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Beet Growers Elect Officers Of Association

Beet growers of the Snake river valley met in Nyssa Tuesday afternoon and organized the Nyssa Beet Growers Association. Ray G. Larsen, county agent acted as temporary chairman of the meeting.

All beet growers in the Snake river valley are eligible for membership in the new association, which will meet once a month, at the call of the President.

The association will aim to further the interests of the sugar beet growers through the negotiating favorable contracts and effective legislation.

Those elected to hold office are Charles Marshall, Nyssa for President, Tom Harris, Payette, Idaho, vice-president, the office of secretary was left vacant to be filled by the executive committee, which is composed of William Hogg, Home-dale, William M. Carson, Weiser and Charles Garrison, Nyssa.

The new association will put on an extensive campaign for new members in the near future.

C. C. C. CAMP GETS HIGH RATING AT RECENT INSPECTION

Special Investigator Bowen, from the office of Director Robert C. Fechner, visited Camp BR-43 (Nyssa) on June 28 and after a thorough inspection of the camp and personnel, spent the night at the Officer's club.

Major Jones, district commander of the Boise district joined Mr. Bowen on his tour of inspection and both expressed satisfaction at the excellent condition in which they found the camp.

Mr. Bowen was particularly impressed with the new Educational building, the infirmary and the mess hall.

After the visitors left Lieutenant Liehtblau, commanding officer, called a meeting of the entire company and thanked the men for their cooperation, which made this most favorable inspection report possible.

S. D. MURRAY SEES FUTURE FOR NYSSA

Up to a few years ago when he retired and had his home at Gering, Neb., prospecting and mining have been the principal occupation of S. D. Murray, who has been a guest at the Star Hotel the past month. He left last night on the 9 o'clock train for Nampa where he spent the evening, leaving this morning for McCall where he will devote the next month to fishing and watching the movie people produce the picture, "The Northwest Passage."

"Just where I will go from McCall I haven't decided," he told a Journal reporter yesterday. "But I have planned to spend the coming winter in San Diego."

Years ago when Murray severed home ties and set out for himself he first settled in western Montana. It was there that the sight of hundreds of men in the quest of gold decided the young man's future occupation.

"I followed mining and prospecting for many years," Murray said yesterday. "My experience embracing the vast territory from northern British Columbia down into Old Mexico. Two Montana miners went with me into Old Mexico, we staking out claims on a creek about 20 miles from Cananea. That was in 1901. Not unearthing anything of real worth in two years, we pulled up stakes and settled in northern Prescott. We had the same experience we had in Old Mexico for the next two years and then we decided to separate."

That was in 1906. Since then up to a few years ago, the fascination of prospecting for gold has called Murray into all the main mountain ranges in the great Pacific west.

His farms near Gering, Neb., are now his sole occupation.

"I think, after a month's vacation the region around Nyssa is one of the very richest agricultural sections in the United States," Murray said, "and is particularly adapted to diversified farming. The yield, judging by the growing crops, will be enormous. There can be no failure of crops under irrigation. It seems to me prosperous times are ahead for the farmers here this fall, one of the principal returns being from the sugar beet crop."

Son Visits—

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Haycock from the dam visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Haycock over Tuesday and Wednesday.

Guests Leaves—

Albert Mattson who has been stopping at the Tom Nordales left on Sunday for his home on Free-waier.

SALES YARD TO OPEN FINEST PAVILION IN SNAKE RIVER VALLEY

Saturday will mark the opening of one of the finest and largest sales yards in the valley, when the Nyssa Sales Commission company will move the old sales yard to their new location at the south end of Second street in Nyssa.

Affiliated with the company are J. L. Moore, H. P. Moore, and J. R. Grant. J. L. Moore will act as the manager of the company as well as assist H. P. Moore in auctioneering the sales.

A pavilion has been erected that will seat at least 600 persons, this building will be used for the sale of household goods and furniture. Stock pens will also be provided for stock. Rail facilities will also be provided for shippers.

STATE SCHOOL FUND COST PER PUPIL LOWER THIS YEAR

SALEM, Ore.—The state's contribution toward the support of its common schools this year will amount to only \$1.20 for each child on the school census roll, according to Lewis Griffith, clerk of the state land board. This money represents interest earnings of the irreducible school fund. Last year's apportionment amounted to \$1.32 per capita. Lewis predicts that next year's apportionment will be still smaller.

Malheur County Republicans Hold Meeting In Vale

Malheur county Republicans held their first meeting of the year at Vale, last Saturday.

The meeting was called to order by the retiring chairman, Otto Leuhra, with Otis Smith, Ontario attorney acting as secretary. Among those present for the meeting were ten of the duly elected precinct committeemen and committeewomen.

The election of officers and mapping out of an election program was the main feature of the meeting.

