IRRIGATION PROJECTS

\$1.50 PER YEAR

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CWA PAY CHECKS BRING \$1000 PER

WITH HARRY GARDNER, FORE-MAN, NEW CREW STARTED WORK FRIDAY ON SCHOOL GROUNDS: NYSSA DRAINAGE PROJECT APPROVED LAST

Saturday pay checks, from Uncle Sam, are coming into Nyssa at the rate of over \$1000 per week, through the Civil Works progam which has been extended until March, by order of President Roosevelt. Other Malheur country towns, and towns all over the country are sharing in accordance to population. Uncle Sam is proving a real Santa Claus this Christmas.

Last Friday, men went to work on the \$5700 Nyssa school improvement project which will mean beautification of the present barren grounds which STATE GRANGE MASTER FILES border the main highway entrance into town. A water system is being installed, lawn and trees will be planted, wa'ks and playground equipment built.

Short on tools for so much hand labor, Harry Gardner, foreman, on the been surfaced as well as graded up.

Drainage Work Approved Last night the county CWA committee, meeting in the office of Chair- through the granges, Farm Union lo- June, 1933, and the reductions in disman R. D. Lytle in Vale, approved additional projects as the men now at organizations which are joining with us in the following tabulation. The valwork must be given continuous em- in this fight," Gill said. "There will be uations that were used in computing associate conductress; Mrs. Tensen, ployment for four months. The Nyssa- no difficulty in securing the necessary milalge reductions were those reported secretary; Arcadia Drainage district project was 16,666 names to place the sales tax on by the county assessor in March, 1933. Clarice Johnson, sentinel; Stella Fishapproved, also a ditch project for the the ballot next May. We can get 50,000 Ontario schools. The drainage project if we want them."

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Gill predicted that the sales tax three drainage wells at a cost of \$6357.

The local districts marked "Elementary" in this tabulation are in either three drainage wells at a cost of \$6357.

Would be defeated in Portland by an a union high school district or in the Frost, Esther; Mrs. Nettle Medesker, Kingman Kolony school, an Ontario even larger majority than was cast county non-high school district. In against the measure last July. He was addition to the millage reductions set tions were given approval, according to not prepared to venture a prediction as opposite them in the tabulation they ficer; Mrs. J. R. Hunter, chaplain; Mrs. Mrs. Dick Tensen, Nyssa member of to the outstate districts but expressed will participate in the reductions of the Frost, marshall; and Mrs. A. H. Boy-

JORDAN VALLEY PLAN NEARS COMPLETION

Settlers under the Jordan Valley irrigation project have approved the re- Civic club, Mrs. Sarazin, president, refinancing plan started more than a year ago, with the cooperation of the Oregon reclamation commission. They have entered into a refunding agreement with the holders of \$430,000 and Larsen and Mrs. Ernest McClure

vision that each land owner shall enter which served tea at the close. into a contract with the bondholders for his proportionate part of original bond indebtedness. Land owners who wished to pay up in 1932 were to to re- Hunt entertained the Kolony club at ceive a discount of 50 per cent, thereby the Morgan home Saturday with relieving themselves of further liability. luncheon. Mrs. C. E. Peck of Big Bend

indebtedness, the time for repayment Bishop," and Mrs. Hunt reviewed was extended for 50 years by the bond- popular movie. Mrs. Eva Hamblin, Mrs holders, with interest set at 3 per cent. E. H. Brumbach and Mrs Peck attend- CWA COMMITTEE The reclamation commission will de- ed from the Bend. termine the ability of land owners to pay interest charge during the first 10

SNOW FOR XMAS? PUZZLED WEATHER MAN CAN'T SAY

Will we have snow for Christ-

Even the weather prophets shake their heads and fail to reply as this has been a most unusual winter. Skies have threatened but only rain has come and that not too continuously. Roads are mudday, new grass is coming up, the sun shines or gentle rains fall. From all appearances it is March, even if the calendar does say December.

The farmers are still plowing, and this week Pete Delayo dug potatoes from the ground which had not been frosted. Hardy flowers continue to survive.

