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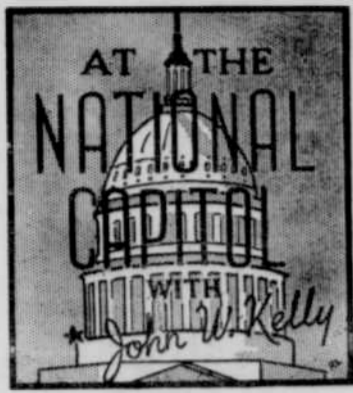
GATEWAY TO THE OWYHEE AND BLACK CANYON IRRIGATION PROJECTS
IN THE HEART OF OREGON'S SUGAR EMPIRE

Fastest Growing City In Oregon

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WASHINGTON, D. C.—They're scaring people around here unnecessarily. Gates to the White House have been changed shut and armed policemen stand there to shoot the throng of tourists away. Heretofore tourists could enter and wander around the grounds, feeding peanuts to the gray squirrels. That's out now. The famed East room of the White House, visited by several thousand tourists daily, is barred. Ropes and barricades are in the corridors of the sprawling capitol building to curb visitors. Even members of Congress have had to identify themselves to young law students who compose the capitol police. Last year these youths were unarmed; they were so green that it was not considered safe for them to carry weapons. They have been retrained. Guards at the doors of public buildings give the double-O to every man or woman entering the place. The policeman watching the faded Constitution and Declaration turns gimlet eyes on visitors scanning the documents as though he expected someone to steal the papers and ruin the country by leaving it minus the Constitution. Knots of women wander through senate and house office buildings carrying small American flags and banners with the legend "Keep us out of war." If the group of women is too large, the police break them up and order them to stop screaming.

Japanese Trade Favored

In the midst of their deliberations on neutrality, members of Congress from western states are finding time to express their doubt as to the wisdom of abrogating the trade treaty with Japan, which has been mutually profitable since 1911. Department of commerce figures show that Japan is the largest purchaser of Pacific Northwest products and third largest buyer of American exports. The Pacific Northwest lumber industry will be especially hard hit if and when trade relations are finally severed, and already there is a movement afoot to bring about a re-opening of negotiations looking to the drafting of a new treaty. It will be pointed out that Japan has been careful to refrain from interfering with United States interests in China, that she has been progressively more important as an outlet for American wheat and flour, in addition to forest products, and that the cultivating of amicable trade relations with the Orient is essential to the prosperity of the entire western part of the United States.

Northwest Employment Up

Upward in employment in the Pacific Northwest, noted several weeks ago, continues. Industries (excluding building construction) in Washington state—1461 reporting—employed 56,481 in August, a five per cent increase over July, with a payroll of \$1,503,905, an increase of 11 per cent. In Oregon there were 630 establishments reporting to the department of labor and these employed 29,647 in August, an increase of 4.8 per cent, with a payroll of \$742,297, an increase of 14.2 per cent. Part of the increase was due to the canning season. It is worthy of note, however, that the payroll increase of 14.2 per cent in Oregon was the largest of any state in the union, with California second with 13.5 per cent increase. (Continued on Page 6, Col. 6)

Visit From Garden Valley—

On Friday Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Bowman of Garden Valley visited at the Emil Stunz home.

THE WEATHER

Following is the weather report as given at the Nyssa office of the U. S. bureau of reclamation.

Date	Low	High
Sept. 21	47	86
Sept. 22	46	91
Sept. 23	44	89
Sept. 24	55	87
Sept. 25	45	86
Sept. 26	39	86
Sept. 27	47	87

Acre feet of water at the dam 371,600

RULE ON STORAGE OF PHEASANTS

Hunters who contemplate the storage of the pheasants in any storage plant, are cautioned that the head of the bird must be left on, according to L. T. (Doc) Marshall, owner of the Polar cold storage and locker plant.

Marshall said that he was looking forward to a heavy demand for lockers in his plant, which has been designated as an official game tagging station, by the Oregon State Game commission.