Those elected as officers, all by unanimous vote, were, for chairman, Otis Smith; vice-chairman, Irene Gilchrist; secretary, Benacia Mendive; treasurer, Fred Confield; state central committeeman, C. M. Crandall; Congressional committeeman, J. D. Billingsley. Those elected officers will also act as the executive committee was given power to fill any vacancies now existing or that may exist, during their term of office. Virgil B. Staples, incumbent state representative, was present and gave a short talk, and thanked those that worked for his nomination in the May primaries.

Also present at the meeting was the Republican candidate for District Attorney of Malheur county, Max S. Taggart, Nyssa attorney. Mr. Taggart made a strong plea for a concerted effort on the part of those present to continue to fight to keep the Republican party the leading party of the country, and to work, as in the past for, a fair deal for all the people.

No doubt was left in the minds of spectators but what the Republicans of this county will put up a real fight to maintain the Republican leadership in the county government.

Martin (Buck) Gallagher, Ontario attorney was present and asked for active co-operation from the central committee in the formation of a young Republican organization.

The meeting was adjourned, to meet again at the call of the chairman.

Leave on Vacation—

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fox left on June 30 for a trip through the mid-west where they will visit relatives and friends.

On Fishing Trip—

Lloyd, Robert and Calvin Wilson, and Stanley Ray left Saturday for a few days fishing on the North Fork.

Visiting From Ontario—

Mrs. S. P. Ryan was visiting Mrs. C. L. McCoy and Mrs. Ike Brown on Wednesday.

Parents Visit—

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Latture of Caldwell spent the Fourth with Leslie McClures.

Daughters Family Visits—

Mr. and Mrs. L. Homer and their family of Burley visited at the parental George Haycock home over the holidays.

Weeks Vacation—

Ed Dilly of the Idaho Power company is spending the week with his father and sister from Wilder visiting other relatives in Leadore Idaho.

WILL MEET BOURBONS OF MALHEUR COUNTY



James Farley, Postmaster General

Charles Cox, postmaster of Ontario, has completed plans for a noonday reception to be held in Ontario at the Moore hotel, on Thursday, July 14, at 12:30 p. m., in honor of Postmaster General James A. Farley.

Invited guests to the reception are Congressman Walter M. Pierce Willis Mahoney, Democrat nominee for the United States Senator and Henry L. Hess, gubernatorial nominee.

JUSTICE COURT HOLDS TWO FOR GRAND JURY

Justice of the Peace W. J. Williams had a full calendar, Wednesday afternoon when he held preliminary hearings on two felony cases and disposed of one slot machine case.

First to be brought before the Judge was Emmett Johnson, alias Frank Murphy, charged with larceny. Johnson's arrest came through the quick wittedness of Mrs. A. V. Cook, wife of the chief of police, when she saw Johnson take three dress shirts from the Wilson Brothers Department store. Mrs. Cook followed Johnson out into the street and called to Mayor Don Graham, informing him of what had taken place. Mayor Graham put Johnson under arrest and turned the prisoner over to Kenneth Langton, deputy marshal, who escorted Johnson to the city jail.

At the hearing, Johnson pleaded not guilty and was bound over to the grand jury, with bail set at \$500. The grand jury will meet in September.

Next prisoner to be heard was Leroy O. Bettes charged with forgery of a check on C. E. Graves. Bettes pleaded not guilty to the charge and was bound over to the grand jury or the circuit court.

Judge Williams assessed a fine of \$10 and \$5 cost against G. L. Smith for the possession of a slot machine.

Deputy district attorney Anthony Yturri was the prosecutor, in all three cases.

WARNING ISSUED ON VACCINE USED FOR BANGS DISEASE

SALEM—Dairymen who inoculate their herds with live organism vaccine in the hope of curing bovine bangs disease will lose their market for raw milk for human consumption, according to a warning just issued by the State Department of Agriculture.

The preparation is advertised as a cure for bangs disease and department representatives have found some dairymen using it recently says Dr. W. H. Tyle, state veterinarian. Financial loss has resulted.

County veterinarians are compelled by law to serve notice on the owners of herds vaccinated with the live organism that the milk produced cannot be sold for human consumption. In addition, herds vaccinated are not eligible for Federal and state testing and indemnity payments within a period of one and one-half years after inoculation.

Most animals which have been recently vaccinated with the preparation will show up as reactors, according to officials. Some even react permanently.

Visitors From Condon—

Dr. and Mrs. R. V. Hanneman of Condon Oregon visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Fry on Sunday and over the Fourth. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Pryor and family and Arthur Foster also of Condon were their house guests.

U. S. SUPREME COURT TO HEAR TEACHERS RETIREMENT ACT

SALEM, Ore.—The fight against the Oregon teachers' retirement act has been carried up to the United States supreme court. The Oregon supreme court in a recent opinion in a suit brought by A. A. Campbell and others against the Portland school board, held the act to be constitutional. The act which provides for the automatic retirement of teachers upon reaching the age of 65 years now applies only to Portland and Salem but there has been talk of a move to make its application state-wide.

