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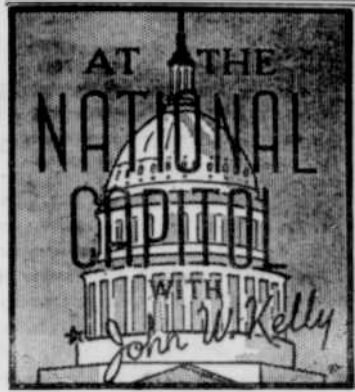
GATEWAY TO THE OWYHEE AND BLACK CANYON IRRIGATION PROJECTS
IN THE HEART OF OREGON'S SUGAR EMPIRE

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WASHINGTON, D. C.—Notwithstanding that the congress is retarding development of Bonneville power system and slowing down the work being rushed on Grand Coulee, nothing can stop the development of Washington and Oregon through these projects. Congress is not as enthusiastic for government ownership as it was and looks at Bonneville with a cold eye. Congress is peculiar. When the late J. D. Ross was administrator he was given all the money he requested by telling the lawmakers that he had applications for every kilowatt. Now when Administrator Raver is actually selling power and believes a start should be made to have the full generating capacity installed, congress refuses even the foundation for the remaining units and slashes the budget for transmission lines. One reason for the change of attitude is resentment of congressmen at the activity of men on Bonneville payroll in promoting public utility districts.

Not generally known is that there has been resentment against Bonneville in Idaho from the day the late Mr. Ross announced he planned sending electric energy into southern Idaho. This was enthusiastically approved by Jim Pope, Idaho senator, and contributed to Pope's defeat for re-election. The Idaho people realized that if Ross accomplished his purpose, it would prevent Idaho ever developing its own water power resources. In the recent hearings of the appropriations committee Administrator Raver declared he had no intention of invading Idaho; besides, he explained, power cannot be sent 500 miles, which Ross said it could.

Farm Credit Administration, the agency from which thousands of farmers of Washington and Oregon have received loans, is going through a transformation which has so alarmed the farm bloc in senate and house that measures will be taken to remove this agency from Secretary of Agriculture Wallace. FCA was given to department of agriculture by President Roosevelt's reorganization last year. In recent weeks FCA has asked for the resignations of all the key men who have been with the organization and Secretary Wallace and the new governor, Dr. A. G. Black, are planning a new policy.

Farm groups say Secretary Wallace and Governor Black want to mix rural relief with a credit reservoir, or "public funds with private investment." So apprehensive are various groups that FCA will lose its effectiveness that the Grange, Farm Bureau, National Association of Livestock Producers and National Cooperative Council are joining with a group of senators—among them Oregon's McNary, Republican leader—to insist that FCA be made an independent agency and run on business principles, as it was before the reorganization.

Scarlet Fever Cases Increase

Dr. J. J. Sarazin, city health officer, said that since last week there had been two more cases of scarlet fever brought to his attention.

All cases have been quarantined and Dr. Sarazin, as an added precaution, has asked Councilman Buchner, commissioner of public health and safety, for the co-operation of the police department in enforcing the quarantine.

The public is warned that infraction of the quarantine law is a serious offense and is punishable by law.

Effectiveness in combating any disease as dangerous as scarlet fever can come about only through strict quarantine, according to officials.

Guid To Meet—

The Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. L. Barclay on Third near Park on next Wednesday afternoon at 2 p. m.

Nyssa Enters Telegraphic Trap Shoot

The Nyssa Rod and Gun Club have entered the eight week telegraphic trap shoot of the Idaho Statesman, according to Dr. E. D. Norcott. The first shoot will take place this Sunday in Nyssa at 10 a. m. with the local powder burners competing with the Sandpoint team, in the first event, with Pullman in the second event, and Couer d'Alene in the third event.

Fifteen clubs, representing 15 cities in five state will participate in the Statesman's eighth annual trap shoot.

The annual shoot-off, which will follow the regular shoot, will be held along with the state meet at Sun Valley, May 31, June 1 and 2. The shoot-off will be held the last day of the state meet.

Board Rehires Entire Faculty

The entire faculty of the Nyssa Union High School was re-elected by the board of education of the union district No. 5 at its meeting last Wednesday night, March 6, with the exception of Robert Parke, assistant coach and teacher of physical education, who recently resigned his position.

