

**Big Bend**

Wade school opened Monday morning with Mrs. King of Caldwell and Mrs. Charles Witty as teachers. Lower Bend school started last Monday with Mrs. Baker of Caldwell and Miss Mary Weir teaching.

Mrs. N. S. Phelan returned from Hammett, Idaho, Wednesday, called back by illness of Mr. Lee of Nyssa. Mr. and Mrs. Grover Lee of Pasco, Washington, visited his father from Monday until Thursday.

day.

Mrs. Jesse Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnston of Boise were visitors at their ranch here, Monday.

Walter Bishop transacted business in Ontario Wednesday.

Mr. Button of Boise and Mr. Galloway of Parma were business visitors in Bend Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Viri Bishop and baby transacted business in Caldwell Thursday.

Miss Angela Hickman and Cleo Tucker were married Monday morning. Miss Hickman is telephone operator at Wilder and Mr. Tucker is employed by Mr. Batt.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bockus and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mausling shopped in Nyssa Saturday.

B. G. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Dyre Roberts and family spent Friday on business in Caldwell and Nampa.

Mrs. E. E. Parker accompanied Adrian friends to Caldwell Friday. Wayne Percy of Casper, Wyoming, visited Cyrus Bishop Thursday. He is enjoying a 10-day furlough.

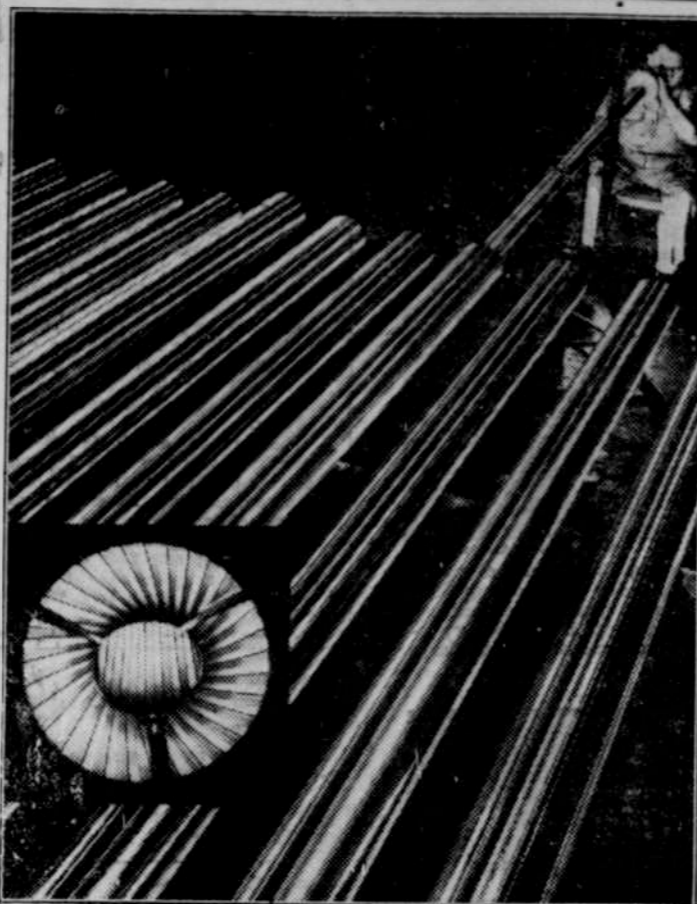
Mrs. Walter Bishop attended the funeral of Mrs. Robins in Roswell Saturday afternoon.

Ralph Robertson of Roswell was looking after ranch interests in this vicinity Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Sillonis and family spent Sunday visiting relatives in Marsing.

Mrs. N. S. Phelan returned home Saturday from a visit of a few days in the Lee home in Nyssa.

**War Plant "Spy" at Work**



There's a "spy" at work in one of America's great war plants with full approval of the plant police—and instead of looking out for trouble, he looks in for it. He's a trained inspector at a Chevrolet gun plant, employed to check interiors of the gun tubes this General Motors Division is producing in quantity for the 90-mm. anti-aircraft gun. He is shown here using the boreoscope, a special optical instrument developed for checking the finish of the gun bore, rifling and surface. A tubular electric light on the end of the boreoscope affords inside illumination so that every square inch of the bore may be closely scrutinized as the boreoscope is moved forward and backward the length of the 15 1/4-ft. barrel. An ominous sight for the Axis is the inset close-up of the rifling as seen through the boreoscope. Production of this gun, which has a range of more than five miles, is a major Chevrolet war assignment.