No wonder the prophets are perplexed. It's a winter to remember. Sometime they can say, "Now in 1933 I remember - - .

BILL NEXT MAY.

On the heels of the report on the er school would receive \$800; and a school project, borowed all available proposed sales tax made by Supt. C. A. five-teacher school would receive wheelbarrows in the city. At present 68 Howard, came a report from Salem \$2,000. The bill requires the county men are at work at the schoolhouse Tuesday that Ray W. Gill, master of assessor to cut from the district propnight, the Masonic and Eastern Star and on the streets. Good progress is the Oregon state grange, filed petitions erty tax levy the amount estimated to lodges held joint installation of new of- \$19,256 while the county takes care of being made on streets owing to favor- invoking the referendum against the be received from this fund. able weather, several of them having measure. Preliminary petitions repremeasure. Preliminary petitions represented 14 farm, labor and business orfrom the sales tax revenues by some
Start Sta ganizations.

be about the same as last July."

CIVIC CLUB MEETS

At yesterday's meeting of Nyssa sang a duet, accompanied by Mrs. Ber The plan approved provides for a pooling of the bonds, with the pro-

Mrs. Frank Morgan and Mrs. C. C. In event settlers could not pay the gave a very interesting report on "Miss

The last W. C. T. U. meeting of the M. F. Morrow, of Richards and Haga year was held at the home of Hazel D. committee named for the purpose of week for distribution among families M. F. Morrow, of Richards and Haga year was held at the home of Hazel D. Checking on the registrations for CWA

Boise, attorneys for the district, was Gildea December 18th. Plans for work reports an interesting meeting in shore of the pork chors came to Nyssa Boise, attorneys for the district, was Gildea December 18th. Plans for work, reports an interesting meeting in share of the pork comes came to Nyssa for the next two months was outlined.

Nyssa High Basketeers Open Season With Wins Over Three Teams investigation.

With a 23 to 15 victory over the bas- | could make a score in one basket. ket ball team of Parma in their scalp The second team trounced Fruitland bag, Nyssa bu'ldogs wound up their pre- 24 to 17, Holly and Calvin Wilson divid-It was their third win.

Nyesa took the lead in the first half | First string score follows: and ran up 13 counters while Parma R. Johnston, f was blanked. Parma's best quarter was F. Spencer, f

The second team lost to Parma 23 to Forbes, c ... 20, after tying the visitors at the end Seits, g of the game at 20-all. In the overtime E. Sager, the boys showed plenty of fight but missed the basket repeatedly.

First string score-Johnston, f Spencer, f Forbes, c Montgomery, g Seits, g

NYSSA 10, FRUITLAND 9

out Fruitland Saturday night on the and Claunch were guards, Walters and Fruitland court, 10 to 9. Fruitland Lem Wilson, centers. blanked Nyssa in the first half and First string scorescored 9 points. With a shift in line- F. Spencer, f up and play, Nyssa shut out the Idaho R. Johnston, f boys in the second half and accounted Lankford, f for nine points, tying the score at 9 B. Sager, c each at the end of the game. In the Forbes, c ... overtime, Nyssa scored a fowl which Seits, g E. Sager, g

de the winning margin. Believe it or not, but neither team Montgomery, g

cage schedule Tuesday night, ing honors at 14 and 8 points each. Claunch made the remaining two.

B. Sager, C

NYSSA 27, PAYETTE 22 In the opener here Friday, Nyssa owing to a heart ailment. outplayed Payette hoopsters, 27 to 22, 11 in spite of Payette's substantial lead at 2 the end of the half. Nyssa forged ahead here and in Ontario yesterday. 2 Johnston and Seits and a fowl.

In a most unique game, Nyssa nosed and Paul Johnston 6. Anderson, Cook Mrs. Jim Beam.

HOWARD FAVORS SALES TAX FOR

\$3,000,000.

The sales tax bill for school relief approximately one mill and will cut \$3,000,000 a year from the school district taxes of the state according to C.

