

DON GRAHAM WINS STATE OFFICE AT EAGLES ASSEMBLY

NYSSA EAGLE IS ELECTED TREASURER; HARRY HOWELL, WELL KNOWN HERE, IS VICE-PRESIDENT AND DELEGATE.

Don M. Graham, charter member and secretary of Nyssa Aerie 2134 of the Eagles lodge organized less than a year ago, was elected to a state office when he was elected treasurer at the state convention in Burns last week. Mr. Graham was among the delegation of Nyssa Eagles who returned from Burns on Sunday.

Harry Howell, of Burns, brother of Archie Howell of Nyssa, was elected vice-president of the state order and was also named delegate to the national convention at Cleveland, O., August 14, with Lyle Connor of Pendleton. Mr. Howell is well known here. D. D. Hall of Portland was re-elected president, Ben Boniface, Eugene, chaplain; A. J. Perkins, Salem, worthy conductor; J. B. Voorhes, Portland, secretary; J. Dillon, Cottage Grove, trustee; Joe Quick, Pendleton, inside guard; Ches Carter, Burns, outside guard. Marshfield was chosen for the 1934 convention.

Discuss Old Age Pension
The convention went on record to favor legislation cutting the age in the old-age pension law from 70 years to 65 years. Another resolution urged betterment of the workmen's compensation law in Oregon.

The Portland men's drill team, in natty uniforms of blue and white, made an impressive picture in drill competition Friday night and was awarded first place for the third year. La Grande took first, Klamath Falls, second, in mixed team competition. The Pendleton auxiliary won the ladies' cup.

Nyssa Aerie was voted the outstanding lodge in the state because of its membership of 156, purchase and improvement of a hall and varied community program. Having lost its "goat" to another lodge, Klamath Falls made a plea for the Eagle from Mitchell butte, which Don Graham took to the convention. The request was granted and now the Nyssa Eagle has a home in the Eagles' lodge park at Klamath. Graham was chairman of the resolutions committee and served on the committee on committees. Warren McHargue served on the credentials committee, Claude Wilson on old age pension, Archie Howell on welfare. Other delegates attending from here were Bernard Frost, Hugh Glasgow and Ira Storey.

JOLLY JAMES MEET

Misses Betty Tensen, Margaret Ann Morgan and Margaret Pinkerton entertained the Jolly James bridge club at the Tensen home on Monday evening. Miss Mae Keizer won first prize, Claudene Crawford, second. Miss Alice Book of Boise and Mrs. George Stacey were guests.

Mrs. Mae Fleming, mother of Mrs. J. G. Gray, and her daughter Doris are moving to Payette where the latter will enroll in the beauty school. They have lived with Gray family at the Eastern Oregon Land company ranch for several months.

Nyssa Commercial Club Urges I-O-N, Shortest Market Route to California

Several telegrams, urgently requesting the designation of the I-O-N highway from Nyssa to McDermitt, left Nyssa Saturday for Portland after business men of this city gave the road their unanimous endorsement at a well attended meeting of the Nyssa Commercial club the previous night.

While Nyssa people worked diligently in behalf of the road which opens a direct outlet to California, 200 miles shorter than the Yellowstone Cut-off around by Burns, the road committee of the Ontario Commercial club, which has long opposed the I-O-N, was busy lining up opposition. The Vale Commercial club was requested to join but declined in view of the fact that Malheur county has secured her end of Central Oregon highway. The Ontario club sent a delegate to Portland for the purpose of opposing the I-O-N and securing whatever funds might be available under the public works bill for additional improvement of the Yellowstone Cut-off.

"We understand that \$400,000 allocated to Oregon for roads over public domain will be used on the Central Oregon highway," said V. B. Staples, president of the Ontario club. "But it will take about \$1,000,000 to complete this highway so we should get busy with Harney county and urge upon the commission the prompt completion of this highway."

RELIEF CREW GRUBS BRUSH FROM NEW ROADS ON OWYHEE

Sage covered lands of the Owyhee project, desert for a million years, are witnessing the first changes which will result in complete transformation a few years hence. On the heels of construction is following the first improvement, the building of roads. With funds derived from the county's quota of unemployment relief money about 12 miles of road right-of-way has been cleared of brush. The work provided useful hand labor and has been in progress the past 60 days.

J. Edwin Johnson, county engineer mapped out the new roadway which follows section lines. Driving from the Owyhee school northward they can be found every other mile. As rapidly as funds become available, the work will continue.