Co-operation of pheasant hunters was asked by Marshall in complying with the law requiring that all pheasants stored must have the head on.

SLOPE GRANGE TO ENTERTAIN CLUB

The Oregon Slope Grange will entertain the Payette Kiwanis club at the first meeting of the Grange in November, which is November 2.

A booster program on Saturday September 30, will start at 8:30 p. m. This will be an open meeting and all Grangers and the public are invited to attend, according to Mrs. C. A. Ketcham, publicity chairman for Oregon Slope Grange.

KOLONY TEACHER RECEPTION GIVEN

The Kolony P. T. A. gave a reception for their teachers Thursday evening. The program included a group of musical numbers by a mixed quartet and a short skit with the following people taking part: Messrs. Ernest Tetwiler, J. G. Lane, Wade Nichols, James Nichols, Arthur Case and Claud Patterson. A pantomime with Mrs. Roland, Emily Otis and Arlene Peterson taking parts. After the program Mr. Dennis Patch, superintendent of the union high school, gave a short talk, after which he introduced his teachers. Mr. McPartland then introduced the grade school teachers. The social committee served coffee, punch and cake.

Teachers introduced included principal of the high school Dennis Patch and Mrs. Patch; teacher of science and band Frank de Lespinasse and Mrs. deLespinasse; athletic coach Claude Cook and Mrs. Cook; teacher in English, Mrs. Genevieve Watts; commercial teacher Miss Molstrum, and Miss June Clark instructress in home economics and physical education.

Record Number Of Deer Bagged

MRS. C. B. SHORT ONLY WOMAN TO REGISTER DEER SO FAR

Nyssa hunters are either mighty good shots, or have had exceptional luck in hunting deer this year.

Doc Marshall, owner of the Polar cold storage and locker plant, said today that there were 72 deer placed in his plant with an additional 30 that were left to cool out and have been taken away.

In the contest sponsored by Herman Towne, for the hunter bagging the largest and smallest spreads, W. H. Green has brought in the largest, with a spread of 38 1/2 inches, the second largest being bagged by George Eichner, whose deer had a 37 1/2 inch spread. The smallest spread goes to Ted Gorrell with a 14 1/2 inch.

Mrs. C. B. Short so far, takes the honors for the ladies, having brought in a buck with a spread of 36 1/2 inches.

Towne said that his safety campaign was meeting with a fine response from local hunters, 97 of them having registered at his garage, which entitles them to compete in the three prizes being offered. First prize is \$7.50, second prize \$3.50, for the largest and second largest spread. For the hunter bringing in the deer with the smallest spread, during the season, Towne is offering a high quality hunting knife.

Hunters wishing to enter the contest and receive one of the safety stickers, may do so without charge at the Towne Garage, located next to the Nyssa Theatre.

Trail Grange HEC

The Oregon Trail Grange Home Economics club will hold their next meeting Thursday, October 5, at the home of Mrs. E. L. Jamison, on Enterprise Avenue.

Visit From La Grande—Mr. and Mrs. John Greulich and Mrs. Francis Greulich of La Grande are guests of Mrs. C. L. McCoy.

Fall Festival Financial Success

FIRST ANNUAL FESTIVAL PAYS ALL EXPENSES

The first annual Nyssa Fall Festival after all premiums and bills were paid off, shows a balance of about \$25 on hand, according to a financial report rendered Wednesday by Heinz Sonnekke, treasurer of the committee.

