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ANOTHER SEWER ELECTION CALLED FOR FRIDAY, JAN. 10

Second Election Necessary Due to WPA Ruling.

Due to a recent ruling of the Public Works Administration, through which Nyssa is expecting to finance the construction of a sewer, it has been found necessary to call for another election to authorize the proper kind of bonds. The original election, which was passed by big majority, called for the issuance of bonds to the amount of \$13,200; which were divided into 12 bonds of \$1,000 each and two bonds of \$600 each. Now the PWA has ruled that bonds must be in denominations of \$500; and have asked for a slight increase in the amount to take care of any unexpected expense.

With this in mind the city council held a special meeting Thursday afternoon and authorized another bond election to be held January 10th at the city all to authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$15,000.

The election will be held at the Owyhee Irrigation District office between the hours of 10 o'clock in the morning and 5 o'clock in the afternoon and all legal voters may vote on the question. The question is practically the same as the first election, the only difference being the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$15,000 instead of \$13,200.

SNOWFALL HEAVIEST FOR SEVERAL YEARS

Adrian—Snowfall in and around Adrian is greater this year than it has been for several years. At present a total of about five inches have fallen since Thursday night. Much of this has melted this week, due to the sudden change of temperature.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McConnell entertained Friday night with a card party for friends. Three tables of bridge were in play with high honors going to E. H. Brumback and low honors to Chas. McConnell. A delicious lunch closed a pleasant evening.

Claud Gurlock of Eugene is visiting in the J. E. Holly home this week.

Mrs. R. C. Enos left Saturday evening by train from Caldwell for Missouri where she will visit relatives for a few weeks.

D. T. Holly is driving a new 1936 Chevrolet sedan.

Claud Gurlock and Mrs. Dorothy Holly were Boise visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Greeling left last week for Yakima, Wash., where they are spending the holidays with their son Meritt who is employed there by the Standard Oil Company. While they are gone Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schaefer are looking after their ranch.

J. E. Holly has been very ill the past week with the flu but is much improved at the time of this writing.

O. G. McConnell and Mr. and Mrs. Ray McConnell and family were visiting in the Charles McConnell home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McConnell and daughter Ellen spent Christmas day in Boise visiting Mrs. McConnell's brother E. Marker.

John Enos who is employed at Arock now was down visiting friends Thursday and Friday.

Reuben Baskett is slowly recovering from a major operation at Caldwell sanitarium. He is much improved and will return home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Muntjewerff spent Christmas day with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Case Muntjewerff in Big Bend.

Oswald Forbes expects to start work Friday for the Hop Gold beer agency, with headquarters in Ontario.

SISTER VISITS

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Johnson and daughter Grace of Powell, Wyo., came last Thursday to make a visit with Mrs. Johnson's brothers Al and Jess Thompson of Nyssa and Charlie Thompson of Nyssa, whom she had not seen for several years. She also visited with her sisters Mrs. Ira Dale of Ontario and Mrs. R. A. Ambrose of Jerome, whom Mrs. Johnson had not seen for twenty-nine years. The visitors left Monday for their home.

LAND INQUIRIES ON THE INCREASE

Inquiry for land on the new project is on the increase according to Frank Morgan, secretary of the Vale-Owyhee Land Settlement association and letters have been coming in at the rate of from 30 to 40 daily. Many people have been looking at the new land and indications are that by the time water is turned on in the spring a big majority or perhaps all of the land will be sold.

Couples Take Marriage Vows

BENTON-HAFER

Clyde Benton, formerly of Nyssa, was married Christmas day to Miss Marjorie Hafer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hafer of Jerome, Idaho. Mr. Benton is a son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Benton of Nyssa. The ring ceremony was performed at the bride's home by Rev. Wilbur Goff of the Christian church of Gooding.

A Christmas wedding dinner was served following the ceremony, after which the couple left for a wedding trip to Salt Lake City. They plan to make their home in Jerome where Mr. Benton is engaged in the auto wrecking business.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Benton and daughters Zeola, Vera and Lucille went to Jerome last Tuesday to attend the ceremony, returning to Nyssa the day following Christmas.

McLING-HOGGAN

Miss Zoe Hoggan, teacher in the school at Lorenzo, Idaho and Eldon McLing were the principals of a quiet wedding solemnized in Emmett Friday at the home of the Rev. Lamb. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McLing and Miss Gayle McCoy.

