

# The Gate City Journal

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## It Happened In Nyssa Years Ago

Interesting bits of history gleaned from the files of years ago.

From The Gate City Journal July 9, 1920

Jack McConnell has returned from Chicago after chaperoning a band of his woolies to the windy city.

Bill Toombs is substituting for Tom Johnson this week as temporary deliveryman for the Nyssa Trading Company.

Thomas C. Johnson and Miss Merle Leuck, both of Nyssa were married at the home of the groom's brother at Ontario last Sunday afternoon. Rev. George Ward of the Nazarene Church of Ontario performed the ceremony.

B. W. Rice of Caldwell is advocating the establishment of a line of freight boats to haul produce from Nampa to Nyssa on the Snake River. He claims the project would pay well.

Lawrence Brothers of the Gate City Garage are erecting a small dwelling house on Third St.

Mrs. Arthur Boydell left Tuesday for an extended visit with her parents at Butte, Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Megorden and family expect to leave next week for North Yakima where they will make their home.

From The Gate City Journal July 1, 1927

Alvin McGinnis and Violet Ada Blaylock were married in Boise on Friday last week.

Fred Woods, former old timer of Nyssa was in town looking after property interests.

The building on the corner of First and Good Ave., formerly occupied by the Malheur County Bank is undergoing a thorough renovation, preparatory to being fitted up for headquarters of the Owyhee Irrigation District.

The thirty mile stretch of road to the damsite which has been improved by the County and the Nyssa Commercial Club is nearing completion. The last ten miles to the dam was financed by the Commercial Club and the signs marking the road are ready to be placed.

Nyssa is proud of Charley Newbill who is pitching for the Idaho Falls team. He entered the baseball hall of fame when he hurled what is believed to be the first no hit, no run baseball game in the Utah-Idaho league against the Twin Falls Bruins.

A pretty wedding was solemnized Saturday evening, June 11 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Thomson of Emmett, former Nyssa resident, when their daughter Blanche Glendilla became the bride of Charles Emmett Kester.

Messrs. J. Boydell, J. J. Sarazin, A. H. Boydell, A. B. Nedry with their wives and families enjoyed a family picnic Sunday at Sucker Creek Canyon.

### No Police Dog

There is no recognized breed known as a police dog, says an authority. What is commonly called a police dog is a German shepherd—the correct name for the big, intelligent breed of shepherd that experienced such a popularity rise after the war.

### Dull Headaches Gone Simple Remedy Does It

Headaches caused by constipation are gone after one dose of Adierka. This cleans poisons out of BOTH upper and lower bowels. Ends bad sleep, nervousness. The Nyssa Pharmacy.—Adv.

## NEWS OF RECORD

### Real Estate Transfers Recorded

D. G. Loveland et ux to Adla Deardorff, 10 acres in Lot 1, Sec. 11-17-47, 5, 17, 37, \$650.

C. W. Glenn, Sheriff to Frank N. Van Petten, Lots 16 and 17, Bk 4, Villa Park Add to Ontario, 6, 12, 37, \$128.00.

Clarice J. Fiegler to Joseph R. Fiegler, all interest in Lots 14 and 15, Block 72, Ontario, 2, 13, 37, \$1.

Mabel Jane Blackwell et vir to Donald M. Wiseman et ux, Lots 36 and 37, Block 6, Villa Park Add to Ontario, 5, 22, 37, \$10.

C. W. Glenn, Sheriff to Ida B. Gordon, S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 4-19-44, 4, 23, 37, \$9,100.

Mrs. Maud McGinnis et vir to Lila Nellie Sherwood, Lot 4, Block 36, Park Add. to Nyssa, 10, 23, 36, \$10. Q C Deed.

C. W. Glenn, Sheriff to R. C. Nickens, Lots 4 and 5, Sec 7; Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, Sec. 18-21-47, 11, 9, 35, \$33.75.

R. C. Nickens et ux to Robert S. Grant, Jr., Lots 4 and 5, Sec. 7; Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, Sec. 18-21-47, 12, 20, 35, \$90.

J. N. Jones et ux to Bernice Platt Administratrix, Lot 2, Sec 1-21-37; E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 7-21-38; NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 16-20-38; S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 5; E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 8; S $\frac{1}{2}$  Sec. 16; SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 21; NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 28-20-39, 7, 29, 35, \$1. (Q C Deed)

C. W. Glenn, Sheriff to J. R. Blackaby Lots 11, 12, and 13, Block 65; Lots 1 to 7, inc, Block 189 Ontario, 6, 12, 37, \$92.20.

