

# The Gate City Journal

KLASS V. POWELL Editor and Publisher

**SUBSCRIPTION RATES**

One Year \$2.00  
Six Months \$1.25  
Single Copies .05

**ADVERTISING RATES**

Open rate, per inch .35c  
National, per inch .35c  
Classified, per word .2c  
Minimum .30c

(Strictly in Advance)

Published every Thursday at Nyssa, Malheur County, Oregon. Entered at the postoffice at Nyssa, Oregon for transmission through the United States Mails, as second class matter, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Member  
**OREGON NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS ASSOCIATION**

### PRODUCTION SITUATION BRIGHTENS

Settlement of the wage disputes between the United Automobile Workers union and Ford and Chrysler has been correctly classified as the most important development in the United States since the end of the war.

The event is significant because it tends to point the way to settlement of strikes in other industries. The feeling prevails that if Ford and Chrysler can pay 18 cents an hour increase in pay the other automobile manufacturers and the steel companies can do likewise. However, the chairman of the U. S. Steel's board of directors said his company cannot pay even the proffered 15 cents an hour increase unless the ceiling price of steel is raised more than the \$4 a ton that the government is understood to be willing to allow. The big companies (as well as the little ones) have been wanting to reduce their income taxes, and cutting profits is a good way to reduce the income taxes.

The whole picture develops into a tug-of-war, with the government fighting to avoid higher prices, the employer attempting to gain more lee-way between ceiling prices and expenses and the workers fighting to gain more for their labor. The contestants will eventually reach agreements, because all are dependent upon the others, but they may be slow in settling their differences. An increase in ceiling prices is the most dangerous, but the easiest solution and that is probably what will transpire.

### Sunset Valley

Mrs. J. A. Black has returned from Big Piney, Wyoming, where she attended to business. Esther Nishi is visiting relatives in Baltimore, Maryland. Several from this community attended the special meetings conducted at the Adrian Free Methodist church by Rev. Bertha McCallie. Ed Price of Kingman Koony has

purchased the Kay Hunter farm and will move there this week. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Snyder will move onto the place vacated by the Price family in Kingman Colony. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lorensen and Charlie and Harley Wilson were Caldwell visitors, Monday. Wilford Gilbert left Monday for Wallowa, where he will make his home. Stanley Reffett will truck Gilbert's horses there this week.

R. W. Bolitho of Nyssa shot a wildcat on Mitchell Butte Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wilson left Wednesday for a two-weeks visit with relatives near Greeley, Colorado. They will also visit her parents at Nunn, Colorado. Evelyn Church of Nyssa was an overnight guest Friday of Vera Faye Council.

James Chadd was a business visitor in Ontario Monday. Hugh Riddle of Nu-Acres was an overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newgen Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Howell, Mary Rose and J. P. of Ontario were Sunday afternoon callers in the Charles Ditty home.

Anton Myhr left Monday for Seattle to spend the remainder of the winter. Magnus Ekanger, who has rented the Myhr place for the coming year, moved Monday.

Melvin Pendarvis has received an honorable discharge from the service and is now at the home of his mother, Mrs. Britton of Promise, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Parker and family are on a three-weeks visit on the coast. They will visit the Bill Parker family and her sister, Mrs. Willard Whitman, and family of Bremerton.

Bob Reffett is expected at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Reffett, soon. His ship anchored in New York Friday. He has spent 19 months in Germany.

Joe Council accompanied Effie Ellen Council and Velma Fox of Nyssa to a Methodist church conference in Emmett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newgen and son, Edward, and Jack Reffett were Sunday evening guests in the Cecil Riddle home in Nu-Acres.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Chapin entertained guests from Nebraska this week.

Rev. Alfred Brim was a Weiser visitor Monday.

A well is being drilled on the Andrew Titland place, while carpenters are erecting a new building nearby.

Mrs. Jesse Nishi and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. Wada, at Vale before going to their new home in Washington.