**Buena Vista**

Mrs. J. W. Jennings is visiting her daughter, Mrs. O. L. Hendry, and family of Glenns Ferry.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grider called at the Leslie Topiliff home Sunday afternoon.

Thelma and Dorothy Florea spent Sunday in Caldwell.

Mrs. Alva Goodell and Alva, Jr., and Donna Belle returned home Sunday from Colorado after spending the past three weeks visiting Mrs. Goodell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gwas.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bertran attended the Rodeo at Boise Sunday.

**Health Data Is Sent In County**

The office of civilian defense, through the block, community and neighborhood leaders is distributing material sent out through the cooperation of the Oregon state board of health in preparation for the observance of public health week September 12 to 18.

The material pertains to simple rules of health that when practiced will go a long way toward safeguarding the health of the individual

and community, according to Mrs. Edna Farris, county health nurse.

The program includes "protection against communicable diseases by immunizations, keeping children away from all sick persons, keeping children home if they are ill, maintaining sanitary conditions in your home, block and community, reporting rats and mosquitoes to your local health department, eating the right foods, conserving food values by proper storage and cooking, keeping cheerful and busy and not forgetting to play, wearing proper clothing and keeping room temperatures at 65 degrees, expectant mothers seeking medical advice early since the health of the mother and baby depends upon proper care, early diagnosis by a physician when ill, practicing good home nursing and calling upon your local health department for help in protecting the health of those living in your block."

**Walter Pierce Discusses Japs**

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Mrs. Woodie and Mrs. Curtis; a skit by Mrs. Ralph Boor and Arthur Beam of Eldorado Grange; a report by Betty Lou Parker on her attendance at 4-H summer school; a vocal solo by Betty Feltman; a reading by Ione Presley; and a piano solo by Elaine Reed.

Mrs. Elton Smith of Willowcreek Grange was elected gatekeeper to fill the unexpired term of Tom Johnson of Oregon Trail Grange, and William Ross of Boulevard was elected to serve instead of Conrad Martin of Kingman on the executive committee. Mrs. F. W. Pulleton, Vale, was appointed home economics chairman, a post formerly held by Mrs. Conrad Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Martin and Mr. Johnson have moved from the country. Erle H. Parker, Pomona master, presided at the morning, afternoon and evening sessions. Eldorado and Willowcreek Granges assisted Brogan in the duties of host.

Malheur County had the distinction of having the largest delegation at a three-day conference for volunteer health workers held at the Eastern Oregon College of Education at LaGrande. Eleven counties were represented. Members of the Malheur delegation included Mrs. A. P. Ackerman, Mrs. May Roberts, Ontario; Henry H. Hartley, Nyssa; Mrs. T. C. McElroy, Mrs. Edna Farris and Mrs. Kathryn Claypool, Vale; and Mrs. C. S. Harris, Willowcreek. Mrs. Farris, Malheur county public health nurse, was a member of a panel of speakers Monday afternoon, and Mrs. Harris, county seal sale chairman was on Tuesday afternoon's panel.

Activities of county health associations in a total health program were considered and included discussion of the tuberculosis control program. Mrs. Saldie Orr Dunbar, executive secretary of the Oregon Tuberculosis association was in charge of the conference. Dr. Harold M. Erickson of the state board of health, and Dr. C. C. Bellinger, superintendent of the Salem tuberculosis sanitarium, were the principal speakers.

**Banker States Bonds Are Safe**

The soundness of government war bonds as an investment was emphasized by Frank Johnson of Portland at the third war loan drive "kickoff" dinner meeting held in the Moore hotel in Ontario last Thursday night.

Mr. Johnson, president of the Federal Loan bank of Portland, was introduced by Forrest Cooper, Lakeview attorney, who is deputy administrator of the Oregon war finance committee. Joe Dyer of Ontario, county chairman, presided at the meeting.

Mr. Dyer paid tribute to Larry Brainard of the Idaho Power company, who is giving all of his time this month to the drive. Mr. Dyer said "We feel that with Larry's help Malheur county will go over the

top".

Mr. Johnson said Oregon's quota for the third war loan drive is more than \$100,000,000, twice as much as the last one.