Edson spent last winter at the home of his brother in Nyssa and during the past few weeks has been a guest at the McLing farm home near New Plymouth. The newlyweds will reside in eastern Idaho.

PIERCE WORKS TO RETAIN NYSSA CAMP

A wire received last Thursday just too late for including in last week's paper was from Congressman Walter M. Pierce and read, "Nyssa camp retained till April first, possibly longer. Interviewing Mead tomorrow about rodent and road work. Walter M. Pierce."

Mr. Pierce had reference to the Nyssa CCC camp, which was ordered closed but which will remain open all winter and possibly longer. They have been doing valuable work on the project and are considered a distinct asset to the Nyssa section.

VISITS PARENTS HERE

Mrs. Ruth Bates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Long, came from Riverside, California, to spend Christmas with her parents and her daughters Evelyn and Helen Lackey at the Long home. She left Sunday, returning by way of Salem, where she will visit her niece Mrs. Ralph Beutler, and her brother Dr. John Long. In Lebanon Mrs. Bates will stop to see her sister Mrs. Golden and Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Long. She also planned to visit another sister Mrs. Abbe Vaughn at Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harlan of Bonneville, Oregon, visited from Sunday until Christmas at the parental W. T. Posey home. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson of Caldwell joined the group for Christmas dinner here. Mrs. Harlan and Mrs. Johnson are daughters of the Poseys.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fulton entertained several friends and relatives from Payette at dinner Tuesday. Among them was Miss Denise Snowberger, niece of Mr. Fulton's, who remained here until Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Fulton spent New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. Mordhorst at Payette.

Mrs. C. L. McCoy attended an all day meeting of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine Institute held Friday at Baker, Oregon. Mrs. McCoy was a delegate from the Ontario church and was accompanied by Mrs. H. H. Dick of Nyssa and Mrs. Frank Ryan of Ontario.

Mrs. Frank Morgan and Margaret Ann left Wednesday for Eugene on the Rose. Mrs. Morgan expects to remain in Eugene for a time as her mother, Mrs. W. W. Calkins is quite ill, while Margaret Ann will return to the University.

DISCUSS METHODS OF SPENDING FUND FOR RECREATION

Cotton Elected Head of Committee Studying the Recreational Needs of County.

A committee representing several communities of the county met Monday night in the court house at Vale to discuss the proposed Rural Recreation movement in Malheur, Morrow and Gilliam counties. It is believed that \$40,000 can be made available for Malheur. Work is to be done by WPA labor, with materials to also come out of the allotment, but the land must be furnished free of charge.

C. C. Cotton was elected chairman of the committee and Ray Larsen, county agent, was chosen secretary. John Medlin, representing the Harper community explained that Harper would like to have a community hall if possible and had plans and estimates as to the kind and type of hall desired. P. T. Joseph of the Dead Ox Flat country talked briefly and called upon Mr. Anawalt of the Annex district to explain the plans they had for a community recreational center, including a hall, ball diamond, wading pool and other recreational facilities.

There was also some discussion about building one central project, but the majority of the sentiment was for splitting the fund among various communities if the federal regulations and labor conditions would permit. It was felt that the \$800 man-year cost which the federal government requires, might prevent the construction of buildings as a majority of the money must be spent for labor.

There is still some doubt as to the federal requirements on the project and it was decided that more information should be available before anything definite could be applied for. Another meeting is to be held in the near future at which time the various communities are expected to submit their ideas as to how this money is to be used for the greatest benefit of all. Those from Nyssa who attended the meeting were W. J. Browne and Berwyn Burke.

FARM SALE TO BE HELD FRIDAY

Wm. Claunch, who has been farming the Eastern Oregon Land Company farm No. 1, is holding a public sale Friday, January 3rd at which time he will sell six head of cattle, some hogs, chickens and a complete line of farm machinery.

POTATO CONTROL MEETING SATURDAY

Farmers are showing considerable interest in the Potato Control meeting to be held Saturday afternoon, January 4 in the school house at Nyssa. Every farmer who expects to grow potatoes should attend the meeting and hear an explanation of the new potato control act which Congress has passed and which is to be enforced in 1936.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Towne on New Year's day were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Powell, Mrs. Mary Morris and son Tommy; Mrs. Mary Towne and son Leon of Eagle.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sales and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Klinkenberg and son Jimmie and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goshert spent New Year's day with the Harry Goshert family in Emmett.