### IDAHO POWER BUYS CO-OP POWER UNIT

At the annual membership of the Long Valley Power Cooperative, Inc. held at Donnelly Monday, the members voted 273 to 5 to pay their indebtedness to the Federal government and sell their REA electric system to the Idaho Power company.

A comparison of the cooperative's electric rates with the schedules of Idaho Power company indicate a saving to members of approximately 33 percent in the cost of electric services, it was disclosed at the meeting.

At the meeting, C. J. Strike, president of Idaho Power company, explained that the company's offer was submitted at the request of the cooperative's officials, and would amount to approximately \$200,000, which is sufficient to pay all in-

debtedness of the association, including its loan from the federal government and to refund all membership fees and consumer deposits.

All customers of the Long Valley REA, which also operated in the Boise basin area, will be transferred immediately to Idaho Power company's standard rates, which are uniform throughout its interconnected system. Extension to new farm customers will be constructed as soon as weather conditions permit and materials can be obtained.

Charles Howe, former state representative of Valley county, presented figures at the meeting to show that north Idaho and Washington REA units receiving wholesale electric power from the Bonneville administration charge rates which are uniformly higher than Idaho Power company schedules.

Two officials of the rural electrification administration and representatives of the Bonneville power administration and the bureau of reclamation were also present at the meeting.

### Cow Hollow

Irvin Durfee and Ray Porter left Friday evening for Utah to move their brother and family to Oregon by truck.

Joseph Callahan and son, Irvin Callahan were in Boise last week to attend a power meeting. A Washington D. C. official delivered an address.

The chairman, Irvin Callahan, said there will be a meeting every week to acquaint the people with the people's utility district program.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Durfee and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Callahan were called to Utah last week to be at the bed side of a sick brother.

Arthur Callahan and Irvin Durfee were entertained last week at a church party. Before leaving to enter the service. Games were played and a lunch was served.

Susie Mitchell is home after three weeks of nursing in Ontario. Lamar Orr is home on a furlough from Japan. He will leave next week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Moyes are moving to Idaho Falls to live. Their sale was well attended. Norman Moyes is visiting in Pocatello, Idaho. Oren has just returned from a business trip to Salt Lake City.

Mrs. Opal King has gone to Salt Lake City to undergo a minor operation at the L. D. S. hospital.

McKay Hunter has sold his farm to Mr. Price and has moved to Boise.

Mr. Garner has purchased the Ransom farm from Wilford Bybee and will move to the place soon.

Mrs. Henrietta Maw is ill of influenza this week. Leslie Ballantyne has bought the DeGroff residence and has moved in.

### MITCHELL BUTTE

Tom Lowe is having trouble with a rock slide at Mitchell Butte spring.

Mrs. Ernest Smith entertained her club last Thursday.

Mr. Olp's hay chopper was damaged recently in an accident and if the machine had not become disengaged from the tractor Virgil Olp might have been injured.

### Oregon Trail

The Merry Matrons club met at the home of Alberta Bowen Wednesday afternoon, January 23. The afternoon was spent embroidering for the hostess. Five members and one guest, Nell Whitehead, were present. The club will hold its next meeting at the home of Jessie Chard February 6. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

H. H. Whitman of Madras was here on business this week. Mrs. F. S. Byers was hostess at a birthday dinner Sunday evening honoring her husband, F. S. Byers. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. E.

Bowen and Bernice, Billie and David Malone.

The Merry Matrons club served lunch at the Archie and Wyatt Smith sale Monday.

Mrs. Leonard Olson visited several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Rookstool.

David Malone, who was recently discharged from the merchant marines, spent several days at the J. E. Bowen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Chard of Boise spent Monday at the Archie Smith home.

Freeman Rookstool and Roland Whitman made a business trip to Madras last week.

Mrs. Nell Whitehead spent several days last week at the home of her son, J. E. Bowen.

