

### Days Gone By in Nyssa Community

From the Journal Files

#### Five Years Ago June 26, 1947

The city of Nyssa has issued a call for bids on paving of approximately 3 1/2 miles of streets and intersections and other improvements which will be started within the next few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. John Potter purchased the Star Hotel from Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Rogers. Oleen Wells was elected president and Glea Billings, vice president of the Nyssa Lions club. Luther Fife, contractor started work Monday on the enlargement and improvement of the elementary school building. Designation of the Owyhee reservoir area as a state park was virtually assured this week by state officials who accompanied Nyssa men, Bernard Frost, Aden Wilson, Herman Towne, Eddie Powell and Leo Fife to the upper reaches of the reservoir. Miss Barbara Browne who is taking nurses training at Portland Medical hospital, has been vacationing with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley J. Browne. Mrs. D. L. Hurst, Nyssa, has been announced as a winner in a national contest conducted by the Ralston Purina Co., St. Paul. Mr. and Mrs. Waynard Talbot announce the engagement of their daughter, Margene to Glen Weeks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Weeks.

car storage warehouse for onions at Nyssa, and other warehouses in this section were outlined at a meeting of onion growers of Malheur, Washington, Fayette and Canyon counties held in Ontario. Luther Fife of Nyssa was low bidder on the construction of the proposed farm labor camp at Nyssa, according to meager reports. His bid was slightly less than \$100,000. May Griffith of Caldwell and Mrs. Lydia Jurries of Parma have purchased the Nyssa Nursing home from Mr. and Mrs. Wilson. Lester Harris of Ridgeview was elected director and Mrs. Martha Klingback, clerk for school district No. 18.

#### 15 Years Ago June 24, 1937

The Amalgamated Sugar Co. has taken an option on 240 acres of land at Cairo Junction. The option has caused some uneasiness among Nyssa people who were hopeful of a factory being built in Nyssa this summer and fall. M. F. Solomon was appointed city recorder by Mayor Don Graham, to fill out the 18 month unexpired term of the late A. R. Miller. The Union high school proposition in Kingman, Owyhee, Wade and Lower Bend was ratified at a school election Monday. After the boundary board has certified the election, a bond election will be held and work will start on the new Union high to be constructed at Adrian. Mrs. Arlie Robertson, Mrs. A. H. Boydell, Mrs. Dwight Smith and Mrs. E. D. Norcott drove out to the country home of Mrs. Florence Chase to surprise her on her birthday.

20 Year Ago June 23, 1932

Nyssa trimmed the Boise Senators 9 to 4 at Boise to maintain the lead in the Idaho-Oregon league. Mr. and Mrs. Sid Burbridge returned from Portland where he was delegate at the Masonic grand lodge. J. A. Therteling Co. purchased a 140 ton diesel wadline for construction of the first stretch of main canal and is the first dragline west of the Mississippi with an aluminum boom. Heavy stands of hay have been cut and stacked to replace an exhausted supply last winter. Some of the best and largest crops reported are on the Robert Overstreet, C. C. Cotton, C. M. Beaumont, T. T. Elliott and Conrad Martin farms. Merl Linder of Nyssa and Miss Mary Jane Tackett of Fruitland were married in Ontario. Engineer F. A. Banks stated that more than one world record had been broken in constructing the Owyhee dam. It's the world's highest, Gil Shea broke the world records in excavating the diversion tunnel and S. S. Magoffin Co. is conquering the world's hardest tunnel excavation.

25 Years Ago June 24, 1927

The contract for the building of the new school house in Owyhee has been given to Godfrey Hansen. Lin Kygar has taken the job of digging the basement. A bright new barber pole in front of Nyssa Barber shop is an addition on Main street this week. Two new awnings in front of the Nyssa Packing Co.'s building and the Rosebud add a good appearance to the North side of Main street. About 20 members attended the regular meeting of the Nyssa Commercial club and it was voted to have a get-acquainted picnic at the dam site. An agency for the new Whippet car will open in Nyssa July 1 with J. A. Cole and W. B. Hoxie in charge of sales at the Hoxie Service Station.

