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Bank Purchases Building From City Of Nyssa

Deal Completed After Long Effort to Give Title—Price \$4500.

A deal was completed this week in which The First National Bank of Portland purchased the bank building on the corner of First and Main from the city of Nyssa, including fixtures, for a cash consideration of \$4500. The deed was executed Saturday and mailed to Portland.

The sale came after many months of negotiation and effort in clearing the title of the property to the satisfaction of the purchasers and most of this work fell on the shoulders of A. L. Fletcher, city attorney. The deal includes the south end of Lot 1, block 8 with 8 inches off the east side of lot 2 occupied by the party wall.

The building was formerly occupied by the defunct Malheur County Bank, which became the property of the city after the bank closed its doors. Up until the fall of 1935 it was used as a city hall, but in November 1935 The First National Bank of Portland decided to open a branch in Nyssa, and in order to encourage the establishment of a bank here, the city offered the financial institution the use of the building and fixtures. This arrangement has been in force since that time, but several months ago the bank made known its desire to obtain the property, and work was started at that time to give an undisputed title to the property. After clearing away numerous details, the city has been able to put everything in order and the transfer was made this week.

Talk City Hall

There has been considerable discussion regarding the possible construction of a city hall, using part of the proceeds from the sale of the bank to finance the deal. While nothing definite has been worked out as yet, the council are endeavoring to perfect some plan which would enable the city to point the way toward more building in town by constructing a modest city hall for municipal needs.

Nyssa Man Held For Grand Jury

An argument which culminated in the stabbing of two persons has resulted in the holding of Bert Johnson of Nyssa under \$10,000 bonds for the grand jury meeting in August. The argument happened a short time after eleven o'clock Saturday night at the corner of 5th street and Good Avenue, with Mr. and Mrs. John Everett both receiving cuts from a pocket knife, but not seriously.

Mrs. Byrd was cut back of the ear and across the back, while Mr. Byrd had five cuts in his left shoulder and arm. They were held as material witnesses until the preliminary hearing Tuesday morning before Judge Purvis in Vale in justice court.

WILSONS GO TO CALIFORNIA TO STUDY MUSIC

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Wilson left Sunday, June 27 for Los Angeles where they will continue their work in music.

Mr. Wilson will resume his study with Alexander Roman, first violinist in the Los Angeles Philharmonic Symphony.

Mrs. Wilson will attend the Wagners classes on Modern Piano Pedagogy and will study under a private teacher.

'ROUND TOWN

Arcadia voters to vote on bond question Tuesday... Bricklayers wind up theatre job... Nampa boosters advertise their rodeo on streets Wednesday... Heard someone from the bank is going to move into the Ed Dilley house... Doc Norcott and Bernard Frost trying to find \$5 in loose money Tuesday morning... Ball team looking for another manager...

Leader In Wool Industry To Be In Ontario July 8

Fred Marshall, secretary of the National Association of Wool Growers will be the featured speaker of a meeting of wool growers to be held in the Moore Hotel in Ontario on July 8th, starting at 1:30. Arrangements for the meeting are being made by Chas. Sutherland of Vale, director of the State Association.

Other prominent men in the sheep business in Oregon will be at the meeting, including the state president, Garnett Barrett of Heppner; the state secretary, Walter A. Holt of Pendleton; and J. N. Shaw, sheep disease specialist of Oregon State College. Everyone interested in the sheep industry is being urged to attend the meeting.

4-H Clubs To Picnic At Vale

Much Interest Being Shown In County-Wide Event July 9th.

The annual 4-H club picnic, which is sponsored by the County Leader's Council, will be held in Vale on Friday, July 9th at the Riverside Park. This is an annual affair and is looked forward to by club members from all over the county.

Starting at 10 in the morning and continuing until lunch time a regular program of recreational activities has been planned under the direction of Mrs. Chas. Newbill, Mrs. M. L. Kurtz and Mrs. H. A. Connor of Annex. Prizes will be awarded in the different sections taking part in this.

Miss Helen Cowgill, state club leader will be the high light on the afternoon program. She will have with her a demonstration team of the state, whose demonstrations will be an important feature of the program. Musical numbers from the different districts of the county will also be given.