### SODIUM CHLORATE IS NOW AVAILABLE

Farmers interested in treating noxious weeds before farming season begins again, may do so with two additional carloads of sodium chlorate have arrived in the county.

The best time for application has passed, but effective kills can be obtained by treating now if the entire patch can be located. In treating noxious weeds with sodium chlorate, it is always necessary to treat three to four feet beyond the last plant on the outside edge. If this part of the treatment is neglected, rapid spread of the plants will result requiring retreatment at these points, Joe R. Anderson, assistant county agent, said.

### SALE CALENDAR

FARM SALE—Sat. Feb. 2, at 1 p. m., 1/2 mile north of Ontario on Highway 30. Mobilgas Station. Blacksmith tools, implements, poultry. Household goods. J. R. Gaddy, owner; Col. Bert Anderson, auct.

FARM SALE—Wednesday, Feb. 6-10 mile southwest of Vale on south side of Malheur river or 3 miles west of Hope store on Harper highway. Lunch on grounds. Sale starts at 12:00 noon. 40-Holstein cattle, 13-registered, 7-horses, machinery. George W. Palmer, owner. Col. Bert Anderson, auctioneer.

FARM SALES—Friday, Feb. 1: 3 miles west of Vale on Graham Blvd. then 1/2 mile north. Lunch on grounds, sale starts 12:30 p. m. 26-cattle, 2-horses, 13 hogs, machinery, dairy equipment, some household goods. Arth Huffaker owner. Col. Bert Anderson, auctioneer.

CLOSING OUT AUCTION SALE—Beginning Feb. 7 and every afternoon until sold; Whisler New and Used Merchandise Store in Ontario opposite Pix theatre. Ladies', men's and children's clothing; dish-

Serving 5 Counties From the Largest Stock of Genuine



Parts Orders Shipped Immediately  
**Mc Cluer-Manser**  
Phone 49 Payette, Idaho

**Don M. Graham**  
Insurance Agency  
Fire and Automobile Insurance  
Rentals Bonds

## Unfinished Furniture

Nice Selection of Chests of Drawers Beds Desks with benches Vanity Sets

## Mattresses

Now Available

**Nordale Furniture Store**

es, furniture, tools, musical instruments. Everything goes. W. B. Whisler, owner; Col. Floyd A. Randall, auctioneer.

**PUBLIC FARM SALE**—Feb. 4, starting at one o'clock. At the C. E. Cox farm located 6 miles north of Payette on Highway 30, then 1 1/2 miles east on Oregon side or 1 1/2 miles east of Community school. Horses, farm machinery, many miscellaneous articles. C. E. Cox, owner; Col. Floyd A. Randall, auctioneer; Clyde Dale, clerk.

**PUBLIC FARM SALE**—Old Coley Wilsher place 5 1/2 miles north of Payette on Highway 30, on the Idaho side, then 1/2 mile east. Tuesday, Feb. 12 starting at 1 p. m. Lunch served on the grounds. Horses, cattle, farm machinery. John Harmon and W. S. Beigh owners. Cols. Bert Anderson and Joe Church, auctioneers; L. H. Fritts, clerk.

**PUBLIC FARM SALE**—February 5, starting at 10 a. m. Boals ranch, located 1/2 mile north and 1/2 mile east of Texaco Station on US 30, 5 miles north of Payette and 10

**PUBLIC FARM SALE**—February 5, starting at 10 a. m. Boals ranch, located 1/2 mile north and 1/2 mile east of Texaco Station on US 30, 5 miles north of Payette and 10

**PUBLIC FARM SALE**—February 5, starting at 10 a. m. Boals ranch, located 1/2 mile north and 1/2 mile east of Texaco Station on US 30, 5 miles north of Payette and 10

### Bernard Eastman

Real Estate Insurance  
Phone 64 Nyssa, Oregon

Remember

You Can't Drive

## A 1947 Car

Today

So, keep your old automobile in good running condition.