Mr. Johnson looked over the new road work Friday.

HEART ATTACK CLAIMS MATRON

MRS. ORA BLACK SUCCEEDS TO
SUDDEN HEART ATTACK MON-
DAY; BURIAL AT PARMA.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon from the Parma Nazarene Church for Mrs. Ora Black, aged 65, of Big Bend who died suddenly of a heart attack Monday. Interment was in the Parma cemetery. Surviving are her husband, a daughter Mrs. C. Linsford who came from Pendleton for the services and a son Thomas G. Stephens of Winifred, Montana.

Early this spring Mr. and Mrs. Black moved from Nyssa to the Ashcraft farm in Big Bend. Last season they farmed the Albert Hirsch ranch here. Before coming to Nyssa about 18 months ago, they lived on the Oregon coast.

Mr. Black has the sympathy of Nyssa friends.

SOCIAL NOTES

SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY
Last Thursday afternoon Mrs. Geo. McKee and Mrs. J. B. Smith gave a lawn party for twenty children of the primary department of Oregon Trail Sunday School at the McKee country home. Mary Lou Thomason, Junior Holmes, Frank Wilson and J. P. Franklin won prizes in jolly contest games. Lunch was served at the close.

BRIDGE LUNCHEON
Miss Eva Boydell gave a bridge luncheon Thursday with coupons for sixteen guests. A two-course luncheon was served. Prize winners at bridge were Mrs. A. H. Boydell, first; Mrs. C. L. McCoy, second; and Mrs. Sidney Burdige, low. Mrs. Fred LeClare, sister of Mrs. Wm. Schreiner who is here from Lewiston, Ida., was the only out-of-town guest.

GUILD DANCE
St. Paul's Guild gave a dance Friday evening for young people at the Parish hall. On the committee were Mrs. A. H. Boydell and daughter Ethel Mary, Margaret Pinkerton, Harriet Sarazin, Lillian Austin and Mrs. Dick Tensen. Only a small crowd attended but a pleasant time is reported. Refreshments were served at the close.

"The connection with Nevada will eventually be made but, when made, it will fit into the Oregon highway system and be built primarily for Oregon. (Presumably, the Crane-Burns route which in no way serves the producer of Malheur county, the forgotten man)."

"With Idaho allotted \$4,500,000 in the above measure it is seemingly bad taste, if not somewhat brazen, to ask Oregon at an expense of \$1,000,000 (the same amount sought for another little stretch of the Yellowstone Cut-off) for construction of a highway which it is admitted "is of no benefit to Oregon," stated Mr. Staples. (How many Malheur county producers and prospective settlers on the Vale and Owyhee will agree to this? Who wants to see money spent in distant Harney or Lake county when the same federal funds will build a shorter producer route right at our back door, one that actually runs through the Owyhee project?)

A number of prominent business men of Ontario have expressed their favor of the I-O-N highway in spite of the continued opposition of one group.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hunter had as guests Monday Mr. and Mrs. Prozie and daughter Dr. Thelma Prozie of Ashland, who were bound for the world's fair in Chicago. Dr. Thelma Prozie will remain in Chicago for a year's interne work in a hospital.

RURAL SCHOOLS ELECT COUNTY BOARD OF FIVE

MAURICE JUDD REPRESENTS NYSSA ZONE; FIRST MEETING AT VALE NEXT WEDNESDAY, JULY 5th.

After canvassing the vote in the five zones of the newly organized non-high school district of Malheur county, Mrs. Kathryn Claypool, county superintendent of schools, announced Tuesday that the following board of directors had been elected: Maurice Judd, Nyssa, 5-year term; Samuel L. Smith, Vale, 4-year term; J. C. Medlin, Harper, 3-year term; C. E. Lanning, Arock, 2-year term; J. D. Fairman, Ontario, 1-year term.

Inasmuch as the election put into operation a new Oregon law this year, five members of the board were elected. Their term of office was decided by drawing lots with the result that only one member of the board will be elected each year hereafter. The board will be vested with authority to administer the affairs of the non-high school district with respect to high school tuition and transportation of pupils. The new law was designed to give residents of non-high school territory who foot the bills for tuition and transportation a more direct voice in these affairs.