Nyssa merchants and professional men contributed \$154.53, which went a long way toward making the Festival one of the finest ever held in Nyssa. Those contributing were:

Nyssa Civic club, Nyssa Chamber of Commerce, Atkeson Clothing Store, Owyhee Drug Store, Shelton Dairy, Frank T. Morgan, Baldrige Implement Co., Nyssa Packing Co., The Bank Club, Wilson Coffee Shop, Smoke Shop, Smith's Card Room, Olympic Club, Bob's Tavern, Rosebud, First National Bank, Idaho Power Co., Gamble Store, Thompson Oil Co., Herman Towne, Main's Cleaners, Wray's Dime Store, Golden Rule Store, Sinclair Cafe, Owyhee Barber Shop, Nordale Furniture Store, Owyhee Hotel, Eder Hardware, Miner Barber Shop, Dr. E. D. Norcott, Nyssa Bakery, Smith's Grocery, Chadwick's Cabs, Gate City Journal, Fox Service Station, Sio's Sandwich Shop, Nyssa Implement Co., Nyssa Pharmacy, The Nyssa Trader, Paulus Jewelry, Malheur Insurance Agency, Olsen Machine Shop, Dick Smith, Peggy's Pantry, Food Mart, Powell Service Station, Ed Prun, S. D. Goshert, Postmaster, Amalgamated Sugar Co., Al Thompson and Son, R. Cornell, City Transfer, Nyssa Electric, Wilson Bros., Lawrence Service, Norcott Service, Spring Valley Creamery, Polar Cold Storage and Locker Plant, Gate City Dairy and A. L. Fletcher.

THEATRE TICKETS FOR JOURNAL SUBSCRIBERS

Get out the old magnifying glass, Journal subscribers, and peer through the advertisements in this edition—your name may appear in one of them. If it does there are two tickets of admission to the Nyssa Theatre waiting for you at the Journal office.

It's really a lot of fun and you get the advantage of seeing one of the worthwhile pictures that are always shown at the Nyssa Theatre. Just remember please, that you must bring a sales slip from one of the Nyssa merchants advertising in this week's edition showing that you have made a purchase, the amount does not matter, so that your ticket may be validated. Claim your ticket before Saturday at 5 p. m.

SCHOOL EQUIPMENT ARRIVES FRIDAY

The long-delayed arrival of equipment for the Nyssa high school arrived last Friday and was installed Saturday and Sunday. The equipment consists of desks and chairs for the study hall, typing room and tables for the library, commercial room and agriculture room.

GUERNSEY SOLD TO NYSSA FARMER

MERIDIAN, Ida.—A registered Guernsey bull has recently been sold by D. H. Blair to Jesse Sugg of Nyssa, Oregon. This animal is Ferdinand of Hagerman 271652 according to the American Guernsey Cattle Club, Peterborough, N. H.

P.U.D. COMMITTEE APPOINTED

A sponsoring committee of about twenty Malheur county residents was appointed at the county-wide meeting held last Saturday at the Boulevard Grange hall.

The committee will proceed now with the necessary groundwork for the establishing of a public utility district, the bounds of which have not yet been decided. Among other tasks of the committee, will be that of bringing in federal utility men from Washington to make a survey and recommendations as to future procedure. Present at the meeting and principal speakers before a group of about 75 interested persons was Carl D. Thompson and a Mr. Pitts, both of Bonneville project.

Among those on the committee who live near Nyssa are E. L. Jamison, M. W. Osborne, Archie Smith, Garrett Stam, Charles Garrison and Pete Tensen.

GRAZING BOARD SELECTION CHANGED

(Special from Washington Bureau) WASHINGTON, D. C.—Changes in the federal grazing code are to be put into effect in the method of selecting advisory boards in every grazing district in Oregon and nine other states. The advisory boards may not consist of less than five nor more than 12, exclusive of a wildlife representative who will be appointed by the secretary of the interior. Voting in the elections (to be held before November 1) is limited to those qualified to receive regular free-use or non-use licenses or permits. The electors will be those stockmen who, prior to the establishment of the grazing district, were regularly accustomed to using the federal range within that district.

OREGON GUARD TO BE INCREASED

SALEM—Maj. Gen. Geo. A. White has received authorization from the war department to recruit an additional 913 men for service in the Oregon national guard. This increase is Oregon's quota of the 40,791 authorized to bring the national guard strength up to a total of 235,000 officers and men.