30 Years Ago June 23, 1922

A well attended meeting of the potato growers was held at Community hall Tuesday evening and it was decided to form a pool of 200 cars and sell to the highest bidder. Nyssa defeated Vale 13 to 0 in a ball game Sunday, giving Nyssa the pennant, having won 6 games out of 8. C. C. Hunt has purchased the old Reece warehouse on the railroad right-of-way south of the depot which will be completely remodeled and made into a warehouse and fruit packing establishment. Miss Marian Lowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Lowe of the Owyhee was chosen delegate from Whitman College to the Delta Gamma convention at Spring Lake, New Jersey.

35 Years Ago June 22, 1917

Home grown strawberries are now fairly plentiful and are selling two boxes for 25c. A large caterpillar tractor reached town by the O.S.L. to be used by the Land Co. in clearing and cultivating 900 acres of sagebrush land under the Shoestring near Nyssa. Denny and Co. of Chicago contracted for the entire apple crop of Apple Valley orchards, an estimated 150 carloads and plans to erect a new packing house and cold storage plant. Fred Marshall the local knight of the brush, this week painted Justice J. Boydell's office building, making a thing of beauty of it. Transient laborers are dropping into town and are immediately hired by farmers at wages from \$3 to \$4 a day and board. Marion Lowe of Owyhee, began saving pennies when four years old, consequently was able to buy a liberty bond last week. She twice held a state championship, in canning and for sewing at the state fair.

### Buena Vista

Mrs. Alva Goodell  
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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hailey, Jr. of Los Angeles spent Thursday evening at the Willis Bertram home. Mr. Hailey is a cousin of Mrs. Bertram.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cleaver and boys and Alva Goodell, Jr. fished near Ironside Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cleaver and Mr. and Mrs. Alva Goodell attended the wrestling matches at the Army in Ontario Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Heilig of Burley called at the Willis Bertram home Tuesday evening. Mrs. Heilig is an aunt of Mrs. Bertram.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cleaver fished and picnicked at the dam Friday.

Mrs. Eugene Stephen entertained the Chatter Box club at her home Wednesday afternoon. Twelve members attended. Refreshments were served by the hostess and Mrs. Jim Stephen, Jr. co-hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buckner called at the James Stephen, Jr. home Thursday evening.

Claudette Day of Adrian spent the week-end at the Howard Day home.

Mrs. Howard Finger entertained a group of ladies at her home Friday evening. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Toppliff, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Toppliff, Heta Mae and Wanda called at the Ray Warren home near Parma Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hiatt, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. John McCallister were dinner guests at the Mancill Bishop home Sunday.

Little Jimmy Bishop has been ill with an ear infection.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Low and Larry Gardner fished near Ironside Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bertram left Sunday for East Lake near Bend, where they met a party from Milton-Freewater to fish several days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Toppliff spent Tuesday afternoon in Caldwell visiting Mrs. Irvin Toppliff and Marcie Ann who was in the hospital there, home at Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Tanner spent Wednesday evening at Alta Pekkala Loyd Adams, George Cleaver and Alva Goodell were among the Rid-

ing club members that worked on the grounds Sunday to get them ready for the Jolopy races.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ritchie and family were Sunday dinner guests at the Douglas Bateman home at Nyssa.

Mrs. Joe Callahan entered the hospital at Ontario Thursday and will undergo an operation this week. Barbara Tanner spent Sunday with Patsy Patterson at the Oxyhee Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Day, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ritchie and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Cleaver spent Thursday evening at the Eugene Cleaver home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Hoffman spent Sunday afternoon at the Claude Day home near Adrian.

Carolyn Story spent the week-end with Garnet Ritchie.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Keuhn of Boulder, former Nyssa residents, called at the George Cleaver home Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Day and Sandra were Sunday dinner guests at Claude Day home near Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. U. E. Parker of Enterprise and their son, Hubert, who is in the air corps, and has been stationed in Texas, called on several friends in the community Monday. Hubert is on a furlough before leaving for Newfoundland.

### Local News

Rev and Mrs. Frank Coley left Wednesday morning for the state camp meeting of the Assemblies of God and Brooks, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Richards and daughters spent the past week in Moses Lake, Washington where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hank Storm and Bobby, former residents of Nyssa. They also went to Grand Coulee dam and other points of interest.