According to J. W. Bushong, who will return next year again as principal, all instructors will teach practically the same subjects as this year.

Those who are scheduled to return in September are: J. W. Bushong, principal; John Young, coach and instructor of mathematics; Mrs. Stella Young, teacher of vocal music and English; Frank Parr, instructor of social sciences; Robert Sawyer, instructor of vocational agriculture; Alvin Templer, teacher of instrumental music and English; Helen Stevens, home economics teacher; Wesley Sherman, instructor of journalism, bookkeeping and orientation; Oscar Williams, science instructor; Sue Martin, teacher of commercial subjects; Howard Parent, teacher of speech and American history; Irene Redetzke, teacher of girls' physical education, typing, and English, and Ellen Palmer teacher of world history and English.

PARMA MAN DIES IN 5-CAR WRECK

Henry L. Rose, vice-president of the Parma Water Lifter company, was instantly killed Sunday morning when he was struck by a pickup truck reportedly driven by Owen Munden, also of Parma.

The accident occurred about 3 1/2 miles north of Parma on the Parma-New Plymouth highway, when Rose and Sheriff Meyer had gone to the scene of a wreck that happened earlier between a car driven by Mrs. Rose and one driven by John Bullard of Apple Valley. Mr. Rose was not in the car at the time of this smash-up. Following behind the Rose car was one driven by Harry Haines. Notus who plowed in to the wreck. No one was seriously injured.

As Rose and the sheriff stood talking about the wreck the Munden car approached at a high speed, going through warning flares that had been set out, and struck Rose, hurling him over 100 feet, and continuing on for about a half mile where he was overtaken by Sheriff Meyer.

Bullard, driver of the car that caused the first wreck, was booked on a charge of driving while under the influence of liquor, and it is reported here that he has been sentenced to 90 days in jail.

Munden is being held for the grand jury, being unable to furnish bond in the amount of \$3000.

Mr. Rose is survived by his widow, four daughters, one son, two brothers and two sisters.

Funeral services were held Tuesday with the Masonic lodge rites and interment in the Parma cemetery.

THE WEATHER

Following are the thermometer readings as given by the Nyssa office of the U. S. Reclamation office:

Date	Low	High
Mar. 1	26	56
Mar. 2	34	56
Mar. 3	20	55
Mar. 4	33	53
Mar. 5	26	54
Mar. 6	28	52

Precipitation for the week was .16 inches.

In Boise—
Mr. and Mrs. Grant Lewis spent Wednesday in Boise.

Spring Smoker Date Is Set

Thirty-six rounds of two-listed action are promised in the second Lettermen's club smoker of the current school year on Friday, March 15, at the Nyssa Union high school, according to announcement made this week by Coaches John Young and Bob Parke.

Last fall's gridiron heroes will be featured on the card. The popular "Missouri" Holmes, renowned as the plunging fullback on the Blue and White football eleven and also famed for his pugilistic ability, will be matched with a suitable opponent and probably provide one of the outstanding events of the evening.

Marion Osborne, whose clever boxing gained the favor of the first smoker's crowd, will be back on this program for another outstanding exhibition.

There will be at least ten bouts on the program of three-rounds each. Although none of the matches have been announced as yet by the promoters, the complete lineup will be given in a later edition of this paper.

Preliminary bouts will begin promptly at 8 p. m. in the public school gymnasium.

CO-OP MANAGER MEETS WITH FARMERS

W. B. Wagner, manager of the Farmers Co-operative Creamery Co., of Payette, B. F. Countryman, director, and C. B. Stauff, were present at a meeting held last Friday night for the purpose of clearing up some points regarding prices paid by the Payette concern.

The price difference, which amounts to 2.66 cents on a yearly average, is due, Wagner said, to the fact that the Idaho co-operatives have a much larger volume, confined within a smaller area than has the Farmers Co-operative. The quality in the Boise valley is also above that in Malheur county, Wagner said. The small producer is not careful enough in handling his cream and milk and thus reducing the quality of the product, was Wagner's contention.