General White said that he expects to announce the allocation of additional strength to the various Oregon guard units within a few days.

DRIVERS EXAMS ON OCTOBER 6

The examiner of operators and chauffeurs will be in Nyssa on Friday, October 6, at the city hall. All those wishing permits or licenses to drive cars are asked to get in touch with the examiner during the hours from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Parma Beats Adrian

Despite valiant efforts to keep the total score down, Adrian lost Friday went down to a 32-6 defeat at the hands of their more experienced foe, Parma.

Several Adrian players suffered minor injuries during the hard and fast game, but are expected to be in the line-up tomorrow when Adrian plays its first conference game with Hometown.

Daughter Expected—

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boydell are expecting their daughter, Mrs. J. B. Peckham, Jr., of Antioch, Calif., to arrive on Saturday for a short visit. Mrs. Peckham plans to make the trip with Dr. and Mrs. Glen Kenason of Burlingame, Calif., who will visit with Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Norcott.

Open House a Success—

The open house given by the Nyssa lodge of Odd Fellows on Wednesday evening was voted a success by all those attending. Representatives were present from the lodges of Nampa, Caldwell and Ontario.

Following the program refreshments were served by the committee in charge.

House Guests—

Mr. and Mrs. Babe Stunz of Horseshoe Bend, Idaho, were house guests over Saturday and Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Stunz.

Louis Garrison Improving—

On Friday Mrs. Charles Garrison and Miss Vera returned to San Francisco to be near Louis Garrison who was seriously injured in an auto accident three weeks ago. Word was received from Mrs. Garrison that Louis has improved sufficiently that he hope to be able to remove him to his home by the end of this week. He will, however, have to remain in bed for several weeks.

'ROUND TOWN

...hear Doc Marshall is snowed under with deer waiting for that freezing plate at the Polar storage ...and that Herschel Thompson has saved a couple of pigs from the big bad wolf ...also that about noon on Wednesday papa Bernard Eastman recovered sufficiently to start dishing out the cigars ...and here's betting that Michael Geoffrey Eastman will be better known as "Mike" ...bird dogs casting anxious eyes at all the cars ...No Trespassing and No Hunting signs being sold by the gross ...and all the city boys making arrangements with their farmer friends for pheasant season opening.

State Marketing Agency Drive Launched

MORTON TOMPKINS, OF STATE GRANGE, OBJECTS TO PLAN

SALEM—A move toward the creation of a state marketing agency was launched here this week at a marketing conference sponsored by the state board of higher education and presided over by Governor Charles A. Sprague. More than 50 persons representing organizations and groups interested in the marketing problem attended the conference, which was pretty much dominated by state employees. Although the conference was directed to consider a problem most directly affecting the producers, only a few of these were in evidence and most of these attended as representatives of co-operative marketing organizations rather than as dirt farmers.

Those on the program advocating the establishment of a central marketing agency included J. D. Mickle, state director of agriculture; W. J. Kerr, chancellor-emeritus of the state system of higher education; E. C. Sammons, member of the board of higher education; Dean W. A. Schoenfeld of the school of agriculture at Oregon State college; President Donald M. Erb of the University of Oregon; Marshall N. Dana of the Oregon Journal, and E. B. MacNaughton, Portland banker.

Sammons, speaking for the board of higher education, declared that it was not the desire of the board to incorporate the proposed marketing agency within the state system of higher education. "That plan," he said, "is out the window."

A dissenting voice was raised by Morton Tompkins, member of the legislative committee of the State Grange. Tompkins declared that solution of the marketing problem should be left to co-operative marketing associations. He urged, however, that these associations be strengthened through the enactment of a legislative program similar to that in effect in California including a state agricultural adjustment act and a pro-rate act.

