the coaches Miss Myers and Mr. Young. The players out for the teams Show plenty of life and speed and should turn in some fine basketball before the end of the season.

Next Tuesday Parma boys, first and second teams, will play in the local gym. This game should be fast and full of fight.

This Friday, Dec. 12 Huntington plays here and Dec. 16 Tuesday Parma plays here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Allen and Mr. Ivan Bernard, of Nampa, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Parkinson, Sunday.

Judge-elect Graham and ex-Judge George W. McKnight were in Nyssa last Thursday and made the Journal office a pleasant call.

Editor Bone, of the Malheur Enterprise, was a caller, Monday.

Grandville Stacey and family were Vale visitors Sunday.

IT'S CHRISTMAS TIME AT C. C. ANDERSON CO.

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Mens dress shirts sizes 14 1-2 to 17, 75c
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Use our lay-away plan, buy mother a winter coat
Don't fail to see our stock of Dresses at 4.98 & 9.98
We have a Large stock of House Slippers for the whole family priced from - - 49c to 1.39

Don't Forget that Santa will be here Saturday the 13th from 1:30 to 2 o'clock. He will give away large candy canes to the kiddies

See our large and complete line of Toys and let us help you with your toy problems

Do Your Christmas Shopping early **C. C. ANDERSON CO.** Phone 90
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