

**Adrian**

Mrs. Threlma Elliot, Mrs. Mildred Hite and Mrs. Maurice Judd were dinner guests Wednesday evening in the W. L. McPartland home in Nyssa. Later they attended a picture show.

Miss Norma Hanson, daughter of Glen Hanson, was pleasantly surprised Thursday evening at a birthday supper given by 3 co-workers in the Sewell packing shed. Mrs. Helen Nicholson furnished the ice cream and Mrs. Eileen Sparks the fried chicken and the other workers provided potluck dishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boness and two daughters of Tacoma visited a few days the past week in the L. W. Dierking home at Napton siding. Mrs. Boness and Mrs. Dierking are sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Boness were en route home after visiting relatives in Nebraska.

Mrs. Frances Deffer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brown, arrived

Wednesday morning from Fairberry, Nebraska for a few weeks' visit.

A birthday dinner was held for little Judy Mackey on her first birthday at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gowey Thursday, August 1.

Ellen Judd was an overnight guest of Betty Jean Toomb Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Steelman and Donna Lee and J. E. Nichols of Nampa were Sunday dinner guests in the Charles Satterfield home in Caldwell.

Threlma Elliot, Jean Dille, Barbara Hatch and Betty Lou Jarvis left Monday morning to join other 4-H club members and leaders on a week's camping trip to Payette lakes. Howard Hatch took the 4-H group to the lakes.

Members of the 4-H Swine club met Friday evening with Fred Deffer. The boys discussed showmanship and the exhibiting of their pigs at the fair to be held in September. At the close of the meeting they enjoyed a weiner roast.

Mr. and Mrs. K. I. Peterson entertained at dinner Thursday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pogleman and Katherine, Irene, Eldon and Elvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hatch, Elbert Hatch and Barbara were shoppers in Boise Monday. They called at the Mercy hospital in Nampa to visit Mrs. Hatch's sister, Mrs. R. Wright of Parma, who is a patient there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hamilton and family of Houston, Texas have been guests of Mrs. Howard Hatch. Mr. Hamilton is a cousin of Mrs. Hatch. He is a newspaper editor and sings over a Houston broadcasting station. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton are touring the west on a two-months vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brown of



**WATER SPOUTED A MILE . . .** Power and heat at the fifth atomic bomb churned Bikini lagoon into a cauldron of flame, smoke and steam and pitched battleships about like toy boats. The underwater explosion sank the battleship Arkansas and two smaller craft and dealt mortal wounds to the aircraft carrier Saratoga, which sank seven hours after the explosion. Size of water disturbance can be seen in above photograph, by comparison with naval ships still floating.

beautiful and useful gifts. A lunch of ice cream, cake and punch was served by the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hanson of Nyssa, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Burt and son and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Johnson spent the week-end at McCall.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Orcutt and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blanchard and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thomson.

Mrs. Orcutt of Los Angeles spent part of last week with her son, Henry Orcutt, and family.

**ZIMMERLY TO START NEW AIR SERVICE**

Service on the new route of Empire Air Lines through Ontario will be started September 1, Bert Zimmerly, president and general manager, announced.

Terminals of the air line will be Spokane and Idaho Falls. Cities served will be Idaho Falls, Pocatello, Burley, Gooding, Boise, Ontario, Baker, LaGrande, Pendleton, Walla Walla, Lewiston, Moscow, Coeur d'Alene and Spokane.

Zimmerly also announced purchase of three new 20-passenger Boeing planes at a cost of \$465,000.

**BURTON SPEAKS ON CITY MANAGER**

Several, if not a majority, of the 15 Oregon cities operating under the council-manager plan, adopted that system when they were in serious financial trouble and have through its operation been able to solve their difficulties, get out of debt and reduce taxes, members of the Ontario Kiwanis club were told by E. K. Burton, city manager of Nyssa, who spoke at the club's luncheon last week.

Ontario would not need to go to much expense in obtaining a proposed council-manager plan, charter if the plan is to be voted on in Ontario, Mr. Burton said, as the League of Oregon Cities would provide consultants to help draft the charter.

As the system was set up in Nyssa, there are four council members who elect one member chairman and ex-officio mayor. Mr. Burton explained. The council appoints the manager and municipal judge. All other employees are appointed by the manager and the council members are prohibited from making any suggestions as to such employment, the purpose being to avoid "politics". Salaries, however, are fixed by the council.

The manager may be removed at any time, with or without cause by the council. He in turn may remove any employee, the intention being that the manager is solely responsible for efficient operation of the city's business. In actual practice in Nyssa, the manager is also city recorder, city engineer and manager of utilities.

Change-over to the council-manager form of government is proceeding rapidly in Oregon cities, Mr. Burton said. Fifteen are now operating under this plan and three others were to vote on it this year.