Receipts from similar revenue mea sures in operation in other states indicate that the Oregon bill will produce LODGES HOLD \$4,000,000 annually. Seventy-five per cent of this sum, or \$3,000,000, will be apportioned to the school districts in proportion to the number of classroom units, or the number of teachers re-PETITION FOR VOTE ON NEW quired. This would amount to \$400 per teacher-classroom unit, since there are approximately 7500 such units in the On this basis a one-teacher schoo', would receive \$400; a two-teach-

typical school districts in Malheur nie Ward, matron; Bernard Frost. COLLEGE STUDENTS "The petition will be circulated county based on attendance reports of worthy patron; Mrs. Mary Hollenberg Malheur Survey Made

the committee, who attended the meet- the belief that the vote there "would high school districts or the non-high dell, planist. school district to which they belong. Malheur County Taxpayers' league The tuition charge for pupils from the ing as installing officer, and John and Ontario commercial club were non-high school district will be re- Kakebeeke, marshall, installed the folamong organizations approving the duced approximately \$15 per pupil, ac- lowing Masonic officers: John Young w cording to Howard's survey.

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EYES APPLICANTS

C. C. Hunt, Nyssa member of the ham and Chas. M. Paradis, secretary, families. they checked on the list which contains 1100 names of unemployed. Out of this number the committee approved

C. Van Dusen, Boise auditor, was a visitor at the city hall Wedneday.

Nick Rudlick is recovering from a severe attack of flu which affected his eyes. During his absence from the Pastime Poolhall, Adolph Jaenke alternated shifts with Henry Fields, proo prietor.

Elton Parker, Apple Valley farmer, called at The Journal office Tuesday to 6 place an ad in the paper for sale of .0 farm machinery. Mr. Parker says he plans to move to the coast in the spring

Pete Arritola of Jordan Valley was

4 in the fourth with two field goals by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marshall were hosts at a chicken dinner Tuesday at 4 The second string swamped Payette their country home for Mrs. Mary Fel-52 to 16 with Calvin Wilson shooting ton, Mrs. Emma Duncan, Mrs. Fred 25 of the counters, Raymond Holly 11 Marsha'l, Mrs. H. R. Sherwood and

> Home for the holidays, Mrs. W. A. McNall arrived Tuesday from Missoula, Mont., after a month's visit at her daughter's home.

Remember the Christmas dance at 0 the gymnasium tonight, Thursday. The 2 committee says buy a ticket whether 5 you dance or not as the proceeds will 2 be used for a Christmas treat for all .0 children of Nyssa and vicinity.

John Zittercob's Hand Is Severed In Corn Sheller

John Zittercob, Nyssa rancher, was seriously injured late Thursday night when his left hand was crushed in a corn sheller at the James Boor farm. ESTIMATES REDUCTION IN DIS- A part of his hand and four fingers TRICT PROPERTY TAX FOR were amputated but physicians were able to save his thumb. With all his MALHEUR COUNTY; STATE CUT strength Zittercob withheld his hand and arm from the teeth of the machine or his whole arm would have been carried through.

Some difficulty in stapping the machine was experienced as it was opislature will reduce county tax levies erated by a tractor some 6 tance away. are proceeding at a rapid pace on their painful accident.

A. Howard, state superintendent of froic for members and their wives next schools, who based his report on the Wednesday night, December 2. Bill tax commission's estimate of revenues Keizer is lining up a lively program.

With impressive ceremony Monday farm. ficers who will serve during the coming right of way.

Star officers installed were Mrs. Jen-Mrs. Sarazin, treasurer;

Wm. Schireman, retiring master, actm., A. V. Cook s. w., Chas. McConnell of Adrian, j. w., Dick Tensen, treasurer; Don Graham, secretary; Bernard-Frost, s. d., Dick Young. j. d. Leo Hollenberg s. s., Dr. C. A. Abbott j. s. Douglas McDonald, tyler; John Kakebeeke, marshall; Frank Hall, chaplain. Lunch was served at the close for around sixty-five guests. Mrs. Frost and Mrs. Norcott being in charge of supper plans. Christmas decorations were used. Dancing closed the evening.