Mrs. Wm. Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Truelson left Monday for Boulder City, Nevada where she has employment. Mr. Cook has gone to Portland for the time being.

Mrs. Watson Ketchum expects to return home after the first of the year, bringing her little daughter home. She has been visiting with her mother in Boise for the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Manning and children of Halley and Mrs. C. O. McClure and Harry, Bernice and Dickie were visitors at the Leslie McClure home Tuesday.

Oh, For The Jolly and Carefree Life of The Small Town Cop!

GOOD CHANCE TO JOIN ARMY NOW

Word from the Army recruiting office says that recruiting will be in full swing again after the first of the year. Early last fall a vigorous campaign was launched by the army recruiting headquarters at Portland in an effort to secure as many enlistments as possible toward filling the huge quota placed upon the Portland district at that time incident to an enactment by the Congress earlier in the year authorizing an increase of some 46,250 men in the peacetime strength of the army. This campaign was suspended in the fall, but is to be resumed again the first of the year.

Young men interested in an army career should write the Portland land office located in room 323 new Postoffice building, at S.W. Broadway and Gilliam Sts., who will be pleased to furnish descriptive literature upon request.

Smith Held For District Court

Jim Smith of Nyssa, who is being held in the Caldwell jail charged with assault with a deadly weapon on his mother, Mrs. Stacey Proffit, was bound over to the district court Tuesday under bond of \$2000 by John Plovhead, justice of the peace at Caldwell. The trial will be held in Caldwell as the alleged assault took place on an island in the Snake river south of town and is on Idaho soil.

Smith failed to furnish bond and is being held in jail awaiting trial.

FORMER PASTOR PASSES IN SOUTH CALIFORNIA

Word has just reached Nyssa of the death on August 24th of B. F. Harper at a sanitarium in southern California. Mr. Harper was a former well-liked pastor of the Nyssa Presbyterian church, leaving Nyssa in 1918. Mr. Harper suffered a stroke several years ago, from which he had a second stroke, which resulted in his death. Mrs. Harper resides at her recovered. On August 23 he suffered Fourth St., La Mesa, Calif.

W. C. T. U. TO MEET WITH MRS. KLINKENBERG

The W. C. T. U. is to meet Tuesday, January 7 at the home of Mrs. Margaret Klinkenberg for an all day meeting. The purpose of the meeting is to sew and members are asked to bring scissors, needle, thread, trim and other sewing equipment. Each member is also to bring a covered dish for the luncheon.

TO HOLD DANCING CLASSES IN NYSSA

Hinemoa Cloninger daughter of Lieut. and Mrs. Elmer E. Cloninger, has announced that she will hold dancing classes at her home on Saturdays and Wednesdays. Miss Cloninger has been taking lessons since she was four, and has taught dancing in Portland and in Jordan Valley when her father was stationed there with the CCC camp last summer.

WANTS TO DEBATE TOWNSEND PLAN

R. J. Davis, who has studied considerably on the Townsend plan, and feeling that a public discussion of the question would be of considerable interest, has issued an open challenge for a debate on the question. Anyone wishing to accept Mr. Davis' challenge may see Mr. Davis or make connections at the Journal office.

'ROUND TOWN

Frank Edwards receives distinctive Democratic button rumor has it that Dr. Sarazin was also honored . . . Water-filled streets making people wish sewer were in operation now . . . Bill Claunch arranging for farm sale tomorrow . . . Kids have big time hookey-bobbing New Year's Day . . . Hank Fields sporting a new Plymouth . . . Bernard Frost doubling as mail carrier . . . Baldrige implement interior gets kalsomining . . . Christmas tree still standing on street intersection . . .

Nothing To Do But Be Everywhere, See Everything, Do Everything and Make no Mistakes.

He must be tough, hard-boiled, and very hard-hearted to deal with the crooks and criminals he comes in contact with; pleasant, courteous to all the public; must settle all family quarrels by sympathizing with the women and help them abuse all men on earth, at the same time agreeing with the husband and helping him abuse all women. He must see that all the children are in school and not playing truant. They must not ride bicycles on the sidewalks or rollerskate on the sidewalks in the streets; he must not allow them to throw rocks at the windows, shoot bean-shooters, nor shoot rifles in town. He must not allow boys under 20 years of age to go into pool halls. He must see that the proprietor does not sell them beer or have card games playing for money.