C. W. Glenn, Sheriff to Wentworth H. Moss S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 8-18-46, 6, 12, 37, \$83.60.

J. E. Dunlap, et ux to Frank T. Morgan, Lots 9 and 10, Block 11, Nyssa, 11, 7, 34, \$100.

Irene H. Stokes to Ed Love et ux Lots 4, 5, and 6, Block 64, Ontario 4, 9, 37, \$100.

Harry Looney et al to Guy C. Wise, Lots 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24, Block 5 G Pioneer Add to Jordan Valley, 6, 22, 37, \$10.

Tay Wade Zutz et vir to W. W. McFall, Lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, Block 7, Vale, 6, 12, 37, \$10.

L. H. Meyers to Millie E. Meyers, Lots 1 to 15, inc, and Lots 29 to 34, inc, Block 4; and Lots 26 and 27, Block 3 Riverside Add to Ontario, 6, 9, 37, \$1. (Q C Deed).

City of Ontario to George B. Henly, Lots 9, 10, and 11, Block 2, Villa Park Add to Ontario, 8, 25, 36, \$150.

Mary B. Hyde et vir to Ernest M. Hauser et ux Lots 4, 5, and S $\frac{1}{2}$  of Lot 3, Block 129, Ontario, 5, 17, 37, \$10.

City of Ontario to Consolidated Freight Lines, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, Block 85, Ontario, 1, 6, 36, \$500.

C. W. Glenn, Sheriff to Federal Land Bank S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 16-18-47, 6, 14, 37, \$7,401.96.

United States to Richard L. Munger, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 4-30-46, 4, 6, 1895.

United States to Richard L. Munger, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 4-30-46, 11, 3, 1891.

United States to D. D. Munger SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 4-30-46, 8, 1, 1883.

Ontario Investment and Development Co. to Consolidated Freight Lines, Inc., Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, Block 85, Ontario, 6, 15, 37, \$1. (Q C Deed).

Malheur County to Eastern Oregon Land Co. SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 21-15-42, 6, 16, 37, \$13.50.

Malheur Land Co. to Charles S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 16-15-42, 5, 28, 37, \$1.

Malheur County to Charles P. Fiegel, all So. of highway in S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 16-15-42, 6, 16, 37, \$99.35.

Chas. P Fiegel et ux to Eastern Oregon Land Co. all So. of highway in S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 16-15-41, 6, 21, 37, \$1.

Joseph C. Cowgill et ux to Thomas R. Cowgill SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 5; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Lots 3 and 4 Sec. 6; N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 7-30-46; W $\frac{1}{2}$  Sec. 31 SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 22-28-46, 8, 12, 33, \$6,000. Q C Deed).

## KINGMAN KOLONY

By MRS. C. E. ELLIOTT

Mrs. Thompson of Weiser has been a guest of Mrs. W. L. Schaffer this week. Friday Mrs. Schaffer and Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Alvon Schaffer called in the Oscar Schaffer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ashcraft and son Dick were Boise visitors Friday. A special meeting of the HEC was held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Conrad Martin. The purpose of this meeting being to make arrangements for the lunch used at the Pomona Grange July 22. Mrs. Andrew Boersma of the Oregon Trail Grange was present and spoke to the Kinkman ladies concerning the different activities being carried on at Oregon Trail.

The first crop of hay is all in the stack much to the relief of the farmers. Miss Melba Fyle from Rexburg, Idaho arrived at the home of her aunt Mrs. Dale Ashcraft Thursday. She expects to spend a month here.

Rev. Chandler of Caldwell visited in Kingman Wednesday evening. He had with him Rev. Eckelberger who preached the evening service. Mr. and Mrs. Eckelberger and small son will remain in Kingman throughout the summer and held regular services there.

Mrs. Floyd Zesiger has gone to Weiser where she will stay with Mrs. Carl Adams. Kenneth Bach and Mrs. Lilly Bach motored to Prairie City Friday for a visit with Walter Bach and family, returning Tuesday.

Mr. Kenneth Bach has been chosen to enter the Naval Air Corps and will go to Oakland for a six weeks training. From there he will go on to Pensacola, Florida for additional training.

The regular meeting of the Pig Club was held at the home of Kenneth Elliot on Friday. Mr. Hauser was present and gave a lesson on judging.