IDAHO ROAD PROGRESSING

A good road, of standard width and grade, is being built from the Parma highway, on the Idaho side, to connect with the inter-state bridge east of town. The crew has graded to the grade.

MORE PORK CHOPS

Another supply of government pork

Oregon Trail school and P-T-A will 900 names and checked 200 for further give a big, community Christmas program on Friday evening.

THREE MORE SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

The rush is on but the Journal Christmas Guide will take you places, through the Christmas ads you will find in this week's paper.

Wifey: Isn't it a fact that men like useful gifts, not something to look at, but something to wear and use. Nyssa Drygoods Stores tell of wearables galore-and they have a big stock for the last minute rush. Hubby: Have you seen the beautiful toilet sets at the drugstore?

Mother: You can save when you shop for the Christmas feastthere's many fine specials in this weeks grocery ad. Dad: Our hardware ad tells of a

dozen things mother would like, a waffle iron, glassware; skates and sleds for the kids. Santa: You don't have to go to Boise to get the latest in mechan-

ical toys. Autos with lights, tipsy racer, wonderful things, right here There's a world of Christmas merchandise right at home. Reading the ads makes it easier for you

From the Journal Gift Guide.

to find them.

PORTLAND FIRM SPEEDS WORK ON BRIDGE AND ROAD

PIERCE AND O'NEILS HAVE THREE CATS ON OWYHEE BRIDGE JOB: TIMBER COMING FOR BRIDGE THIS WEEK.

With three "cats" and eight men on the job, Pierce and O'Neils of Portland Zittercob is recovering from the contract with the state highway department which calls for grading 1.18 miles of the Nyssa-Adrian highway The Eagles lodge is giving a holiday and construction of a new pile bridge across the Owyhee river, said George Kaylor when he came to town yesterday to do his Christmas shopping.

The crew started work on the stretch of new road which will run through several farm tracts near the Kaylor DRIVER HELD ranch. Much cutting out and filling are necessary but Mr. Kaylor says the "cats" are making fast work of it. The crew is also building the approach on the opposite side of the river. The nev bridge will replace the one which has EASTERN STAR AND MASONIC served its day and will also eliminate COMING YEAR; SOCIAL CLOSES Creosoted timber is expected to arrive this week

Mr. Kaylor stated that a satisfactory agreement has been effected in regard to the sale of right of way through his

FIND McKENZIE PASS SNOWBOUND

Despite the fact that they could not return home by way of Mc-Kenzie Pass and thereby added 200 miles to their journey from the University of Oregon at Eugene, a party of Nyssa students witnessed a snowstorm near the Pass which was a rare sight-and worth the extra miles, they say. Forest trees were weighted down with heavy snow. Great flakes were falling.

Several hours late, the party in cluding Thelma Cook, Margaret Hunt, Dorothy Holly of Adrian Maxine Cobbs of Meridian, Earl Marshall and Ray Garrison, from Oregon State, reached home Satur-

Others home for the Yule holidays are Betty Tensen, Crete Marie Foster and Donna Cook. who arrived Friday from La Grande Normal; Ra'ph Boden and James Mc-Ewen, from Oregon State. Leonard Marshall is coming from La Grande the end of the week. Miss Pearl Williams and Agnes Nichols will remain in Logan, Utah.

KOLONY P-T-A PLANS

Osterkamp corner. It has been reported at the schoolhouse as increased mem- Bilboa, John Aldecoa, Dorothy and ence in Baker Saturday by Leo Hollenthat a large fill will be made to bring bership has made it impossible for the Beth Shea, Beryl Mills, Hermin Ar- berg, commander, C. L. McCoy, Don the road across the gulley on a good organization to meet in homes. Stud- ritola, Justo Elsagurri, Sterling St.Clair Graham, Andrew McGinnis and Archie ents gave a play concerning Christmas John Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Eig- Howell. The post was again cited for seals. Nutrition was discussed. Refresh- uren and Ben Arritola ments were served by Mrs. Bruce Hare, Mrs. Jim Lane and Mrs. Dan Holly.

was shipped to Malheur county this at the home of Mrs. R. R. Overstreet, given at Owyhee schoolhouse Friday panied them for the week end trip. At an executive committee meeting plans were made for helping with the night. Mrs. Carl Jungquist will play for publication in regard to the completion of the refinancing plan.