The remaining part of the afternoon will be given over to a choice between a picture show or a swim in the natatorium.

Owing to the large increase in club work in the county, this picnic is expected to be the largest yet held, and all persons interested in club work are invited to attend. As many leaders as possible are being urged to attend to help supervise the activities of the day.

The 4-H clubs have asked that this be considered an invitation to attend and enjoy the day. The Vale leaders have charge of the lunch, with the drink being furnished.

STATE TRAPPING BEAVER FOR BOTHERED FARMERS

Beaver which are bothering farmers will be transplanted back into the hills, according to a plan being put in operation by the state. Clyde Long of Nyssa has been trapping beaver since July 12th and asks that any farmers bothered by beaver to notify either George Aiken on Ontario or the game warden.

Special traps which catch the beaver alive are being used; and the animals are being kept at the game farm 6 miles north and one mile west of Nyssa. Those in the interior who want beaver can obtain them by applying to Game Warden Norman Minnick, or from Commissioner Geo. K. Aiken.

Mr. Long has been trapping along the Malheur river with good success. Tuesday he took four beaver to the game farm awaiting transplanting.

BERNARD FROST TO START EXCAVATION FOR NEW BUILDING FRIDAY MORN

Bernard Frost will start excavation work on a building just east of the new theatre building tomorrow morning. The building is to be 34½ by 70 feet, and will be built of brick. Jack Lowe of Weiser has the contract for the brick laying and Lon Root of Nyssa the carpenter work.

Dr. Milton Atman of Portland was here Monday looking over this territory with the idea of locating here.

Mr. Alfred Adams of Oregon Trail was taken to the Ontario hospital last Friday evening suffering with ruptured appendix. An operation was performed that night and he is reported to be recovering.

BIG GROUP TAKES ADVANTAGE OF TOXOID CLINIC

There were 110 children between the ages of six months and eight years treated at the toxoid clinic held Tuesday morning in the high school building, which is considered a very satisfactory turnout. Dr. Sarazin did the work, assisted by Edna Flanagan Farris, county health nurse; Isabelle Sarazin, Mrs. Dick Tensen and Mrs. Wm. Schireman. Another similar clinic is planned for late August.

EXAMINER HERE

Mr. W. L. Turner, Examiner of Operators and Chauffeurs, will be in Nyssa, Thursday, July 8, 1937, at the City Hall between the hours of 1 p. m. and 5 p. m., respectively, according to a recent announcement released from the Secretary of State office.

All those wishing permits or licenses to drive cars are asked to get in touch with Mr. Turner during these hours.

BIDS TO BE OPENED JULY 14 ON WORK ON DEAD OX FLAT

Bids are to be opened at the Bureau of Reclamation office in Boise on July 14th, covering construction of earthwork and structures, North canal laterals, Dead Ox Flat division of the Owyhee project. Principal items in the contract are 19,550 cubic yards of excavation for laterals; 1,700 cubic yards of excavation for structures; pouring concrete, placing reinforcement bars and other small items.

Stunts Feature Air Circus

The greatest air armada ever to appear in the northwest, will swoop down on Ontario in the early forenoon of July 6, headed by two world champion stunt pilots and scores of other outstanding air men and women. The occasion will be for the presentation of the Sky Circus at the Ontario air port, starting at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon and lasting for three solid hours.

Tex Rankin, world famous Hollywood stunt flier, who recently won the world championship in competition with top fliers from all countries, will be the outstanding performer in the program of stunts, racing and parachute jumping. He will be hard pressed to give the crowd the biggest thrills, by Bernardine Lewis King, world champion woman stunt pilot, who specializes in upside down flying and holds practically all world records in the art. Just one of her special stunts, most of which are performed within a few feet of the ground, consists of picking a handkerchief from the ground with her speeding wing tip. Also featured will be Dorothy Barden, leading woman parachute jumper, who will make a spectacular leap from a plane at a height above 10,000 feet. She will drop for at least 5,000 feet before she allows the chute to open. The crowd will be able to watch her fall as she opens a sack of flour when she "balls out" leaving a streaming white smoke in her dizzy path.

