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A RECORD OF SPLENDID MANAGEMENT—

THE school directors of district No. 26 have reason to be proud of the record they made during the past year. Not only have the schools been conducted in an efficient manner, but the financial condition of the district has been greatly improved.

A year ago the warrant indebtedness was \$12,586.22 with only \$4,753.73 cash on hand. At the closing of the books on June 15th of this year the warrant indebtedness had been cut to \$9,628.01 while the cash on hand was increased to \$9,286.44. At the same time the bond indebtedness was decreased by \$1,000.

School directors seldom receive any credit for the splendid work they do. They put in hours of work during the year, scheme and plan to make the taxpayers money go as far as possible and at the same time conduct the school with efficiency, and too often their only reward is criticism over some trivial matter. We feel the community owes a debt of gratitude to the directors; Chairman C. L. McCoy, Mrs. Ernest Wilson, Fred Koopman; Dwight Smith, clerk; and also to the superintendent, Leo Hollenberg.

ANOTHER CASE OF "ACRES OF DIAMONDS"—

THE Owyhee Project, already widely advertised, received additional publicity last week in "The Reclamation Era" a national magazine published by the Department of the Interior at Washington D. C. The article was illustrated with seven views of the dam, siphon, canals, glory hole; a picture of Ed Corfield breaking sagebrush, Neil Dimmick and his six big horses and a view of Albert Pfeiler's ranch home on the project.

A few quotations from the article might not be amiss. It said, "The Owyhee project this year is offering a fruitful example of the achievements of Federal reclamation. A fine new agricultural community is coming into existence in eastern Oregon and western Idaho. Farms are pushing back the sagebrush, and another pillar is being added to strengthen that irrigation structure which supports the arid west."

"The Owyhee Reservoir, 52 miles long, has a capacity of 1,120,000 acre-feet of water, of which 700,000 represent live storage. When the reservoir filled to the point at which it overflowed into the 'glory hole' of the spillway this spring, sufficient water had been stored to fill all the needs of the project for 2 years. With this margin of safety, the project lands virtually are assured of a perpetual water supply."

This is all very fine, but is something every person round Nyssa is familiar with. It is true that the geographic condition of this great project should make Nyssa the greatest beneficiary and that very few towns ever have the opportunity that is Nyssa's today. It is only the fortunate that have an opportunity to live in a town being built up around a great federal reclamation project, which means a stable farming community that will endure for hundreds of years. You don't have to look any further than Nyssa for the greatest opportunity of a lifetime, but are we taking advantage of this opportunity? Do we properly appreciate that opportunity is knocking at the door and almost tearing it down trying to make us hear?

Nyssa should be in the midst of the greatest building program in its history. Reputable business concerns are begging for buildings, but there is no building. So far this year there has been two business buildings constructed; one the establishment of a new business, the other replacement of an office building. Some residents have been built, mostly small houses, and there is room for more. Nyssa must start building, and soon, if it is to realize the fullest benefit from the opportunity here. If there is a lack of capital, we must organize to get more capital here for building. The town can't grow without it.

Although this promises to be a dirty campaign, neither side will care to be taken for a cleaning.

Squirts FROM THE LINOTYPE

By John E. Public

An ordinary bee is sometimes a killer in disguise. Last week little Helen Russell, 6 year old daughter of George Russell of Sand Hollow near Vale, nearly died from a bee sting. Her entire body swelled a few minutes after the sting, and she was rushed to Ontario where a serum was administered by Dr. Belknap. It is believed that this probably saved her life.

Nyssaans who like nice flower gardens should see the beautiful garden at the Dwight Smith home.

Speaking of gardens, there is some talk of making a park on city property around the pump house. Now is a good time to be thinking of this project and if it sounds feasible, to get behind the movement when it starts. We would like to know the public's reaction to this scheme.

The Malheur Enterprise says Vale is about to have a brick yard, opened recently on the A. T. Burt ranch on the Malheur river. Clay deposits worked a number of years ago are being opened again by William Austin and the bricks are baked nearby. About 18,000 bricks have already been manufactured.

The Enterprise also says Nyssa not represented in the I-O-N inspection tour and that "It has been reported that Nyssa business men are displeased with the route which runs miles away from that Malheur county city." This was news to Nyssa as the route is actually less than two miles away and while the logical route would be through Adrian and Nyssa, the route selected meets with practically everyone's approval. We do think however, that more recognition should be given the members of the county court for their determined fight to see that the I-O-N was constructed and for the progress they have been making. Few realize the opposition they had to overcome, and as far as Nyssa is concerned, the selected route across the river is satisfactory. We may lose some tourist trade, but the principal feature of the I-O-N is a short-cut for our products to the California market. The products of the Owyhee project can be routed over the I-O-N through Nyssa with ease.