The price charged for butter by grocersmen, Wagner said, was running too much profit and suggested that perhaps the Granges could induce the grocers to reduce their price. John Leinhard, a former master of Boulevard Grange, took issue with Wagner on this point saying the grocersmen a year or so ago had agreed to eliminate oleomargarine from their shelves to the advantage of butter, and that the Granges should go slow on any such action.

Wagner said that he did not believe that there could be any advantage to establishment of a branch creamery in any of the cities asking for such an enterprise, saying in substance that "the Chambers of Commerce of these towns asking for it would mean doubling up the cost of putting the farmers' butter-fat on the market."

Following the meeting ice cream, furnished by the co-op and cake by the ladies of Oregon Trail Grange was served.

ATTENDS AUTO DEALERS MEET

Art Norcott, Nyssa Hudson automobile dealer, attended a meeting of Hudson dealers and salesmen in Boise, Wednesday.

Principal topic of the meeting was the outstanding performances of the Hudson line of cars and to acquaint dealers and salesmen with the superior mechanical features of the Hudson line of automobiles and delivery trucks.

Cookery Test Contest Opens

The Electrical Equipment Sales Association has started a cookery contest in which 13 prizes are offered each week until the end of the contest. The first prize will be an electric range, four second prizes each a new electric mixer, four third prizes each a sandwich grill-waffle iron and four fourth prizes each five dollars. In addition to the weekly prizes there is being offered a grand prize of an electric dishwasher and sink.

Application blanks may be obtained from the local Golden Rule store, the Idaho Power company or any electrical dealer in Nyssa. There is no charge to enter the contest.

Sunday Visitors—

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Garrison of Jamieson and Mrs. Charles Garrison of Nyssa spent Sunday at the Charles Newbill home in Kingman Colony.

CHURCH SERVICES FOR HARRY GARMAN

Harry Garman, long a resident of this community, passed away on March second while visiting relatives and old friends at Princeton, Ill. It was while visiting old friends at Princeton that Mr. Garman became ill and was taken to the hospital at Omaha for care, where the final end came.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kelly of Boise went to Omaha and returned with the remains.

Mr. Garman is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Charles Thomsen of Nyssa, Mrs. W. J. Kelly, and Harry Garman of Boise.

Out-of-town friends attending the services were Mr. and Mrs. Hans Off of Ontario, William Hueggen and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kelly and Karleen, with Mr. Kelly's mother and two brothers, Miss Hellinger and Miss Murphy, all of Boise.

Harry Garman was born on January 26th, 1877 at Princeton, Illinois, and died on March 2nd, 1940 at Omaha, Nebraska, at the age of 63 years, 1 month and 6 days.

As a young boy Mr. Garman moved with his parents to what is now Dodge City, Nebraska, before there was a town or a railroad at that point. And it was there that he was married.

Later he with his wife and family moved to Omaha and in 1920 they came to Oregon. He farmed on the Owyhee for several years and in 1939 he and Mrs. Garman moved to Baker. It was in that city on October 4, 1939, that Mrs. Garman preceded her husband in death and was buried three days later at Forest Grove.

Funeral services were held at the Nyssa community church on Tuesday of this week with the Rev. Millard Scherich presiding. Music was furnished by Mrs. Dick Tensen and Mrs. W. W. Foster.

Palbearers included Les Ernest, Klaas Stam, Neil Dimmick, Don Graham and Stanley Thomas.

Arrangement were under the direction of the Nyssa Funeral home and the body shipped on the Rose to Forest Grove for interment on Wednesday evening. Mrs. Chas. Thomsen and Harry Garman accompanied the remains, while Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kelly and William Hueggen of Boise drove to Forest Grove.

Body of Girl Brought Home

The body of Donna Correll, who police in Seattle say, died of an illegal operation last Friday at the hands of a sanipractic physician, arrived in Nyssa Wednesday, and was taken to the Nyssa Funeral Home.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at 2 p. m. in the Baptist church at New Plymouth.

At Seattle, it is reported that the physician, Bertram Hollande, in whose office the girl's body was found, has been charged with second degree murder. A nurse employed by the sanipractic physician is also being held, without charge.