Check the Doggies

He has to see that all dogs have licenses, should kill all stray dogs; not allow dogs to howl at night to molest the neighbors; they must not carry bones or old shoes on people's yards. See that no chickens get out into other people's yards and gardens. All cows must be kept tied up, well-fed and watered; all corral must be kept clean.

He must see all cars pulling into the curb and see that they get between the lines properly; mustn't allow any double parking; be at all stop signs and see that everyone stops; not allow speeding on any street in town; watch all cars to see that nothing is stolen out of them; see that all drivers have good lights, brakes and driver's license.

He must be in all stores at all times and see that there is no drinking in any public place or in cars parked on the street; see that no beer is sold after 12 p. m.

—And Police Dances

He must be present at all dances and not allow any drunks around and at the same time see that there are no drunks or fights on the street.

He must know all the crooks in town, where they live and how they operate their crookedness; watch all suspicious characters who come to town.

He must watch all business houses and dwellings that they are not burglarized; go to all fires to assist the firemen; see that no shop lifters are in operation, know every farmer's signature so he can vouch for all checks; find and return every lost article to its owner.

He must watch that the liquor dispensary employes do not issue permits to minors, or do not sell liquor to an intoxicated man; see that no one drives across the fire hose or cause a traffic jam. He must see that all business houses are securely locked after the proprietor goes home.

He must attend all wrecks and tell who is right and who is wrong; see that all cars and trucks have their mufflers closed while in town.

He must arrest all check artists and thieves at once, sign all complaints and get his own information not giving anyone's name that contributes information.

He must know all the traffic, criminal and civil laws and give the correct information at any time to any one who asks it.

These are just a few of the requirements of a small town cop, working on the NRA' eight-hour a day plan.

LADIES AID PLANS RUMMAGE EVENT

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church are planning on holding a rummage sale in the near future and they are asking that everyone who has anything suitable for such a sale to please get in touch with members of the committee. Donations of clothing, bedding or vegetables will be appreciated as the aid is trying to raise enough money to have the roof of the church fixed. Those who have donations but are unable to bring them in are asked to notify Mrs. C. A. Abbott and they will be called for. The committee arranging for the sale includes, Mrs. C. J. Keizer, chairman, Mrs. Abbott and Mrs. S. D. Goshert. At the next meeting of the aid to be held at the home of Mrs. Goshert on Tuesday, January 9th all clothing and articles received will be made ready for the sale. All members are urged to attend this meeting.

TWO CCC OFFICERS RECEIVE PROMOTION

The Nyssa CCC camp lost two of their officers during the past week with Dr. Francis McDonough going to the Mayo hospital for a three year fellowship and Norborne Berkeley going to Pendleton where he will be in charge of the National Youth Movement for eastern Oregon. Their places will be filled soon.

Captain M. Tadlock, who spent Christmas with his parents in Eureka, California, has returned to his duties at the local camp.

College Students End Vacations

Tuesday and Wednesday was the end of the Christmas vacation for most of the students home from college as they had to report for school the last of this week. A few did not leave until Saturday and Sunday.

Oregon State college claims the following students, Vera Garrison, Tiens Tensen, Ethel Mary Boydell, Dean Johnston, Dennis Keck, Dorothy Holly, Lloyd and Orville McEwen.

Those returning to the University at Eugene were Margaret Hunt, Harriet Sarazin, Katherine Leuck, Leonard and Earl Marshall, Margaret Morgan, Neil Jackson who attended OSC the first term has transferred to Eugene and his brother Alfred will also be a student at the university for the rest of the year.

Calvin Wilson returns to the Eastern Oregon Normal at La Grande. Misses Margaret Pinkerton and Marie Enebeck go back to the College of Idaho at Caldwell. Miss Betty Cook will resume studies at the Boise Business college and Miss Donna Cook will return to her duties as teacher at Enterprise. Howard Boor goes back to Washington State college.

ADRIAN MAN WRECKS CAR

While returning home from Caldwell Saturday evening, Clark Enos of Adrian, ran into the back of a four-wheel tractor parked on the road near Greengleaf. The tractor was without lights and the fog was very thick. His new Dodge was badly wrecked and he was unable to drive it home. Gerrit Muntjewerff went up and towed him home. No one was hurt in the accident. Mr. Enos had with him his two children, Clarence and Lois and they were coming home from Caldwell after seeing Mrs. Enos off for Missouri.