Other candidates in the various zones were P. M. Boals, A. S. King, E. J. Stream, Ontario zone; Ed. Oakes, Mrs. Leah Fairman, C. H. Oxman, Harper zone; W. S. Bruce, Arock.

Mrs. Claypool also announced Tuesday that the board will hold its first meeting in her office in the courthouse on Wednesday July 5.

BIG BEND PLANS FOR GALA FOURTH

Big Bend—The Big Bend Park committee has planned a gala old-time celebration at the park for July 4th. First in interest on the program is an address by Governor C. Ben Ross of Idaho, who will bring a party of friends to Big Bend for the 4th as is his custom. They will be guests of the park committee which includes Plin Case, Joe Harris, Bert Roberts and Walter Looney, directors, and Nick Phelan, secretary.

Ross Orchestra will play for dancing afternoon and evening. A ball game is being lined up between leading teams of this section. In addition there will be sports. Visitors are invited to bring their own lunch baskets or to dine at the stands on the grounds.

Mrs. E. B. Butler accompanied her husband to his sheep camp in Long Valley where she is enjoying an extended outing. Ed. Butler has been home this week.

Miss Charlotte Brown of Payette spent the week end with her aunt Mrs. Bernard Frost. Sunday Mrs. Frost's nephew Keith Brown came from Pocatello to spend several days.

Fraud Charge Blocks Vote On Power Measure

County Clerk Roy Daley received a message from Salem yesterday, instructing him to omit from the ballot at the special election July 21 the referendum measure attacking the grange power law enacted by the 1933 legislature.

This action was taken following the issuance of a temporary injunction by Judge Lewelling of Marion county, restraining the secretary of state from certifying the referendum measure to the county clerks. The complaint alleged that some signatures to the referendum petitions were obtained through fraud. The judge granted 60 days in which to file a bill of particulars which means that the measure cannot go on the July ballot.

The law under referendum attack provides for the creation of a state power commission and authorizes the state to engage in the power business.

BAKER NINE IS COMING SUNDAY

ROBERTSON LOOKS FOR VICTORY
SUNDAY AS NEW PLAYERS JOIN
GATE CITY TEAM.

With a view to trouncing Baker Sunday, if Lady Luck so rules, Manager Artie Robertson has planned to strengthen the local line-up by adding some new material and changing a few positions. For the first time this season, Charlie Newbill will play with the home team, probably in the field.

Caldwell defeated Nyssa a week ago, 8 to 3, to remain at the top of the league with Ontario. Caldwell's snappy fielding accounted for a double play which ended Nyssa's big chance to even up the score. Boeshardt clouted a home run for Nyssa. Simmons a homer for Caldwell. Burton struck out 4 men, allowed 9 hits and 2 bases on balls. Lyke struck out 1 man, allowed 2 bases on balls and 7 hits. Bybee caught for Nyssa.

Box score —	AB	H	R	E
Long, rf	3	0	0	0
M. Schweizer, ss	4	0	0	0
Rambaud, lf	4	1	0	0
Geo. Johnston, 3b	4	1	1	2
Boeshardt, cf	3	1	1	0
B. Schweizer, 2b	3	0	0	2
Bybee, c	4	1	0	1
Serviss, 1b	2	1	1	1
Burton, p	3	2	0	0

ONTARIO 3, BOISE 1
Ontario defeated Boise 3 to 1 in a close game at Ontario Sunday. A number of fans attended from Nyssa. Baker kept Nampa in the cellar by trouncing the Expressmen 6 to 2.

TROOP TRAIN GOES THRU
An empty train, about a mile long, went through Nyssa yesterday on return to Pennsylvania. The train brought young men from the east to work in Oregon forests.

THAT'S THAT



TERTELING ENTERS LOW BID ON NEW DITCH ON OWYHEE

SEVEN CONTRACTORS BID MON-
DAY ON MAIN CANAL LINK BE-
TWEEN MITCHELL BUTTE AND
OWYHEE RIVER.

J. A. Terteling company of Boise, which recently completed the first stretch of main canal on the Owyhee project, was low bidder on the 4.8 miles of canal between Owyhee river and Mitchell butte. Terteling's bid of \$118,404.50 was the lowest of seven submitted to Engineer F. A. Banks Monday morning.

Other bids follow: Morrison-Knudsen Company, Boise, \$112,675; Barnard-Curtis Company, Minneapolis, \$168,349, highest bid entered. Guthrie and McDougal of Portland, Fred Slate of Portland, General Construction Company of Seattle and Winston Brothers of Minneapolis submitted offers.