SALEM, Ore.—Oregon's liquor control law will never be liberalized in the opinion of Austin Fiegel, attorney for the Oregon Liquor Control Board. Speaking before the state convention of Food and Beverage dispensers in session here Fiegel warned that any attempt to liberalize the control law was bound to react to the detriment of the liquor interests.

MALHEUR COUNTY SHOWS LARGEST LIST ON RELIEF

SALEM, Ore.—Twenty-nine out of every 1000 residents of Oregon were on the relief rolls during May, Elmer Goudy, executive secretary of the state relief committee reported to Governor Martin. Thirty-seven percent of these were on direct relief and 57 percent were old age pensioners. The remainder were dependent children, and blind pensioners. Malheur county has the highest percentage of direct relief cases with 58 out of every 1000 inhabitants on the relief rolls. Sherman county with only seven relief per 1000 inhabitants foots the list.

BAND WILL GIVE OPEN AIR CONCERT NEXT WEDNESDAY

The Nyssa City Band will give a public, open air band concert next Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. This will be the first of a series of concerts to be given by the band and will be held next to Nyssa's new city hall.

It is contemplated to erect a band stand for the musicians.

SEED DEALERS COOPERATING IN PROPER LABELLING

SALEM—The state Department of Agriculture announced this week that continued vigorous enforcement of the new Oregon seed law would be a major center of its regulatory work during the next few months.

Tabulations of the first three months of sampling and testing of seed lots on the Oregon market have shown a high percentage of mislabeling which, officials declare, constitutes the major enforcement problem at present. Labels must be correct in order to protect the farmer of agricultural, vegetable and turf seeds, they say. Wholesale distributors of these seeds have promised active co-operation in the drive to raise the standards of seed and meet the legal labeling requirements.

Of 164 samples which had been taken by State Department of Agriculture district representatives during the period, more than 54 percent were found to be mislabeled in regard to the amount of noxious weed seeds present. In 37 percent of the cases, germination was below the percentage specified on the labels.

Vacationing—

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leuck left on Wednesday for a two weeks trip to the coast.

In Burley—

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Gudmundson spent Wednesday and Thursday in Burley.

Visits Sister—

Miss Flora May Wimp has been visiting her sisters family in Cody, Wyo., for the past ten days but is expected home by the end of the week.

New Daughter—

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Fox a daughter on Wednesday, July 6. Dr. J. J. Sarazin was in attendance and reports that mother and babe are both doing nicely.

A Son Is Born—

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Owens are announcing the birth of a son, born to them on July 3. Dr. J. J. Sarazin attended and mother and child are in fine condition.

CAPITOL BUILDING OPENED TO PUBLIC LAST SATURDAY

SALEM, Ore.—The taxpayers who footed the bill for the new building got their first chance to inspect Oregon's new \$2,500,000 state building Saturday afternoon.

More than 5000 persons took advantage of the opportunity offered by the "open house" program to spend an hour or more exploring the spacious hallways, exclaiming over the magnificence of the legislative chambers, going into raptures over the myrtle wood lined room that will be the governor's private office and sparing a few moments to inspect the private shower baths that have been installed in the offices of the secretary of state and state treasurer.

A parade participated in by the Salem Cherrians, Newberg Berrians and Portland Rosarians and a dozen bands and drum and bugle corps preceded the program at the capitol at which Governor Martin declared that completion of the state house "demonstrates anew Oregon's ability to turn adversity into triumph."

Frank Branch Riley, noted lecturer, described the building as "one of the most beautiful structures in America." Four states and one territory had contributed material for its construction, he pointed out. The marble for the exterior of the building came from Vermont. The interior is decorated with marble from Montana and granite from California, Arkansas and Alaska.

Dr. Bruce Baxter, president of Willamette university, who presided as chairman, declared that "this day will remain a most significant one in the history of Oregon."

Nyssa and Weiser Tangle Sunday On Local Diamond

Nyssa will open their second half home stand against Weiser Sunday July 10 on the local field. Nyssa defeated Weiser in the first half at Weiser 4 to 1 but a hard game is expected as Jess Barnes, former New York Giant player, and manager of the Weiser team has strengthened his crew and they are considered a dark horse team for the second half championship. The main cause for the rise of the Weiser team has been the addition of Ralph Takami, six foot Japanese hurler who pitched for the Oregon State college team for the past two years and last year was chosen on the All-Star college team. He will take the mound for Weiser against either Rambaud or Dean Johnston.