Napton School Dedicated Sunday

By Mrs. Harry Russell

NAPTON SIDING (Special)—The new Napton school house, in District 47 was formally dedicated Sunday afternoon, in ceremonies by the board of directors of district 47. The school, a \$4500 structure, was constructed under PWA grant and was built just across the Snake river from the Lower Bend school building. With the completion of this new school, the students on the new project will be relieved of the necessity of traveling a distance of 12 or more miles to attend classes.

Charles Witty, clerk of the district, was in charge of the program, that opened with the audience singing America. The invocation was given by the Reverend Tetwiler of Adrian. A reading, by Mrs. Charles Witty, of her own composition entitled "New Land" was well received by the audience.

The dedication address was delivered by Allan Biggs, Ontario attorney, who was followed by C. E. Beeman, P. W. A. resident engineer, Burton B. Burrows, who donated the land on which the building was built to the district, Kathryn Claypool, county superintendent of schools and Dennis Patch, principal of the Adrian schools.

The school board members, William Teter, Harry Russell and Cecil Case, also gave short talks. Refreshments for the occasion were served by the ladies of the district.

Return From Trip—

Attorney A. L. Fletcher and Mrs. Fletcher returned on Tuesday from a weeks trip to San Francisco and the fair.

Mother Visits—

On Wednesday Mrs. Roy House, mother of Mrs. Emil Stunz, her grandmother, Mrs. Hardy Phillips, an aunt, Mrs. Emmett Ireton and a sister, Mrs. Chet Tarelton of Emmett visited with Mrs. Stunz and Mrs. House remained for a longer visit.

Operated Upon—

The daughter of Robert Morfett, who was operated upon for an acute appendicitis at the Holy Rosary hospital on Saturday by Dr. L. A. Maulding, was able to be taken home and is recovering rapidly.

CONTRACT LET ON BLACK CANYON

(Special from Washington Bureau) WASHINGTON, D. C.—Contract has been awarded for construction of two wasteways on the Black Canyon canal to serve the new Payette division for \$119,842. The contractor must begin in 30 days after notice to proceed has been given and is allowed 200 days to complete the job. The wasteways are located at tunnels No. 2 and No. 7, about two miles south to six miles west of Emmett, Idaho. This new Payette division will add 47,000 acres.

COUNTY BUDGET COMMITTEE TO MEET

The county budget committee, consisting of the county court which includes Judge Graham and commissioners Peterson and Marshall, and Robert D. Lytle, J. D. Fairman and Frank T. Morgan will meet next Thursday, October 5, to draw up the 1940 budget for the county. County Clerk H. S. Sackett has been working on the compilation of figures for the budget committee to work on when they meet.

RECORD SHIPMENT OF LOCAL SUGAR

A record shipment of sugar has been noted by E. C. Crandall, agent for the Union Pacific at Nyssa, with 149 cars of White Satin being shipped out of Nyssa from September 1 to 25.

Crandall said that this division, which takes in factories in Utah, Idaho and Oregon, on one day during this month had shipped 158 cars of sugar.

Other shipments leaving Nyssa for the same period was 3 cars of mixed produce, 31 cars of potatoes, and 47 cars of onions.

PHEASANT SEASON OPENS SUNDAY

Pheasant season for Malheur county opens Sunday, October 1, with perhaps the largest number of birds ever recorded in the county, for hunters to try their luck on.

Bag limits are changed this year to allow the taking of one hen in each bag of eight. No hunter will be allowed more than eight pheasants in any seven consecutive days, nor more than four in any one day.

The Hungarian partridge season dates are the same as those for pheasant, the bag limit on the Huns being six in any one day, not more than twelve in any consecutive seven days.

Hunters are cautioned to obtain sunset tables in order to keep within the law on time limits for the day.

COMMITTEE DEFERS ROAD DESIGNATION

A committee of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of Southwestern Idaho and Eastern Oregon voted Monday night at a meeting held in Emmett to defer action on a resolution presented by the Nyssa chamber of commerce which would designate the highway between Nyssa and Caldwell as U. S. Highway 30 South. The meeting, called especially to consider the resolution, developed into a word battle between the delegations from Ontario and Payette in which each intimated that the other town was giving incorrect information to tourists regarding mileage.