**First for Iced Foods**  
Americans were the first persons in the world to use iced foods and to drink iced water.

## Newell Heights

The ladies club, Modern Pioneer Women, met with Mrs. Bill Harris on Tuesday afternoon. The few hours spent in sewing a layette for the county health association. The expense was defrayed by the ladies. Mrs. Maurice Judd spent from Monday until Thursday at Portland going as a delegate to the meeting of the state P. T. A. Mrs. Judd is the first vice president of Malheur County association. While there she visited at the home of a room mate of hers when the two attended school at Corvallis as young ladies. This was their first visit in eleven years.

Mrs. Lester Goulet and children visited near Nyssa at the Boersma home and at the Sid Flannigan home north west of the Owyhee on Wednesday afternoon. Mesdames Lou Eachus, H. E. McLaughlin and M. L. Kurtz with their small children made a trip to Caldwell on Thursday.

A pea picking crew was busy on the Pike Walker 40 acres of peas three days last week. He had very good returns for new land peas. The plans are to pick the acreage over thrice more. Due to the kindness of Mr. Walker several housewives were busy the latter part of the week canning peas.

The two Goulet families and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Denny took a drive over the Sunny Slope country looking for cherries but most everyone finds that products too high for canning.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Eachus and son spent Sunday afternoon in Nyssa with relatives.

The mothers of small children of the project took their children to the clinic at Nyssa Tuesday morning when a toxoid was given for diphtheria.

The young folks of the neighborhood attended a surprise party in the Kolony given in honor of the birthday anniversary of Wade Nichols.

The Goulet boys have purchased a new binder about a week ago.

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**FACTS ABOUT NYSSA**

Population (1930)	621
Recent Estimates	1400
Elevation	2188

**City Officers**  
Mayor Don M. Graham  
Councilmen Al Thompson, Leslie McClure, Berwyn Burke, Sid Burbidge  
City Clerk A. R. Miller  
City Treasurer Lewis Wiltshire  
Marshall A. V. Cook  
Watermaster N. H. Pinkerton  
Fire Chief Wm. Schireman  
Health Officer Dr. J. J. Sarazin

**County Officers**  
County Judge David F. Graham  
Commissioners Ora Clark, L. P. Peterson  
Sheriff C. W. Glenn  
County Clerk Harry Sackett  
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  
School board; Mrs. E. C. Wilson, chairman; C. L. McCoy, Fred Koopman, Dwight Smith, Clerk.

**Facts About Owyhee Project**  
Principal Products—Hay, sugar beets, corn, dairying, stock raising, grains, clover seed, potatoes, peas lettuce, onions, fruits and berries.

Cost of Owyhee Dam	\$6,000,000
7 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles of Tunnel	\$4,000,000
Siphons, canals, etc.	\$3,000,000
Owyhee dam storage capacity	715,000 acre feet
Height of dam	520 feet
From lowest point of foundation to top	
Leading project city, Nyssa, Oregon	
Elevation of land	2,250 to 2,500
Acres in Owyhee project, 100,000 acres	
Principal products	hay, corn, dairying, stock raising, grains, potatoes, clover seed, peas, lettuce, onions and carrots.

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Mrs. A. V. Pruyn Sec

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**TAKE CARE TO MAKE IT A HAPPY HOLIDAY—**  
**THE "Glorious Fourth" can be just as glorious as we choose to make it.** This year the long week-end created by the holiday will intensify the hazards which the Fourth always produces. The watchword should be, "Take Care!"  
Independence Day celebrates the independence of a nation. The coming week-end will demonstrate vividly the modern interdependence of people. Great streams of traffic pouring over the highways will show how essential are mutual regard and courtesy among drivers. Fireworks will demonstrate it too. A "firecracker thrown by another" is, according to the National Conservation Bureau, the greatest single cause of the tremendous number of fireworks accidents every Fourth of July. At the beaches and lakes, imprudent swimmers will remind us that human life must be risked to save the life of a drowning person.

Make this a safe and sane Fourth by taking proper precautions. If you drive—see that your car is in good mechanical condition. Check tires, lights, brakes, steering mechanism, windshield wiper, rear-view mirror and horn. Drive at a reasonable speed and with courtesy toward the other fellow. Observe the rules of the road.

If you use fireworks—give yourself plenty of space. Keep away from children, animals and buildings. Throw firecrackers away from people and inflammable materials, not at them. Never hold an exploding firecracker in the hands. Don't be the cause of an accident that will make you remember the 4th as a day of sorrow and misgivings.