An interesting discussion arose the other night as to why there wasn't more building going on in Nyssa. All were agreed that Nyssa needed more business buildings and residences but couldn't understand why neighboring towns were outstripping us in this respect. One theory advanced was that the owners of business lots in Nyssa hold them so high it discourages an outsider from coming in and building, while at the same time, the owners of the lots won't build. Maybe this is true, what do you think?

In Gooding, Idaho, the merchants pulled a good stunt last week. They figured business wouldn't amount to much on the Monday following the 4th of July holiday, so they all agreed to close Saturday, Sunday and Monday to give everyone a real mid-summer vacation. There are plenty of business men and clerks in Nyssa who would take kindly to the same kind of petition here, enabling them to take in the celebration at Vale or Baker; rest or relax, or a trip into the mountains. Who wants to take the lead in circulating such a petition? The chamber of commerce did it in Gooding.

Two pair of pants, one containing \$50 in currency and the other \$25, are somewhere in Lake Lowell. They were lost when a motorboat containing six persons overturned Sunday evening. Two of the fellows succeeded

in kicking off their shoes and lost their pants in the process. After clinging to their overturned boat for two hours, they were rescued.

A party from Nyssa intends to make a trip on Lake Owyhee Sunday in the big launch at the dam. It takes 10 hours to make the trip but they are likely to see some surprising scenery in the wilds of Malheur county.

A quotation often heard is that "the majority rules," and there is a tendency to figure the majority is always right. This theory was "taken for a ride" Friday night when Max Schmeling, the ex-champion who didn't have a chance, surprised 99 per cent of the people by knocking Joe Louis in the 12th round. Hundreds of sporting experts claimed Louis had a set-up and betting was principally on how long Schmeling would last. It's good to see the majority wrong once in a while, just to prove its possible.

ADRIAN NEWS

Mrs. D. T. Holly shopped in Boise Tuesday with the Frank Miller family of Big Bend.

Miss Donna Ashcraft is visiting her uncle Mr. and Mrs. S. Ashcraft in Nyssa and picking peas. Those who attended the shower for Mrs. Earl Sparks at the Archie Parker home Wednesday afternoon were Mesdames Gerrit Muntjewerff, James McGinnis and daughter Joyce and Bill Ashcraft and daughter Joyce and Ellen McConnell.

Mrs. Bill Ashcraft spent Friday with Mrs. S. Ashcraft of Nyssa. Miss Benita Gavioa of Caldwell was a guest of Lois Enos Friday. R. C. and John Enos returned Friday from a trip to the coast. R. C. visited his sister and husband, G. Frederick Hartwell of Portland also the Felix Harris and Carl Walker families. Clarence Enos accompanied them home from Corvallis summer school.

Raymond Holly spent the week end at the parental D. T. Holly home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McConnell and daughter Ellen left Sunday on their vacation to fishing points on the Sawtooth mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Newton of Oregon Slope were Sunday guests in the Ted Newton and Gerrit Muntjewerff homes.

John Enos left Sunday for Jordan Valley on business.

Vernon McGinnis was a dinner guest one evening last week at the James McGinnis home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rutledge of Arlington, Wn., Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rutledge of Middleton and Miss Persis, Rutledge of Cascade, Ida., were Friday guests at the Perry Rutledge home.

Blake Lowell has been absent from the Adrian Feed Co., due to intestinal flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle McReynolds and baby of Nampa were callers at the Ted Newton home Sunday.

Adrian baseball team was defeated Sunday by Wilder, 4 to 3. The game was played at Wilder.

J. E. Rutledge and Bill Tyson were business callers in Adrian Sunday.

Frank Bicandi visited in Nampa

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Sunday and was a dinner guest in the Vincent Mendiola home on the Owyhee in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nelson of Nampa stopped over in Adrian on their way home from Ontario where they visited their daughter Mrs. Robert Rush.

TWELVE CARS OF PEAS GO TO MARKET FROM NYSSA

Twelve cars of green peas have been shipped from the local station so far this year, and one car of spring lettuce. All of the peas were handled by F. H. Hogue while the car of lettuce was billed out by the Idaho Fruit and Vegetable Co., but was packed by the Hogue concern.

NOTICE TO PATRONS

The Nyssa public library will be closed on Saturday July 4th, says Mrs. Marshall, librarian.

Acknowledge Letters of Sympathy

It is proper to acknowledge letters of sympathy or condolence.

LEGAL ADVERTISING

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Administratrix of the estate of George P. Green, deceased, and has qualified as such.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified as required by law to the undersigned Administratrix at the office of A. L. Fletcher in the Town of Nyssa, Oregon, which is hereby designated as the place of business of said estate, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: within six months from June 25th, 1936.

THEODA DODGE, Administratrix of the Estate of George P. Green, Deceased. First publication June 25, 1936. Last publication July 23, 1936.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Nora L. Green, deceased, and has qualified as such.