The armada will arrive over the Ontario airport at approximately nine o'clock and the planes will immediately belined up for display until time for the show to start at 2:00 o'clock. The public will be shown the crafts by pilots and assistants, who will answer questions and explain all features of the crafts.

Dust, which has previously made flying and sightseeing from the airport difficult, has been overcome. Runways at the field were recently oiled and the big planes will stir up no more dust than a car on an oiled highway. Gravel has been spread over the entire area in the vicinity of the hangars and abutting the runway.

Committee of Ontario citizens will be on hand to help handle the crowd of thousands expected to attend the show. Parking space for hundreds of cars has been arranged next to the runway and in adjacent fields.

LEAVE FOR BAKER

Mrs. Nellie Edward, Blanche Kolb and Ruth Edwards left this morning for Baker where they have employment in the Hotel Baker canteen.

LOCAL CCC CAMP GETS HIGH RATING

The Nyssa CCC camp has reason to be proud of a rating just announced by M. J. Bowen, inspector of the 9th corps area with some 300 camps under his jurisdiction. He rated the local camp as A-1, and in his entire area there are only two camps to rate this honor.

Rating is made on various points, including sanitation, discipline, appearance and other factors to make a well rounded camp. Lieut. Elmer Cloninger is in charge of the local camp and says it is the fine group of boys he has to work with which made the record possible.

Citizens Turn Thumbs Down On City Zoning

Proposed Measure Rejected at Meeting Held Tuesday Evening.

Most of the members of the city Planning Commission forgot to come to their own party Tuesday night when a medium sized crowd of Nyssa taxpayers met in the basement of the Eagles hall and turned thumbs down on the Commission's zoning seemed to be that the objection seemed to be that the proposed zoning took in entirely too much of the town and the regulations were unnecessarily drastic.

While no vote was taken on the matter, most citizens present expressed themselves as being favorable toward zoning a few blocks in town, which now contain the nicer houses; and restrict this district to houses of the better type. Any building constructed in Nyssa must be by permit issued by the city council; and several expressed themselves as having full confidence in the council to see that buildings constructed conformed to the neighborhood.

It was pretty much agreed among those at the hearing that if practically the entire town were placed under strict building rules as proposed by the Commission, it would act as a handicap to the growth of the town. While the city is not in the position of encouraging the building of so called "shacks," nevertheless if a man wishes to build a modest home, and is willing to comply with sanitary regulation and keep the premises in a creditable condition, and is building in a part of town suitable to everyone concerned; no handicap should be imposed by too strict building regulations.

The hearing was conducted to get the opinion of the citizens of Nyssa on zoning the city, and while the city council is not bound by law to accept the recommendations made Tuesday night; it is thought likely they will defer zoning action until a larger percentage of the public ask for it.

COLORED BOY PUTS ON ACT HERE THURSDAY

Folks downtown last Thursday afternoon were entertained by a small armless negro youth with some clever marble shooting and a constant flow of comments.

The boy used his left foot and toes to shoot with, displaying some marble shooting that was unusual to say the least. This skill was capitalized to the extent of several small coins, which he picked off the street with his toes, tossed them into the air and caught them in his shirt pocket.

SERVICES MONDAY FOR HYDER YOUNGSTER

Graveside funeral services were conducted Monday morning for the three months old infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Art Hyder, who passed away Saturday at the Chas. Leuck home from whooping cough. Mrs. Leuck had been caring for the child while the mother is in the Dixon home. Rev. White had charge of the services, with the Nyssa Funeral home making the arrangements.

EDITOR ON TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burke and daughters Josephine and Betty accompanied Beryn Burke Thursday morning on a trip to York, Nebraska. The elder Burkes are making their first visit there in 20 years. Mrs. Beryn Burke and children went as far as Wendell, Idaho where she will visit for the next ten days.

Building Booms As City Issues Permits Totaling \$27,480

BIG BEND TO CELEBRATE 5th WITH PROGRAM

A celebration is being planned at Big Bend Park on July 5th with a program of speaking, eating and sports to make it a lively day. Principal speaker will be the Hon. Paris Martin of Boise, who is scheduled to talk at 1:30.