"This request is for a loan. The government is asking you to let it have money in a crisis", the speaker pointed out. "The government bonds are backed by taxing power. If a corporation or manufacturer issues bonds and you buy them, they must make money to make you money. The United States indebtedness is all at home. That makes U.S. bonds the safest bonds in the world."

"Can this government service this 300 billion dollar debt? How can it pay it. The taxing power brings in 35 billion annually. The national income is 140 billion dollars. The producing power of the country at the end of the civil war was almost nothing. We were a debtor nation. The government was in debt 3 1/2 billion dollars. That was a staggering sum. Ability to pay is a relative matter. New wealth is what we are going to use to pay the billion dollars. It is easier to service that than it was to service the 3 1/2 billion in Lincoln's time."

"Foreign people have been buying American currency. We figure four billion of it is hid in Europe. Those people have more faith in American currency than in any other currency in the world. We only had five billion in currency. It is now up to 16 or 17 billion. What do we have to back it. We have about 22 billion in gold and 10 billion in silver. The gold at Fort Knox is pledged to pay this currency. Our government has never repudiated a bond."

Mr. Cooper said "We bought bombs, but the bombs have been dropped and aren't any good any more. We need some more money for bombs".

**LOCAL NEWS**

**Infant Improves—**  
The infant son of Mr and Mrs Charles Cannon of Sunset valley, who has been in the Holy Rosary hospital in Ontario for the last three weeks, is slightly improved. He is expected to be taken home within the next week. Mr and Mrs J. T. Cannon and Mrs. Charles Cannon visited at the hospital Tuesday.

**Injured In Accident—**  
J. T. Cannon suffered a leg injury Tuesday afternoon when he was struck by a chain while he was stacking baled hay.

**Visit In Emmett—**  
Mr and Mrs Al Thompson and Mr and Mrs Herschel Thompson went to Emmett Monday to visit Mrs. H. B. Earp, mother of Mrs. Herschel Thompson. Mr and Mrs Al Thompson spent last week-end in Jordan Valley.

**Institute Is Held—**  
The annual institute of the young adults of the western district of the Methodist Idaho conference was held at Payette lakes September 4,

5 and 6. Nineteen Nyssa residents attended the institute, which was organized by Rev. M. H. Greenlee of Nyssa, executive secretary of the board of education of the Idaho conference. Rev. Ray Mortensen is dean of the institute.

**Attend Guard Meeting—**  
Several Nyssa state guardsmen attended a meeting of A company of Ontario Tuesday night.

**Infant Succumbs—**  
The infant daughter of Mr and Mrs Dennis Toombs died in the Nyssa Nursing home Wednesday night, September 1. Interment was in the Nyssa cemetery Friday with Bert Lienkaemper of the Nyssa Funeral home in charge. The girl, named Phyllis Jean, is survived by five brothers and two sisters.

**Visits Son—**  
Mrs. Julia Smith has returned from Brigham City, Utah, where she visited her son, Corporal Dale S. Smith, who is a patient in the Bushnell general hospital.

**Clerks Wanted—**  
Applications for the positions of clerk and junior clerk for various branches of the government service, including the office of price administration, in Idaho, Montana, Oregon and Washington, will be accepted by the United States civil service commission, according to Mrs. Jean B. Fletcher, local secretary.

tary. No written tests are given and no maximum age limits are imposed.

**Water Satisfactory—**  
Water tests made in Portland show that the Nyssa water is satisfactory for domestic use. Claude Willson, water department superintendent, said.

**Returns From Iowa—**  
Mrs. S. D. Goshert has returned from a visit in Lorimer, Iowa, where she was called because of the serious illness of her brother.

**Held Picnic—**  
The Nyssa grade school and high school faculties held a picnic in Caldwell Sunday. They played softball and other games.

**Examiner Coming—**  
A traveling examiner of operators and chauffeurs is scheduled to be in the city hall in Nyssa September 15 from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m.

**Spend Week-End Here—**  
Albert Heldt and son, Robert, returned home from Ogden to spend the week-end visiting their son and brother, Warren Heldt, who is home on furlough from Farragut, Idaho. Mr. Heldt returned to his work in Utah Wednesday.

**Attends Beauty College—**  
Leona Willis has gone to Nampa to attend the Superior Beauty college.

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