BASKETBALL GAME WITH WEISER SAT.

One of the outstanding basketball games of the season will be played Saturday night on the local floor when Weiser will be guests here for a double-header. Friday night the local team goes to Nampa for a game there. Nyssa has a good record up to date, with no defeats in the current season.

AUTO LICENSES ARE DUE NOW

Motorists who have put off until the final day to get their auto license for 1936 have found that the final day has arrived and operation of a motor vehicle without a 1936 plate or sticker is laying himself wide open for arrest. State police are picking up motorists who have neglected this important matter and have issued a warning that all cars must be properly licensed. The deadline was January 1st.

KINGMAN KOLONY IRRIGATION DISTRICT TO HOLD ELECTION

An election is to be held in the Kingman Kolony Irrigation district on Saturday, January 4th for the purpose of authorizing the Board of directors of the district to negotiate and execute a contract with the federal Slope Irrigation district, the federal government, the Payette-Oregon Irrigation district, the Ontario-Nyssa Irrigation district, the Bench Irrigation district, the Crystal Irrigation district and the Advance Irrigation district amending and altering the terms and conditions of the original contract of the district. The original contract with the United States is dated January 4, 1929.

The election is to be held at the Kingman Kolony school house between the hours of 8 in the morning and 5 in the afternoon.

MALHEUR COUNTY PIONEER ANSWERS FINAL SUMMONS

Elbert Butler, Jr., Funeral Held Today At Ontario Came Here in 1890.

Elbert Butler, Jr., 57 pioneer Malheur county farmer and stockman, passed away at his farm three miles north of Nyssa Sunday evening following a protracted period of illness. Mr. Butler suffered with asthma, which together with kidney trouble was given as a cause of death.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at two o'clock from the Richardson Funeral Home at Ontario with Rev. Hovda of the Baptist church in charge. Pall bearers were Joe Dyer, Arthur Boydell, Chas. McConnell, Al Thompson, Wm. Laxton and Howard Larsen.

Mr. Butler was one of the real pioneers of this section, coming to Oregon in the spring of 1890 and has since made his home here. He was born at Woodbine, Iowa on May 11, 1878 and on August 18, 1898 married his life partner, Miss Ada Ellen Glenn of Boise. He is survived by his wife and four children; Conley, Vernon and Edmund of Nyssa and Mrs. Helen Strane of Salt Lake City. He also leaves to mourn his passing, two brothers Will an Ren of Ontario and three sisters, Mrs. Lucy Farmer of Ontario; Mrs. Anna Tollich of Meridian; and Mrs. Pearl Snodgrass of Klamath Falls, Ore.

WORK STARTS ON SCHOOL AT ADRIAN

Adrian—Work started this week on the new school grounds where a grade school will be constructed early in 1936. The funds for the fixing up of the school grounds are WPA relief money and the money and the money that will build the schoolhouse is PWA and district money.

BEND P. T. A. MEETS FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Big Bend—Wade P. T. A. will meet with Mrs. Joan Timmerman, Friday afternoon, January 3. Mrs. Strang and Mrs. Dyer Roberts are assistant hostesses.

School opened in District 46 Monday, but the pupils had a holiday on New Year's day. The high school pupils also resumed their studies Monday.

Attorney Carl H. Coad of Nyssa transacted business in the Bend Monday.

N. S. Phelan was a business visitor in Ontario Saturday.

Ben Taylor of Hammett Idaho was a guest in the Phelan home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Parker had all their children at home for the Christmas holiday. They were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Parker and daughter of Fruitland, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Parker of Owyhee, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Parker, Vernon and Lola of the Bend, also an uncle Mr. N. E. Heckathorne of Roswell.

M. K. Johannessen started work Monday breaking brush and preparing the ground for the new school building in Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Anderson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnston in Nyssa last Wednesday.

The Idaho Power company of Parma installed electricity in the Prosser home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sparks left for Portland to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fretwell have moved into the house on Bradney estate, vacated by the Dale Ashcraft family.

Mrs. Alida Neumans and daughter Miss Johanna of Boise, the Ellerbrook family of Apple Valley and Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Muntjewerff of Adrian were dinner guests in the Case Muntjewerff home last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nightengale of Ontario were guests in the Brumback home during the past week.