Sports start off the day at 10 o'clock in the morning, with lunch at noon and speaking at 1:30. This will be followed by two ball games and dancing to the tunes of George Shurtliff and his 10 piece band to start at 4 in the afternoon and continue until a late hour.

WOMAN KILLED IN UNUSUAL ACCIDENT NEAR BAKER SUN.

Osa Blaylock and Jim Caldwell went to Baker Sunday to visit with Doug Benton for the day. Young Benton is working at a garage in Baker and helped bring in the automobiles which figured in the death of Mrs. Cornelia Mitchell of Baker early Sunday morning near Haines.

Mrs. Mitchell was injured when the car in which she was riding plunged from the highway, but after the occupants of the automobile had been given first aid treatment and were lying along the shoulder of the road awaiting the arrival of the ambulances, another automobile came long and smashed into the wrecked car, overturning it onto Mrs. Mitchell and threw the other injured into the borrow-pit.

Jim Caldwell and Osa Blaylock visited the scene of the wreck while in Baker.

Circus Coming Here July 6

Announcement of the showing here Tuesday, July 6 of Barney Bros. Circus has been hailed with delight by the juvenile element, while some of the "older boys" are already looking about for excuses to see the big show. They are saying they will take the children to the circus, but it takes a pretty old person not to enjoy a circus.

Many new and novel features will be seen in this year's program of the Barney Bros. Circus. Foremost of these will be the Flying Glenn Family, Guthrie Trio, daring and intrepid aerialists; the West Trio, dancing on a lofty wire; the Alpine Sisters, dainty and marvelous equilibrist; the Peerless Pottery, gymnasts; the Nelson Family, acrobats; Prof. F. Drydens "Funny Gang," and the two score educated Shetland ponies and monkeys.

The Clown Congress is a large one headed by Peter Nissen and Allen Kemp. Sam Rice, Andy Lewis and Valdo are also all in the "funny gang." In the menagerie will be seen Maxine, the largest elephant in captivity, bigger than the famed Jumbo.

There will be two performances, at 2 and 8 P. M. The doors open an hour earlier to permit a concert of popular and operatic music by Prof. Staltz and his military band.

SOFT BALL PLAYERS STAGE PRACTICE TILTS

While the second half of the softball league season will not open until after the 4th holidays, the teams have been taking advantage of the layoff to get in some excellent practice tilts. Last Thursday night the Beeler boys and the new team being organized played a practice game resulting in a 8 to 10 victory for the new team. Friday night the Journal team defeated the heretofore undefeated Shell team of Ontario by a 9 to 10 count.

Monday night the Safeway team nosed out the Journal team here by a score of 6 to 4 and Wednesday night the new team showed power in taking the Journal team into camp, 10 to 11.

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Boise Takes Sunday Game

Boise played errorless ball here Sunday to defeat the locals, 7 to 2; and also slammed out 13 hits to keep men on bases practically all the time. Nyssa was credited with 8 hits.

The team from the capitol jumped into the lead by scoring one run in the first inning; added two more in the third; brought in one more in the 5th; scored 2 in the 6th and Razor hit a home run in the 9th inning to bring their total to 7 runs. Nyssa's only scoring was in the 7th when Young, Servoss and Dean Johnston hit safely and two runners crossed home plate.

It was a big day at bat for catchers, with John Young leading the hitting for both teams with 3 safe hits out of 4 times at bat. Razor, Boise receiver hit a home run in the 9th, a triple in the 6th and singled in the 1st for three safe hits out of 5. Nishioka flashy Boise second sacker and Hobbs of Boise were also credited with three safeties out of five trips to the plate.

The score: R. H. E. Boise 7 13 0 Nyssa 2 8 4 Batteries: Rene and Razor; Johnston and Young.

Other Results

Payette defeated Weiser 13 to 8; Vale took Emmett 11 to 5; and Ontario nosed out Caldwell 7 to 6. Frank Rambaud of Nyssa pitched the final inning for Ontario after the Caldwell players began to hit the offerings of Ault and pulled victory from the fire.