An attempt was first made by the Payette delegation to table the resolution, which would have meant the death of the measure, but the Boise and Caldwell delegations amended the motion to table to allowing the further consideration of the designation on the grounds that Idaho highways 49 and 18 are not Federal Aid Project roads. Investigation of this latter problem was deemed advisable before final action by the committee.

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Tonsils Out—

John Snow and Willard Bennett both employed at the sugar factory, had their tonsils removed at the Sarazin Clinic on Wednesday. They are reported to be recovering nicely.

DINNER PARTY

Complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Alan B. Burnham of Seattle and George Sarchet, visiting from Port Angeles, Washington, Mr. and Mrs. William Schireman entertained at a dinner on Tuesday.

Son Born—

On Sunday, September 23, a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Cole Lee Young of Nyssa with Dr. L. A. Maulding attending. The newborn has been named Delbert Lee.

Get 'their Deer—

Mr. and Mrs. George Jensen, who with Henry Gannon, hunted at Dixie Butte from Monday until Wednesday, were among the lucky ones, each bagging a doe.

School District To Elect One Director

ELECTION TO FILL UN-EXPIRED TERM

Two propositions will be offered for the consideration of the voters in school district 26 (Nyssa) on Saturday, October 21. Number one will be the election of a director to fill the un-expired term of E. Gaston, resigned. This term ends June 20, 1942.

Proposition number two would allow the board of directors to purchase 7 lots and to authorize the board not to exceed \$200 for such purpose. These lots, it is understood, are those on which the school buildings are now situated.

The meeting will open at 2 p. m. at which time nominations for candidates will be open. Voting on the candidates will, when the nominations are closed, continue until 7 p. m. when the polls close. At the present time there is every prospect of a three cornered race for the directorship with Oral E. Cheldelin, Herschel Thompson and Mrs. Dick Tensen being mentioned by their friends as possible candidates.

County PTA Meets

The county officers and local presidents of Malheur county P. T. A. met in an all day school of instruction on last Friday. The meeting was held in Ontario at the Conklin school house and was under the direction of the state president, Mrs. C. W. Wall and Mrs. Ralph Loenig of La Grande.

A luncheon was served to about twenty-five members at the noonday intermission.

Nyssa Bulldogs Set For Weiser Tilt Friday

LOCALS WIN PRE-CONFERENCE GAME FROM WILDER 12-0

Coach John Young and his assistant Bob Parke are looking forward to tomorrow's game, the first conference game of the season, and wondering if the speed of their lightweight team will prove superior to that of the heavies from Weiser. Game time is called for 2:30 p. m. on the local field.

The worries of the local coaches center principally around the fact that only four lettermen are in the line-up on this year's team. The balance of the team, on top of their inexperience are light. This inexperience explains in part, for the numerous offside penalties the Bulldogs had meted out to them in last Friday's game with Wilder. Timing has been one of the features of this weeks workouts.

In the game with Wilder, Nyssa came out the winner with a score of 12-0, with Molmes and Ray reeling off long gains, however both scores, one in the second and again in the third quarters, were made from line plunges. Holmes carried the ball for both touchdowns.

The set-up for the first score was made when Wilder fumbled on their own 30-yard line and Nyssa recovered.

With an apparent safe score Coach Young sent in his second string team at the beginning of the fourth quarter, but when Wilder drove deep into Nyssa territory, replaced them with his original lineup.

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MARKETS

Thursday Quotations By Wiley Clowers

Cream, Grade A	30
Cream, Grade B	28
CASH PRICE	
Hens, heavy	.11
Hens, light and Leghorn	.08
Cockerels	.04

Springs	
Colored	.11
Light and Leghorn	.11

Egg Market	
Trade-in	.25
Barley—The Amalgamated Sugar Co.—delivered in bulk, per cwt.	.90