The plan appears to be successful in both large and small cities, the Nyssa manager stated. Eugene with a 1940 population of 20,840 is the largest Oregon city now utilizing the plan, although Salem, with over 30,000 people, has adopted it. Bandon with 1005 population is the smallest.



**QUEEN OF INDIAN TRIBES . . .** Miss America of the Indian Nations, Princess Dorothy Lee Rainwater, selected in a recent competition at Atlantic City, Princess Rainwater has traded her tribal costumery for American sports attire.

Fairberry, Nebraska, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Deffer and Fred, Betty Ann and Karen were Sunday dinner guests in the K. I. Peterson home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hatch and Barbara, and Donnie and Eloise Crocker were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hinman in Parma.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Huffman arrived in Adrian over the weekend. He is to be the new Adrian high school principal and coach for the coming year.

Mrs. Howard Hatch and Barbara spent Tuesday evening at the E. D. Wymer home in Parma at a family gathering.

Mrs. Helen Nicholson sold the Adrian restaurant the past week to Mr. Riddle of Bruno, Idaho. The new owner will take possession soon.

Howard Hatch and Donnie were in Boise Tuesday on business.

Miss Charlene Stilwell of Star, Idaho is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Dwayne Hatch.

**AAA NEWS**

**DAIRY PAYMENTS DUE** — Farmers who have not as yet applied for their dairy production payment for the months of April, May and June are reminded by Glen L. Hutchinson, chairman, that August 31 is the final date for filing their application with the county AAA committee.

All dairy payment program ended on June 30 with the lapse of the OPA, but payments on milk and butterfat sold during the second quarter were not affected. Whether the program will be resumed under the new OPA act will be decided by the OPA decontrol board before August 20.

**LUMBER OUTPUT CLIMBS** — Gradually climbing lumber production since the first of the year has

enabled the civilian production administration to forecast lumber production for this year of 32 billion board feet, two billion above the estimates made last January.

However, the 32 billion figure is five billion feet below the 1946 requirements and unpredictable events might force a downward revision of the forecast. Lumber production for May was estimated at 3,075,575,000 board feet, the first time since August, 1944 that the monthly total has exceeded the three billion foot level.

May production was 64 per cent greater than that of April and 10.4 per cent above May, 1945.

**NEWELL HEIGHTS**

Mrs. Carl Hill and Mrs. Maurice Judd spent Wednesday afternoon at a garden club committee meeting at the home of Mrs. Pfler in Buena Vista.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gally of Parma spent Sunday afternoon visiting at the M. L. Kurtz home.

Mrs. Stephens and son, Junior, and Mrs. Louise Hill and children spent the last week visiting relatives in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McLaughlin and Myrna Snow of Boise were overnight guests at the M. L. Kurtz home last Thursday night.

**NU-ACRES**

The lawn at the Sam Henne home last Wednesday afternoon was the scene of a lovely bridal shower given in honor of Mrs. Bill Blakesley, nee Miss Jean Seuell. Hostesses were Mrs. Paul Thomson, Mrs. Henry Blanchard and Mrs. Henne. Those present were Mrs. Jim Preston, Mrs. Frank Preston, Mrs. Marion Seuell, Mrs. Ernest Seuell, Mrs. Kenneth Baker, Mrs. Susan Barney, Mrs. Frank Nedbalek, Mrs. Thomas Evans and Janice, Mrs. Cecil Evens, Mrs. Dwight Durrington, Mrs. Lawrence Hawley and Lauren, Mrs. F. A. Johnson, Mrs. Curtis Fry, Mrs. Bob Palmer, Mrs. Omer Betts, Mrs. E. Meroney, Mrs. Henry Orcutt, Mrs. Prate Chesney, Mrs. George Grasmick, Mrs. Bob Blakesley, Mrs. Oscar Samuels, Mrs. George Smit, Mrs. J. Martin, Mrs. Mrs. Rinhold Stohler, Mrs. Bill Riddler, Mrs. Dora Wilkinson and Mrs. Harry Wood. After an interesting program the bride opened the many

**BUILDING PERMITS**

Emmett Reamond, construction, Alberta avenue, \$3400, frame, 20 by 30.

Marie Thomas, Locust and Third, lot 16, block 72, Green addition.

Owen Gann, Sixth street, lot 14 block 39, Park addition, construction, \$1500, 26 by 32, frame.

Thomas I. Weeks, construction, Second street, block 59, Green addition, 16 by 18, \$400.

C. H. Bennett, construction, Third street, lots 6, 7 and 8, block 24, concrete blocks, 24 by 62.

John E. Ostrom, construction, d avenue, north 1/2 block 13, Tutech addition, \$5000, 30 by 80, cinder blocks.

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