John A. Gray, to whom the girl was to have been married upon her arrival in Seattle last Sunday, is also being held, according to a press story in the Seattle Post Intelligencer.

Donna Pae Correll was 19 years old and is survived by her mother, Mrs. George McCauley, and three sisters, Mrs. Russell Kincaid of Los Angeles, Mrs. Morris DeRock and June Correll both of Nyssa, and her father, C. B. Correll of Los Angeles. The mother and father operated a restaurant in Nyssa in the fall of 1938.

Cattle To Portland—

Charles Garrison left for Portland on Friday with two carloads of cattle which were sold on the Monday market. Mr. Garrison returned home Tuesday.

'ROUND TOWN

Chief among the spring garden spicer-uppers are the J. T. Longs and "Dad" Burroughs. . . . Doc Norcott displaying what the well-dressed dentist will wear this season. . . . Nyssa trap shooters getting into the leagues. . . . hear that a certain blond young lady recently employed at the bank sent some free tickets to "Gone With the Wind" to her former co-workers. . . . how come the bunch at Wilsons calls Aden "Grandpappy". . . . and George Haycock getting ecclesiastical. . . . nothing so ecclesiastical as the distant snow caps sparkling 'neath a spring sun. . . . Hershel Thompson doing a "Water Winchell" on the ed's wife when she took a nose-dive in the mud in front of the post office. . . .

Chamber Finances 4 Club Leaders To Conference

Over twenty 4-H club leaders from Malheur county plan to attend the Eastern Oregon Leader Conference to be held at Union, Friday and Saturday, March 8 and 9.

This will be the largest group of club leaders to attend an event of this kind from Malheur county, and the large delegation was made possible by the support of civic and rural organizations in helping to defray the expenses of those attending.

Organizations helping to send leaders are: Malheur Pomona Grange, sending six delegates; Nyssa Chamber of Commerce, four; Ontario Kiwanis Club, three; Vale Chamber of Commerce, two; Adrian Chamber of Commerce, two; Oregon Trail Grange, Brogan Grange and Malheur Leaders Council, one each.

Those planning to attend from the various communities are: Mrs. Elmer Dutton, Mrs. C. W. Wilson, Mrs. C. E. Elliott, James Nichols, and William Toombs from Kingman Colony; Mrs. H. R. Sherwood and Andrew Boersma from Nyssa; Mrs. John Ridder from Richland; Miss Doris Klingback and Neil Dimmick from Owyhee; Mrs. Florence Govey from Adrian; Mrs. George Johnson from Oregon Slope; Mrs. Fannie Chandler and W. O. Roehr from Annex; Mrs. Agnes Jordan from White Settlement; Mrs. Bernice Russell and Mrs. Fred Hyde from Grove; Mrs. T. B. Duncan from Vale; Mrs. E. O. Brooks from Lincoln; Mrs. Maxine Presley and Mrs. Buster Bush of Brogan, and Mrs. S. B. Lewis of Willowcreek.

Trucks To Operate Over I-O-N

As has been predicted many times by the present editor of the Nyssa Gate City Journal, the Idaho-Oregon-Nevada highway, starting today became a road over which a truck line will be established between Oregon and Idaho points and San Francisco, Calif.

The Jones company, of Salt Lake, Utah, have announced the inauguration of its operation as a common carrier of the I-O-N between points in the Boise valley and Ontario and intermediate points, and San Francisco via Winnemucca, Nevada. Contacts for Idaho and eastern Oregon points will be made through the Gibbs Truck lines, according to the announcement. Copies of local and through tariffs will be available shortly, the announcement said.

BURN VICTIM DIES TUESDAY

Will Lynch, who was employed at the Ray Garrison ranch at Jamieson, passed away at the Holy Rosary hospital at Ontario on Tuesday from burns he received when his clothing became ignited from flaming gasoline.

Mr. Lynch had removed the tank from the stove to clean it and forgot to shut off the pressure. The spraying gas was instantly in flames and Lynch became a living torch, every part of his body being burned. He was rushed to the hospital immediately by Mr. Garrison, but was beyond aid.

Mrs. Lynch was also badly burned but unless complications set in will recover. Three minor children and an older daughter survive.

Funeral services will be held on Friday at the Christian church in Vale with interment at the Vale cemetery.