Crusade Day were discussed and the voice."

Vale last week. Meeting with C. F. and Mrs. Dick Tensen relief chairman, it will include the sponsoring of a Boy Mrs. J. Stratch with whom he makes

Scout troop presentation of a play for the next two months was outlined. It will include the sponsoring of a Boy Mrs. J. Stratch with whom he makes Scout troop, presentation of a play for his home, under went a minor opera-4-H club activities and giving the an- tion at the Holy Rosary hospital Satnual Founder's Day program.

> Mr. and Mrs. Russell Vinsonhaler spent last week end in Caldwell with Mr. Visonhaler's parents.

Mr. and Mr.s Bud Wilson left Sunday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Wi'son's parents Mr. and Mrs. Hughes at Long Valley, Idaho.

Miss Arliss Serson, niece of Mrs. Harry Gardner who has been here from Utah the past month, went to Parma to spend this week with Mrs. Roy Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. John Klug are expecting their daughter Miss Bertha to arrive from Ellensburg today. She will spend the holidays with them at their apartment in the Chas. McConnell

George Newby and his mother Mrs Lillian Newby and Mrs. Robert Stringfellow were business visitors in Boise

been named Betty Jean, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Sid Burbidge at their home Saturday morning with Dr. J. J. Sarazin attending. Miss Elizabeth Turer is Mrs. Burbidge's nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bailey were here from Brogan Friday evening. They brought Mrs. Roscoe Welsh to the doctor. The Baileys will return this week end to spend the holidays with their daughter Mrs. Bert Lienkaemper.

JOHN KLUG IS HURT IN WRECK LAST EVENING

John Klug, Owyhee contractor, had a narrow escape last evening when his car ran off the grade at the Charles Garrison corner and struck a telephone pole before he could stop it. He was badly cut about the face but was not seriously injured. Mr. Klug was returning home after a day's work on

George, Ward, who came along a few moments after the accident occurred, brought him to Dr. J. J. Sarazin's office. Twenty stitches were used to close the cuts about

ELMER STRADLEY HURT

Another accident occured last week when Elmer Stradley, Nyssa, rancher, was thrown from his horse late Friday night. Stradley's back was severely injured and he is still confined to his home.

NO2 DRIVEVR HELD DFOR FATALI candy sacks, Miss Betty Tensen having LODGES INSTALL OFFICERS FOR a dangerous curve in the highway. IKE JOHNS, WELL KNOWN HERE been appointed chairman of this com-MUST ANSWER MANSLAUGH- mittee. TER CHARGE.

> the death of Mrs. Austin Goodson, 20, with all proceeds slated for Santa's of Parma in an automobile crash just stocking. Everyone is invited to attend. out of that city last Tuesday night, have been fi'ed against Hubert "Ike" Johns, 24, who is alleged to have been ing lights from Christmas trees. driving the car when it careened off the road and turned over. Johns is well FIRE VICTIMS ARE known in Nyssa.

Bond, fixed at \$2500, was provided and a hearing will be held this week. Mrs. Goodson died a few minutes young people were riding in a roadster.

MANY ATTEND BASQUE

community church.

A party from Nyssa and a large dele- operates a poolhall at Adrian. gation from Jordan Valley attended the annual Basque Sheepherders Ball in BRADY FOWLER IS Boise Tuesday night, sponsored by John Archabal. It was a wonderful affair, local people say. Several Spanish solo dances were given during the evenand Mrs. James Farmer and numerous small structure in the north end of town, near the home of Mrs. Addie

company attended. From Jordan Valley went Mr. and announced. Mrs. Domingo Yturri, George and Louis Yturri, Marie Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Pas- LEGION AGAIN CITED cual Eiguren. Mr. and Mrs. Eulogia BUSY TWO MONTHS Madariaga, Candido Amis, Maria Arritola, Mr. and Mrs. Tamaso Elordi, Kingman Kolony P.-T. A. met Friday Sabino, Felisa, and Joe Madariga, Joe was represented at the district confer-

OWYHEE PROGRAM FRIDAY

John Stratch, grandson of Mr. and

eral days last week

CITY AWAITS GAY CHRISTMAS TIME. SANTA IS COMING

CHRISTMAS TREAT FOR ALL CHILDREN AT NYSSA GYM AT 3 P. M. CHRISTMAS DAY; PAG-EANTS AT CHURCHES.