All persons having claims against

said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified as required by law to the undersigned at the office of A. L. Fletcher in the Town of Nyssa, Oregon, which is hereby designated as the place of business of said estate, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: within six months from June 25th, 1936.

THEODA DODGE, Administratrix of the Estate of Nora L. Green, Deceased. First publication June 25, 1936. Last publication July 23, 1936.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF MALHEUR.

In the Matter of the Estate of James M. Harbour, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Sam R. Scott, the administrator of the estate of James M. Harbour, deceased, has presented for final settlement, and filed in said court, his final account of his administration of said estate, together with his report and a petition for final distribution, and that Friday, July 3, 1936 at ten o'clock A. M. at the courtroom of said court at the courthouse in said county, has been fixed as the time and place for the settlement of said account and hearing of said report and petition, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions, in writing, to said account, and contest the same.

Notice is further given that said account is for final settlement, and said estate is ready for distribution and on confirmation of said final account final distribution of said estate will be immediately had. Dated this 4th day of June, 1936.

SAM R. SCOTT, Administrator of the Estate of James M. Harbour, Deceased. 6-4 to 7-3

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

On the 3rd day of July, 1936, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock A. M. at the front door of the Court House in the city of Vale, Malheur County, State of Oregon, I will sell at auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described real property, to-wit:

The NE 1/4, W 1/4 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, and Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, of Sec. 25, Twp. 15 S., Rng. 46 E. W. M., containing in the aggregate 400.32 acres, more or less, according to the U. S. Government Survey thereof, and being situated in the County of Malheur, State of Oregon together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Said sale is made under execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Malheur to me directed in the case of The Federal Land Bank of Spokane, a corporation, plaintiff, vs. Agnes L. Curtis, a single woman; Frances E. Curtis, a single woman; Malheur County, a municipal corporation; Annex National Farm Loan Association, a corporation, defendants.

C. W. GLENN, Sheriff, Malheur County, Oregon. First publication, June 4, 1936. Last publication, July 2, 1936. Lytle & Coad, Vale, Oregon, attorneys for plaintiff.

NOTICE OF HEARING IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR MALHEUR COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anton Stanek, Deceased.

Notice hereby is given that Wm. Peutz, administrator of the Estate of Anton Stanek, Deceased, has filed in said court his final account of his administration of said estate, together with petition for final distribution, and that Saturday, the 27th day of June, 1936, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court room of said Court at the Courthouse in said County, has been fixed and appointed as the time and place for the settlement of said account and the hearing of said report and petition, at which time and place any interested person may appear and file his exceptions in writing, to the said account and contest the same.

Notice further is given that said account is for final settlement, and the said estate is ready for distribution, and upon confirmation of said final account final distribution of said estate immediately will be had. Dated May 26th, 1936.

WM. PEUTZ, Administrator of the Estate of Anton Stanek, Deceased. Date of first publication, May 28, 1936. Date of last publication, June 25, 1936.

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FACTS ABOUT NYSSA

Population, (1930) 821
 Recent estimates 1000
 Elevation 2186

City Officers

Mayor Don Graham
 Councilmen Art Norcott, Al Thompson, Dick Tensen, Dean Smith.
 City Clerk A. R. Millar
 City Treasurer Arthur Boydell
 Marshall A. V. Cook
 Watermaster N. H. Pinkerton
 Health Officer Dr. J. J. Sarazin

County Officers

County Judge David F. Graham
 Commissioners Ora Clark, E. H. Brumbach.

Sheriff C. W. Glenn
 Clerk Roy Daley
 Assessor Murray Morton
 Treasurer Mrs. Ora Hope
 County Attorney M. A. Biggs
 County Surveyor, J. Edwin Johnson
 County Physician, Dr. Anna B. Pritchett.

Coroner R. A. Tacke
 Superintendent Kathryn Claypool

Nyssa Public Schools

Superintendent Leo Hollenberg

Facts About Owyhee Project

Cost of Owyhee Dam \$6,000,000
 7 1/2 miles of Tunnel \$4,000,000
 Siphons, canals, etc. \$3,000,000
 Owyhee dam storage capacity 715,000 acre feet
 Height of dam 530 feet
 From lowest point of foundation to top.
 Leading project city, Nyssa, Oregon
 Elevation of land 2,250 to 2,590
 Acres in Owyhee project, 100,00 acres
 Principal products hay, corn, dairying, stock raising, grains, potatoes, clover seed, peas, lettuce, onions and carrots.

Distances to Other Points

—Eastbound—

Caldwell 28
 Nampa 37
 Boise 57
 Pocatello 328
 Salt Lake City 516

—Westbound—

Ontario 12
 Vale 20
 Baker 96
 La Grande 146
 Pendleton 192
 The Dalles 343
 Portland 435
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TOWNSEND CLUB MEETINGS

Meetings of the Townsend Club are held every Thursday at the Community Church.

The Public is Invited

D. R. DeGross Pres.

Mrs. A. V. Pruyn Sec