FALLING TREE CUTS POWER

A tree that was being cut down west of Nyssa, Monday was responsible for the interruption of electrical service, when it fell against the high-powered lines, according to Bernard Frost, local Idaho Power company manager.

Frost said that farmers should use particular care at this time of the year when cutting trees near power lines or moving hay derricks under the lines. "Interruption of electrical service at this time of the year is expensive to those who are hatching chicks in electrical incubators and also who may be brooding chicks in electrical brooders," Frost said.

Frost also advised farmers that if they wish to cut down trees or move derricks under the high power lines to contact his office, so that a crew of the company's may be present in the event of an accident. There is no charge for this service, but is simply an effort on the part of the company to avert a fatal accident, Frost said.

Growers And Sugar Company Agree On Contract For 1940

PARKING ORDINANCE ADOPTED BY COUNCIL

The city council Monday night passed to its third and final reading the amendments to the parking ordinance.

The amended ordinance will restrict parking on Main street from the railroad west to Fourth street to two hours between the hours of 9 a. m. and 6 p. m. There will be no limit outside of those hours, according to Mayor Thompson, who approved the ordinance.

Contracts May Be Out By Next Monday

The Nyssa Factory District Beet Growers Association and the Amalgamated Sugar company, Nyssa factory, have now reached an agreement as to the terms of the 1940 beet growing contract, according to an announcement made by William M. Carson, Weiser, Idaho, president of the association.

The 1940 contract provides for an increase at five cents per ton in the \$3.25 bracket, 10 cents in the \$3.50 and \$3.75 brackets. It is stated by officials of the company that the Amalgamated Sugar company is the only company to date that is offering to beet growers a contract better than the contract under which beets were grown in 1939.

It is important that every beet grower take full advantage of the acreage allotment program this year as there is every likelihood that the allotment regulations may be more stringent another year and that any acreage history developed this year will have a very beneficial result on acreage for the following years.

In 1940 a new beet farm is permitted to plant up to 20 acres; an old beet farm up to 20 acres or the largest acreage grown in any of the three years 1937, 1938 or 1939.

Legislation now in congress, if adopted, and it appears that it has a good chance of adoption, should materially improve the price of sugar and in that way improve the price that growers will receive for their 1940 beet crop.

The Nyssa factory district has announced that their mill can accommodate the crop from 20,000 acres and that it will be necessary to limit the acreage contracted for, to that amount.

The printing of the contracts is being rushed and contracts should be available in the district by Monday of next week. A later announcement will be made as to where and when the contracts will be available.

Growers in the Jerome district have negotiated the same contract as the local association has, having come to the agreement on Tuesday of this week.

Will Study Sewer Charge Law

The city council has under consideration the drafting of an ordinance under which the city will collect maintenance and financing funds for the city sewer works.

There are 32,508 feet of sewer laid in the city with an annual cost, figured for the next 15 years, of about \$3800. This cost spread over the entire footage averages 15 cents per foot.

In the discussion Monday night the council discussed the possibilities of assessing each piece of land at the rate of 15 cents per foot or the regular rate, whichever is the greater, provided the property in question is connected to the sewer. In any event all property would have to stand the 15-cent charge.

City Attorney A. L. Fletcher is busy this week making a rough draft of the proposed ordinance and if it is completed in time the council will meet again Monday to go over the proposal and make any change they feel may be necessary.

Water charges was another matter that came up but action was deferred for a future time. One proposal was that the property owners be held responsible for the water used on their property. This would affect, principally those who own renting property and under this plan the owner would be held responsible for the water used by the tenant of the property.

Bank Buys Bonds

The First National Bank of Portland were the high bidders Monday night when bids on the city of Nyssa warrant funding bonds were opened.

The bank bid a 19-cent premium on the bonds at a par value of \$100 with interest at 3 1/2 per cent.

MARKETS Thursday Quotations By Wiley Clowers

Cream, Premium	29
Cream, Grade 1	28
Cream, Grade 2	26
CASH PRICE	
Hens, heavy colored	10
Hens, light and Leghorn	06
Springs	10
Stags	05
Cockerels	03
Trade-In Eggs	13