In commemoration of the first Christmas, humbly celebrated so long ago, Nyssa community church and St. Paul's Episcopal church will give Christmas pageants and treats for Sunday School members on Christmas Eve, next Sunday evening.

Santa Is Coming Another Christmas event, eagerly awaited by little boys and girls who like candy, is the community Christmas tree, sponsored by fraternal organizations ,to be held at the gymnasium at 3 o'clock Christmas day, next Monday FOR FATALITY afternoon. At that time, old Santa Claus will bring a treat for all children afternoon. At that time, old Santa of Nyssa and vicinity. Civic club ladies wil' sing Christmas carols. Younger girls will help Santa by filling the

Dance Tonight

The treat is made possible by the efforts of business men who are giving the Christmas dance tonight at the Manslaughter charges, growing from gymnasium. \$1 tickets have been sold, Many homes are radiating the cheerful spirit of Christmas with glow-

BURIED AT PAYETTE

Funeral services were held Saturday after the accident which occured near from the Nyssa Funeral Home for the the Peter Vendemoer farm. Her hus- two little victims of the fire at Adrian band suffered a double fracture of the last Wednesday, Phyllis May, 5, and jaw. Opal Shippy sustained a bad- Glen Edwards, nine months, children ly cut thigh. Johns escaped with a few of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin L. Jones. scratches and minor bruises. The four Rev. Smith of Boise officiated and Kermit Lienkaemper sang a hymn. The Funeral services for Mrs. Goodson children were laid to rest in the family were held last Friday from the Parma plot in the Payette cemetery. Numerous friends attended the services.

The children perished in a fire which destroyed their small home at Adrian. They were alone and asleep when the SHEEPHERDER'S BALL blaze started. Surviving are their parent and one brother, aged 3. Mr. Jones

BUILDING COTTAGE

relieved by one cottage in the near son, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Gamboa, Mr. future as Brady Fowler is building a Basque herders of the Deseret sheep Wilson. He may build others, he has

FOR MEMBER GAIN

Nyssa Post of the American Legion gain in membership since organization. Mrs. Hollenberg represented the Auxiliary, Miss Margaret Young, Marzene and Junior Hollenberg accom-

DRUGSTORES SELL LIQUOR BIT LONGER

The Oregon liquor commission, conurday. He has recovered. His mother sisting of Geo. McMorran of Eugen was here from Oklahoma to spend a J. D. Burns of Condon and Alex G week with him. She left Wednesday. Barry of Portland, hopes to have the Carl Jungquist is night inspector for new system in operation within 30 the reclamation service at the gravel days. Until that time, "quor will be dispensed through the drugstores. The committee is carefully studying the Rev. I. V. Parker of Sweet, Idaho, Canadian plan and expects to have a was a guest of Rev .Floyd White sev- system of state operated rum stores set



Here it is comin' Christmas Time and folks are all aflurry planning and buying for loved ones, giving a helping hand to the unfortunate and generally exemplifying the Christmas spirit of doing unto others.

We are in hopes that this will be a happy Christmas for everyone. It will be if you make merry and laugh be-A second little daughter, who has cause the world will laugh with you.

Christmas Events in Nyssa

Christmas Eve, Sunday, 7 p. m. Pageant at Commun-

Christmas Eve, Sunday, 7:30 p. m. Pageant at St. Paul's Church.

Christmas Day, Monday, 3 p. m. Community tree and treat for children of Nyssa and vicinity at gymnasium.