Hashitani, flashy Nyssa outfielder, has been the heavy hitter for the locals during the first half flag race hitting at a .467 clip. Guy Bush and Tommy Belita, second and shortstop respectively, have been instrumental in cutting down the opposition with their fast fielding and double plays. To date they lead the league in double killings, having completed eleven.

Nyssa entered in the tournament at Vale during the Fourth of July holidays but met defeat at the hands of Vale 8 to 3 when the Nyssa infield went beserk in the last inning to allow the Vale team to score 5 runs and take the game.

The final playoff between Boise and Nyssa for the first half championship has not been definitely settled as yet but it will probably be played on a Sunday near the end of the second half season.

On Vacation—

Miss Charlena Crawford is on her vacation from the postoffice and is visiting her sister, Mrs. Oswald Forbes in Portland. Mrs. Dwight Smith is relieving her at the post-office during the vacation period this year.

Spend Fourth in Baker—

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Powell spent the Fourth in Baker, while Mrs. Mary Morris spent the day with her daughter Mrs. Theo. Moore in Ontario and Tommy Morris went with Mr. Moore on the fishing trip above Prairie City.

Entertain on the Fourth—

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McClure entertained her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Rehngren and other relatives from Caldwell on the Fourth.

Two boys this past week have been unlucky enough to break an arm.

The first to have to pay a visit to Dr. J. J. Sarazin with a broken member was Raymond Norland of Apple Valley who reported in on Thursday evening and now is reported to be mending nicely.

The second was Patrick son of Don Linville who received his injury on Tuesday and is also in Al condition.

Council Creates Special Funds; Sewer Paid For

Special funds were created last Tuesday night for future improvement districts in the city, by the city council. In the past funds have been drawn from the general fund for these improvements, and on suggestion of city attorney Fletcher the change to special funds was made. Funds may still be transferred from the general funds but each special fund receiving this transfer will be charged for the amount collected and as money is received on the improvements, will re-imburse the general fund.

Mr. J. W. Hardin received the final payment on his contract for the construction of sewer district number 2. Total cost of this improvement is \$3987.76, which includes all material, engineering and construction costs.

The contract for the new pump was signed by the Mayor. This pump will be installed in the new well, recently drilled.

Need for this new well was shown when it was brought out that 1581 feet of water extension pipe was laid during the month of June.

Chief of Police A. V. Cook in his report for June, showed that there had been 20 arrests made with \$128 assessed in fines by Judge M. F. Solomon, in the recorders court. In addition to the fines, the city received the benefit of 456 hours of work from prisoners, who failed to pay for fines levied by the court.

The Idaho Power company will receive written thanks for the promptness in which that company restored electrical service, when the sub-station caught on fire two weeks ago.

CELEBRATE OPENING OF EDUCATIONAL BUILDING AT CAMP

Company 1271, C. C. C. celebrated the opening of their new Educational building last Saturday, by holding a field day, dance and doughnut and coffee party.

In the new educational building will be the library, machine shop, industrial arts, and will have two class rooms and a typing room.

Lt. ROLAND ONFFROY COMMANDS TROOP TRAIN TO CAMP DIX

Lieutenant Roland T. Onffroy, former commander of the local C. C. C. camp, and ten enrollees of company 1271, left on a troop train, June 23 for Camp Dix, N. J. On boarding the troop train, the lieutenant assumed the responsibilities of train commander which was transporting 279 men to the eastern camp.

During Lieutenant Onffroy's absence Lieutenant Liehtblau will be the new commander of the camp.

DR. ABBOTT RETURNS FROM MASONIC CONVENTION

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Abbott, Mrs. Arvilla Fauchier and Mrs. Fred Schneider have returned from a trip to the west coast. While in Portland Dr. Abbott attended the annual session of the Masonic Grand Lodge. Four hundred fifty delegates attended this session. Frank C. Howell was elected Grand Master for the coming year. At the annual banquet they were entertained by Ted Flo Rito, the world famous radio band leader, and his orchestra. The delegates were also guests at the Masonic and Eastern Star home where a sumptuous dinner was served.

While in Portland the Abbotts visited Senator and Mrs. B. C. Carney. Senator Carney was formerly a Methodist minister in Big Horn Wyoming and married Dr. and Mrs. Abbott 25 years ago. They also visited relatives in Head River and Oregon City and spent a week end with Dr. and Mrs. Long at their home in Salem. While there they called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beutler.

In Portland Dr. Abbott took a series of treatments of Dr. Downs and the day they were leaving for home was so unfortunate as to wrench his back severely in coming from a building.

They returned home by way of Depot Bay, Crescent City, Oregon Caves and Crater Lake.

Return From Vacation—

Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Seits have returned from a two weeks trip to the coast and Mrs. Seits is again at her station at the telephone office.

Visit Old Home—

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Glasgow of Ontario motored to Wyoming last week where they visited with relatives and old friends and brought their daughters home who had visited several weeks with their grandparents.