Next Game July 11

There are no more scheduled Idaho-Oregon League games until July 11 when Nyssa plays at Vale, Ontario at Payette, Emmett at Boise and Weiser at Caldwell.

EXPECT YOUNG BIRDS AT GAME FARM SOON

A shipment of from 1500 to 2000 young pheasants are expected to arrive at the game farm soon, and will be fed on the nice crop of sunflowers and rape growing on the farm. Enough fencing has been done to hold the birds until liberation time later in the year. The state game farm is located six miles north of Nyssa and a mile west and is made up of new lands under the Owyhee project.

GIRLS SOFTBALL TEAM TO PLAY HERE WED.

The Nyssa Girl's Softball team met with defeat to the tune of 17 to 6 Wednesday night when they met the Payette girl's team on the Payette field. A return game will be played here with the same team next Wednesday, July 7.

The Payette team defeated a team from New Plymouth last week by the score of 30 to 0.

Members of the local team are Mrs. Henry Carl, Jimmie Wump, Mrs. Roy Pounds, Hazel Chadwick, Mary Corn, Myrtle Booth, Annie Yates, Mrs. John Bowen, Mrs. Klaus Tensen, Hilda Pompe and Ruby Wells.

W. C. T. U. TO MEET JULY 6 AT NORRIS'S

The W. C. T. U. will hold their next regular meeting on Tuesday July 6th at the home of Mrs. Lonnie Norris. Mrs. Rees Byram will be in charge of devotionals.

Nyssa's Water System Bettered By New Pump

Workmen Install Pump Tuesday Night — Capacity Almost Doubled.

An addition to Nyssa's water system was made Tuesday night when workmen installed a new centrifugal water pump which boosts Nyssa's drinking water into the big tank at the rate of 320 gallons per minute. The former pump, which was replaced Tuesday by the new installation boosted the water at a rate of between 175 and 200 gallons to the minute and was hard pressed to keep the tank full during hot weather.

E. M. Greig, pump man of Ontario had the contract for the installation and he was assisted by G. H. Irwin, electrician; and Hawk Brothers, plumbers. The men started work at midnight Tuesday and were ready to cut off the water supply at two o'clock Wednesday morning. By working at top speed the new outfit was in place and started pumping at six o'clock Wednesday morning.

Besides providing a more abundant supply of water for domestic and irrigation purposes, the new pump is also invaluable in case of fire. Water can be boosted into the big tank nearly twice as fast as formerly; and not the least of the improvement is an automatic system which automatically cuts the water off when the tank is full. When the water level drops three feet, the pump starts again and pumps the tank full.

Under the setup now, the pump installed last summer pumps water from the ground into the settling tank at the rate of 320 gallons per minute. The new pump boosts it into the high tank at the same rate which makes it possible for Nyssa to consume 320 gallons of water per minute without taxing the system. In addition the new Allis-Chalmers pump is rated at 16 horse power while the old Byron-Jackson used 19.6 horse power. Over a period of time the saving in power costs will run into important money.

Four Injured In Auto Wreck

A bad smashup occurred Tuesday evening when a car driven by Glen Brookhart of Wilder and Barclay Wilson collided six miles north of Nyssa on the Nyssa-Ontario highway. Wilson was entering the highway from the east while the other machine was traveling the main highway. Glen Brookhart of Wilder was the worse hurt of four taken to the Ontario hospital for treatment. He was cut about the head while his companions, Durwood Turner and S. J. Brummett were badly shaken up in the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Freeman of Nyssa happened along a few minutes after the smashup, coming toward Nyssa; and they turned around and rushed the four injured to Ontario. Barclay Wilson was also taken for treatment; but all four were released from the hospital Wednesday morning.

Both cars were badly wrecked. Wilson was driving a Ford sedan and Brookhart was driving a Ford coupe. The other occupants of the Wilson car were unhurt.

FORMER APPLE VALLEY RESIDENTS RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Brown and family, who left Apple Valley last fall for Monmouth, Oregon, where they have since made their home for the benefit of Mr. Brown's health, returned to Wilder the forepart of last week. Mr. Brown is looking and feeling much improved.

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July 8—Wool Growers meet in Ontario.
July 9—Malheur County 4-H club picnic in Vale.