

NYSSA SPONSORS OF PUD. OUTLINE PLANS

The Nyssa sponsors of a Malheur county public utilities district met Monday, January 28, at Nyssa to formulate plans for informing the people of the advantages of a peoples' non-profit utilities district.

Buster Bush was elected meeting chairman and Irvin Callahan was elected meeting secretary and educational chairman of this district. The group chose as a name for this district organization, "The Nyssa Electrical Educational Club." They resolved that this organization should be instrumental in bringing to the public a true picture of the electric power situation.

An investigation is now being conducted by the hydroelectric commission of Oregon of the advisability of establishing a public utilities district in Malheur county. If from their findings, it is found advisable, the issue may be petitioned for and placed on the ballot for a vote in the primary election in May.

"Bonneville power administration and bureau of reclamation officials have announced that large blocks of electrical power will soon be available at about half the price now being paid," the committee said. "The U. S. congress has provided, that the people should have first preference in the use of this power."



WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 31—Since the days of President Adams, when his wife hung the family wash in the East room and a cow was kept in the basement, the White House has been the residence of the president. At receptions, ice water is poured from silver pitchers on which is engraved "The President's House." Now, under the present administration, the White House is to become just another office building. It is proposed to spend \$1,000,000 on an extension to accommodate the steadily increasing staff of clerks handling White House business, and the suggestion does not meet with general approval.

The White House has been an institution in Washington, D. C. It has been the center of officialdom. It has been surrounded by stone mansions in which lived Dolly Madison (first to serve ice cream in the White House), the home of

Dekatur, hero of the war with the Tripoleans, pirates, and of many others who have gained fame in American history. But the White House itself sits in a large lawn, looks like a southern mansion and is the place where a president has not only his office but his home. Making of the White House an office building grates on the nerves.

In the neighborhood there is ample room for purchasing a site and erecting a modern office building where the White House staff could be accommodated without encroaching on the residence of the highest executive. It was built for a home and so remained until Coolidge fixed the roof, and in the days of FDR additional space was required for the growing clerical staff. The president, whenever he may be in the years to come, will be practically dwelling in a penthouse. The beauty and charm of the stately old mansion will have disappeared.

During the war earth movers excavated a tunnel from the White House to the treasury building across the street. This was to be a "get-away" in event of an enemy aerial raid on Washington—which most residents expected in those skittish days. There was no publicity about the tunnel but it was an open secret to the people of Washington. Fortunately, there was never occasion for FDR and his family to scurry underground to the bomb-proof vault in the treasury. The tunnel did not mar the appearance of the White House but the plan for an office building is something else.

There is much speculation of what will happen when atomic bombs are exploded on a fleet of large and small warships near Bikini, in the Marshall Islands. No one, of course, will be on any of the vessels and no one knows what will develop from the explosion. It is certain that there will be heavy fatalities among the fish in those tropical waters, but there are no commercial fisheries in the area. The explosion may bring to the surface types of fish that the eyes of man have never seen. There may also be raised a tidal wave that might race to every part of the Pacific and cause some damage in islands far distant from the scene of the detonation. And it is also believed that seismographs will record the shake as though it were an earthquake.

No statement has been given out by the army or navy as to how many atomic bombs will be used in this fact-finding experiment. The bombs will be dropped from aircraft upon the ships, after the manner in which Hiroshima and Nagasaki were destroyed. The spot selected has 66 feet of water and it is planned to send divers down to examine what is left of the ships after they have been wiped out by the bomb or bombs. There are fewer than 200 natives on Bikini and they will be removed before the explosion, which scheduled for sometime in May. Part of the fleet to be annihilated is now enroute to the proposed scene of action.

Senator Thomas of Oklahoma says that the American people must face for a long time to come a tax burden of about \$35,000,000,000 a year. Of this sum, he said, \$25,000,000,000 will be for federal taxes, with state county and local taxes adding another \$10,000,000,000. The senator made this observation in the hope that realization of the staggering burden would persuade all taxing agencies to hold down expenses, and, of course, especially congress. Senator Thomas is not hopeful of being able to dig out from under the national debt during the life of the present generation or of that to come. Meanwhile, both the recommendations by the president and the proposals by individual members of congress call for next expenditures, some of them along untried lines.

Big Bend

The Wade P. T. A. will meet Friday afternoon, February 1 at the home of Mrs. Harvey Bennett with Mrs. Will Gibson assistant hostess.

Mrs. S. H. Stark has been quite ill for the past few weeks. A farewell reception honoring Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jackson and sons was held in Arena Valley hall. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson have gone to New York to visit Mrs. Jackson's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Dyre Roberts and children went to Nampa last Tuesday to visit Mrs. Roberts' brother-in-law, who had just returned from a two-year stay in Pacific areas.

Vincent Hickman returned home a week ago from the Philippines. He has been in the medical corps for the past two years.