Mr. Banks reported an appreciable difference between the bids submitted this summer and those on similar work a year ago. The net saving is estimated at around \$3000.

It is expected that Terteling will be awarded the contract as soon as the necessary details can be taken care of. Just when the work will start is unknown as Terteling has a road contract at Idaho City, where he recently transferred his Nyssa crew. Shovels and equipment are on the project as they were held over pending the opening of the bids on Monday.

Members of the Owyhee board, S. D. Goshert, Dr. J. J. Sarazin, C. C. Hunt and Frank Morgan were present at the opening of the bids.

VALE FESTIVAL WILL HAVE BIG BULL FIGHT

Will Vale really have a bull fight on July 4th?

Al Quast says yes. "There are plenty of bulls," said Quast. "Why, one farmer even volunteered to have a bull that he'd be glad to have it killed. We told him to bring it in. A matador has been engaged who has had considerable bull fighting experience. He's broke and we don't have to pay him much."

But Attorney Bob Lytle says the bull fight won't be the whole show. "We're going to have a free barbeque at noon, lots of music by our city band, rodeo, a baseball game between Nyssa and Ontario, dancing and '49 games. The visitor at Vale will get a big 50 cents worth," said he.

Frank Halverson, of the parade committee, asks Nyssa people to enter that event which is part of the morning program. Cash prizes will be given for floats, decorated bicycles, teams and saddle horses.

Mrs. Eddie Powell spent the week end with her mother Mrs. Mary Morris at Weiser.

TWO VALUED DOGS LEAVE HOME FOR WEEK'S VACATION

Wiser and much thinner, two valued hunting dogs called Mickey and Tex, owned by Supt. Leo Holtenberg and A. H. Boydell, were found near the "Y", by Charles M. Paradis Monday when he was bound for Vale. They left a week ago Saturday but were still hunting. In fact they had hunted so steadily their feet were worn and their tails were in shreds from running through the brush.

The dogs are brothers. Long ago their owners learned that they were real buddies and if permitted to roam at the same time were apt to head for the open spaces and not return. It is possible that someone picked the dogs up near town and they escaped at the "Y".

Their owners welcomed them home like prodigal sons as they have been trained for the pheasant season which is just around the corner.

LOCAL GOLFERS WIN TOURNAMENT

NATE YOUNG SCORES LOW WHILE
TENSEN HAS DAY OFF; HUNT
KEEPS PACE LIKE VETERAN.

With the low score of 1768 for 36 holes, the ten-man team of Parma-Nyssa Golf club clinched the trophy at the annual tournament of the Weiser Milling Company on the Weiser course Sunday. The Payette team, which played nip and tuck with Parma-Nyssa throughout the day, placed second. Teams entered were Vale, Ontario, Emmett, Payette and Parma-Nyssa.

Nate Young of Nyssa and Pat Murphy of Payette tied for low score of the meet with 157 for the complete four rounds. Other local scores were Billie Young 164, Dr. E. D. Norcott 170, Charles Boehringer 172, Fred Johnston 174, C. C. Hunt 179, Fred Garrett 184, Aden Wilson 187, Lee Fisk 187, Klaas Tensen 194.

Someone had to have "his day off," so Klaas Tensen took it Sunday. His friends say it might have been a Payette golfer who made away with his driver and mashie when his car was parked on a city street recently. At any rate, Klaas played with borrowed clubs Sunday.

Fans from here report a fine tournament on "one of the best courses in the valley." It proved a bit strenuous for some but C. C. Hunt, Nyssa "veteran," was still going good at the 36th hole.

RAFFERTY WINS AGAIN

In the best fight at the Caldwell bout last night, Pat Rafferty of Wilder won a decision from Al Dixon of Boise. Fans attending from here were Dwight and Dean Smith, Artie Robertson, Wayne French, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Frizzell, Mrs. Bernard Frost, Mr. and Mrs. Art Serviss, Blaney Boydell, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burck, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Day, Mrs. Thelma Barker and Art Norcott.

Nyssa friends will be interested to know that Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Eder and son Harry of New Plymouth, formerly of Nyssa, left last week for Wisconsin where they will visit Mr. Eder's mother who is 93 years old. They also plan to attend the world's fair in Chicago.