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Kendall of Idaho are staying at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Frank Coley, taking charge of the Assembly of God church services while the Coley's are attending camp meetings at Brooks, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. N. Bear visited friend at the veterans hospital in Boise Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Renstrom had as visitors Sunday for dinner Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson of Nampa and Mr. and Mrs. C. Leseberg of Meacham, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Renstrom left Wednesday for Albany to attend the Eagle convention. They will return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Terhuns and Mary returned Sunday from a two

week's trip to California. They visited friends and relatives in Los Angeles, San Francisco, and Sacramento.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Olsen and family are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Child. They plan to stay three weeks to visit friends and relatives.

Sue Lueck of Chicago is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ingebritsen.

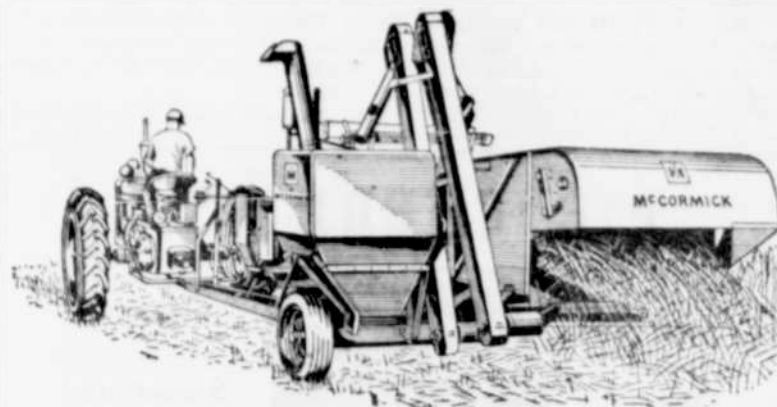
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tyler of Durkee were overnight guests at the Bob Thompson home Tuesday.

Mrs. Roth returned Monday evening after spending two weeks in Spokane visiting relatives.

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Among cities of Portland's size or larger, 92% have lower prices for milk bought in stores, with an average saving of 1 1/2 cents a quart. Portland is the only such city west of the Mississippi where store and delivered prices are the same. The six cities where store customers save most are:

New York City	4 1/2c
Minneapolis	4c
Washington, D. C.	3c
Detroit	2 1/2c
Chicago	2 1/2c
Kansas City	2 1/2c

Lower store prices are possible in Portland, too

This fact was disclosed by Oregon State College's two investigations of distributing and retailing costs for the Milk Control authorities published in 1951 and 1952. These cost studies show:

1. Milk could have been profitably priced an average of two cents lower by half the stores surveyed (most of them independent stores) when supplied by half the wholesalers studied.
2. A four cent saving could actually have been passed on to consumers by Portland's most efficient independent store, supplied by Portland's most efficient wholesaler.

Oregon Milk Control has not permitted the consumer to benefit from such savings made possible by efficient distribution.

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The questions and answers below show some other ways in which Oregon Milk Control affects YOU.

- Q. Does Milk Control limit the richness of milk?  
A. Yes. The richness (butterfat content) of milk sold in each price range is limited by the rulings of the Milk Administrator.
- Q. Does Milk Control set the price you must pay?  
A. Yes. That is the purpose for which the law was designed. It sets floor prices, not ceiling prices.
- Q. Does Milk Control discourage competitive distribution of milk?  
A. Yes. No one can enter the milk business if the Administrator says such new competition might disturb existing distributors.
- Q. Does the Oregon Milk Control Law regulate Sanitary conditions?  
A. No. It has absolutely nothing to do with the sanitation, health inspection, cleanliness, or the purity of milk.
- Q. Does Milk Control limit the supply of Grade A milk?  
A. Yes. To sell Grade A milk for your use a farmer must first get permission from the Administrator. If he gets permission (and many do not), he is given a quota. If he produces more he must often sell the surplus at a lower price for cheese or other factory uses.

Send for this free booklet. You and your family are vitally concerned by anything that affects the milk supply of your community. Learn how Oregon Milk Control affects YOU. Write to Safeway Stores, 1139 S.E. Third, Portland 14, Ore.

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