Ezra T. Brumbach, who was on duty at Fort Douglas, Utah, received his discharge papers and returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Haworth, Mrs. M. E. Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Van de Water spent Sunday in Nampa.

Mrs. John Bishop and children of Nyssa were Sunday guests in the Brumbach home.

Mrs. Gerritt Muntjewerff and children of Parma spent Sunday visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Walter Bishop was a business visitor in Ontario Saturday, attending a consultation over Jack Moore

with county officials, doctors and nurses.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brumbach spent Sunday in Nampa having dinner at the Dewey hotel and attending a musical concert later.

Mrs. Ernest Mausing's mother, Mrs. Louise Ware, 91, passed away last Wednesday and funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the Baptist church in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Baldrige entertained relatives from Caldwell Sunday.

Arcadia

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Canada of Jerome, Idaho visited Mrs. Canada's sister, Mrs. Anna Dail, and other relatives.

Mrs. Ted Bates and Tommy and Margaret, visited Mrs. Bates' mother, who is in a Boise hospital, Sunday.

Marlin Farmer, who has been in the navy the past two years, returned home last week with a discharge.

The Nyssa school board and Arcadia school board held a school meeting at the Arcadia schoolhouse Thursday evening.

Mrs. Glen Dowers and Mrs. Less Jamison attended the meeting of all clubs at the Boulevard Grange hall January 24.

Rev. Chandler of Caldwell closed a series of Bible study meetings here Friday evening.

Rev. Hovda, who is a missionary with the American Sunday school union in Bellingham, Washington will begin a week of evangelistic meetings here beginning Sunday night, February 10. Rev. Hovda was the minister of the Baptist church in Ontario for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Perle Richland of Parma were dinner guests at the George Moeller home one day last week.

J. M. Wagner went to Caldwell Monday.

Josephine Chavez of Nyssa visited at the John Lucero home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Moeller and family and Miss Alice Warner attended the Christian Endeavor convention in Ontario Sunday night.

Miss Pearl Orvis of Huntington spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dail and sons of Nyssa, visited their mother, Mrs. Anna Dail, at the Otis Bullard home Sunday evening.

Receives Discharge—

Martin C. Farmer, fireman second class, Nyssa, has received his discharge from the navy.

Kitchen Chats

By Leona Anderson
of Idaho Power Co.

"TUNA SOUFFLE SATISFIES"
Cold sharp air, newly fallen snow, crunches under foot and sparkles like a million diamonds in the lights, indicate that January is here with new hopes and new ambitions. Our boys will be home from overseas and will be deceiving lurches. New foods on the family table whet the appetite and convince everyone that there is no place quite like home.

TUNA FISH SOUFFLE

7 ounces canned tuna fish
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon paprika
1 teaspoon lemon juice
1 cup bread crumbs
3/4 cup milk
3 beaten egg yolks
3 stiffly beaten egg whites
Combine flaked fish with salt, paprika, and lemon juice. Simmer bread crumbs in milk 5 minutes. Add seasoned fish and egg yolks. Mix well. Fold in egg whites. Turn into greased baking dish or individual dishes. Place in pan of hot water and bake in moderate oven 30-degrees F, 45 to 50 minutes. Serves 6.

Legal Advertising

NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING—
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the first and final account of Robert F. Thompson, Administrator of the estate of John Wade Robinson, Deceased.

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son, deceased, has been filed in the County Court of Malheur County, Oregon, and that Monday the fourth day of March 1946, at the hour of 11 o'clock A. M. and the court room at Vale, Oregon, have been fixed by the court as the time and place for the hearing of said account and any objections that may be made thereto, at which time any person interested in said estate may appear and file objections in writing and contest the same and be heard thereon. Such account is for final settlement and upon being approved the Administrator will be discharged and said administration closed.

Robert F. Thompson, Administrator of the estate of John Wade Robinson, Deceased.
January 30th 1946.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE HEREBY IS GIVEN, to the creditors and all persons interested in the estate of Hyrum B. Williams, deceased: that the undersigned has been appointed Administrator of the estate of Hyrum B. Williams deceased, and has qualified as such.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same with the proper vouchers duly verified within six months of the date of the first publication of this notice, to the undersigned at the office of A. L. Fletcher in Nyssa, Oregon, which place is hereby designated as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

D. L. Anderson, Administrator of the estate of Hyrum B. Williams, Deceased.
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A new arrival in Ontario

Dr. John J. Easley



to be associated with Dr. J. A. McFall in his practice. Formally practiced in Portland, Oregon Graduate of Oregon State college. Graduate of North Pacific college of Optometry.

Entered Military Service May 5, 1941. Returned to inactive status August 24, 1945.

Stationed at various army hospitals in the United States, Alaska and the Aleutians.

Last assignment served as Optometric officer in charge of the eye clinic at Sedalia army air field, Sedalia, Missouri.

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