## TOWNE'S GARAGE

## Farm Auction

Located 11 miles southwest of Nyssa. Go to Jim Langton's corner, 2 miles west, 1 mile north, 2 miles west, 3/4 north or 1 mile straight west of Ole's corner.

## Wed., Feb. 6

Sale Starts at 1 p. m. Ladies Will Serve Lunch

### MACHINERY

- 1 Grain drill, grass seeder, 8 foot.
- 1 6-foot binder, McCormick-Deering.
- 1 Manure spreader (Moline).
- 1 Tandem disc harrow, 7 foot.
- 1 7-foot orchard disc.
- 1 Spring-tooth 4-section harrow.
- 1 Cultivator (6 shovel) practically new.
- 1 John Deere beet cultivator and tools.
- 1 Spud digger. 1 John Deere 2-way plow.
- 1 John Deere gang plow.
- 1 Walking plow, 12 inch.
- 3 20-foot hay slips and chains.
- 1 One-horse cultivator.
- 1 Corn cultivator (6 shovel).
- 1 John Deere mower (Big 4).
- 1 John Deere 10-foot heavy hay rake. Almost new. Junior planter knives.
- 1 Garden cultivator.
- 1 International electric fencer.
- 1 Olson four-row corrugator.
- 1 Wagon and rack, wood wheels.
- 1 Wagon and rack, iron wheels.
- 1 Good ditcher plow. 1 Weed burner spray.
- 1 Spike tooth harrow.
- 1 Farmal tractor 20, cultivator and tools.
- 1 South Bend Malleable iron enamel and nickle trim wood-coal range.
- Some furniture, tools and many miscellaneous articles.

### HAY

5 ton alfalfa hay.

### HORSES

- 1 Team, horses, sorrel mares (good).
- 3 Sets harness and collars.

### J. H. Kirkland, Owner

Bill Lane, Auct. Mrs. Lane, Clerk  
Phone 116J Nyssa

# Bybee Brothers Motor And Implement Co.

Announce to their many friends that they have been chosen to represent the

## Kaiser-Fraser Cars In Nyssa

First showing March 1 and 2 in Portland  
Phone 88W or 05J3, Nyssa, to place your order.

RATES: Two cent per word

### MISCELL

FOR SALE—Pre tire bicycle in equire at the

FOR SALE—50-a farm. One mile north of Kingman house. C. W. W.

FOR SALE—High location, oiled hi school-bus. Near modern six-room water right. Ha Idaho.

FOR SALE—As farm and selling have for sale a heavy duty truck beet bed, stock ra van body, all it See Roland Wh SW Nyssa on 1 1/2 east of Ole's avenue.

FOR SALE—Tru with aerial. Fair large steel-frame Spencer Lane ph

FOR SALE—30-a 33 row crop. Soa fenced. \$5000. W. al delivery, Nyss

FOR SALE—Bab white, white rock and white leghorn ing, good quality. Phone Fruitland 6 ley hatchery, Payet

FOR SALE—New 1 house, two bedro built-ins. Corner way 30. H. G. Joh

FOR SALE—40-acc improvements. Large with built-ins and miles northwest ( company plant. Inc Drive-in, Randall

FOR SALE—Birds Moore, Kingman F

FOR SALE—Boy's ES, new paint, new quire at Jake's rix

FOR SALE—Ivory and coal range, pr H. Kirkland. Mile ner.

FOR SALE—Centrs 520A, 54A alfalfa, buildings, \$7500, pu to Fisher C. Log Oregon.

FOR SALE—Assori

### PRO

### BUSIN

### AUCTIO

MARION Livestock ar Auction Rt. 2, Onta Phone :

### PHYSI

SARAZIN J. J. Saraz K. E. Kerl General practic X-ray

L. A. Mauld Physician ar Phone Sarazin NYSSA

### DENT

J. R. CU Dent Phone Sarazin NYSSA

### Sales Servic

WORLD ELECTR Cleaner & A E. R. Ar Rt. No. 3 S Weiser,