Now is Time to Build Sewage System, Health Board and R. F. C. Tell Nyssa

"The Oregon board of health considers the proposal of a sewage system and disposal plant in Nyssa of such public interest that immediate measures should be taken to construct this plant."

"The federal government is making available sums of money which will be loaned for just this purpose at 30 per cent free grant and 70 per cent loan. This 70 per cent loan, from indications which we have had from Washington, would require only an interest rate of 3 1-2 per cent and a 2 1-2 per cent retirement charge. Thus your city would be able to build this plant and pay for it at the rate of approximately 4.2 PER CENT PER YEAR, which sum would include interest and amortization."

The foregoing letter of much importance to citizens of Nyssa came from Burton E. Palmer, executive secretary of the Reconstruction Advisory Board,

POLICE ARREST TRANSIENT HERE FOR COUNTERFEIT

IDAHO LAW GETS BUSINESS
AFTER PHONY DOLLAR IS LEFT
AT EAGLE DRUGSTORE; ARTIST
CALLS ON DR. NORCOTT.

H. E. Bowles, dapper visitor from Boise, spent a month's vacation here. He arrived June 3, and now is back in jail to face a counterfeit charge.

He was arrested by Boise officers Monday after they had been summoned by Orville Jackson, Eagle druggist, who had accepted a suspicious looking dollar. Upon investigation officers found that five of the dollars had been left in Nyssa, at the Rosebud, Golden Rule, Nyssa Pharmacy, Cozy Cafe and Rex Rooms. They are good imitations of the genuine Eagle, molded from a silver dollar with lead or metal. Though somewhat worn-looking and lighter, they proved easy to pass.

Bowles asked Nick Rudlick, Nyssa poolhall proprietor, to take him on a trip to Boise last Monday. While Rudlick purchased gas in Eagle, Bowles made a small purchase at the drugstore and left the "home made" dollar. Jackson noticed that it was counterfeit and immediately notified Boise police. He took Rudlick's license number.

After stopping the car, police found a purse containing three of the counterfeit dollars under the car seat. Bowles told police they had been given to him. Officers believe Bowles learned his new trade in Nyssa, stated Marshal A. V. Cook yesterday. They have learned that he called on Dr. E. D. Norcott, local dentist, who answered his questions in regard to making a plaster paris mold for "molding an Eagle butt." Bowles had said, Dr. Norcott explained the process and several days later asked Bowles how the mold turned out.

"It wouldn't work," Bowles replied. Dr. Norcott then suggested that it be carefully cooled and dried.

Later, he again inquired as to the outcome.

"It worked fine," Bowles is said to have replied.

The affable stranger also called at the Journal office Friday and could have secured linotype slugs without much difficulty for his experiment.

Bowles was pardoned June 3, after serving a year in the Idaho penitentiary for embezzlement. He was formerly a pharmacist in eastern Idaho. Officers believe he and a friend came direct to Nyssa after Bowles release from the penitentiary.

DANA WIRES PROJECT APPROPRIATIONS O. K.

"Owyhee and Vale projects are on the preferred list," said a telegram received by Frank Morgan yesterday from Marshall N. Dana, who is in Washington in the interest of the reclamation program. An appropriation of \$6,000,000 is sought for completion of the Owyhee, \$1,000,000 for the Vale. Mr. Dana has requested that the appropriations be made from the three billion dollar public works fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Wilson are giving a piano and violin recital at the home of Mrs. O. G. Boden this evening.

Portland, to Mayor Howard Larsen this week. It discloses that the opportunity of a life time has come to Nyssa through the availability of federal funds for the building of such needed public works as a sewage system. With 30 per cent of the cost an outright gift and 70 per cent a government loan at extremely low interest, an unusual opportunity exists for building the system at the present time.

That a sewage system is needed here is not questioned but how to secure funds has been a problem as city administrations, one after another, have disapproved of loading a heavy bond issue onto the taxpayers of the town.

Now comes the Reconstruction Finance corporation with an emergency measure passed for the purpose of giving employment. It will provide the funds if the plan receives the approval of the people of this city. Steps will be taken to hasten the request for a sewage loan at the regular meeting of the council on Monday night, stated J. R. Hunter yesterday. Some changes will be made in the original cost estimate prepared by Fred McConnell, Caldwell engineer, as the plan must be changed to conform with regulations of the Oregon health bureau.

The Monday picture page of The Statesman carried a picture of Nyssa high school baseball team, 1933 champions of eastern Oregon.