

Newell Heights News

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Mrs. Charles Gulickson and Mrs. M. L. Caldwell of Long Beach, California, Mrs. George Judd and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Judd and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Judd of Parma were Sunday dinner guests of the Maurice L. Judds.

Mrs. Lydia Worden returned home from Huntington, Oregon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Embee of Oakland were guests several days last week in the Maurice O. Judd home.

Mrs. M. O. Judd entertained Friday evening in honor of her cousin, Millard Kinney, who left Sunday for the University of Chicago.

Mrs. Madeline Billings and four children and Mrs. Frank Moore and two children of Sacramento, California, visited at the home of their brother, Jake Borge and family from Monday evening till Thursday morning.

Miss Reva Jo Rathbun of Caldwell visited at the homes of her grandmother, Mrs. Lydia Worden and her uncle, Elvin Worden and family Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Del Steeley of Santa Barbara, California and Irwin Davidson of Ridgeview visited at the Elvin Worden home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Graham visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Byard in Boise Sunday.

Modern Pioneer club met at the home of Mrs. Jake Borge Tuesday with 12 members and one guest present. A picnic for members and families was planned for Sunday, July 13 at the Caldwell park. Wedding customs of various countries were reported on by Louise Hill and a pantomime wedding was conducted by Frances Worden in which Mrs. Marion Kurtz was the bride, Mrs. Ray Fox the groom; Louise Hill, the minister; Thelma Hammon, ring bearer; Anna Norris, flower girl and Mrs. Stanley was maid of honor. Frances Worden was pianist and Thelma Borge, soloist. The bride carried a bouquet of alfalfa blossoms and the maid of honor carried wild mustard. Refreshments of

ice cream, cookies and coffee were served. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Stanley Hill.

Mrs. Stanley of New Mexico is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Anna Norris.

Carl Lee Hill, who has been ill the past two weeks, is reported to be improving. He has been suffering from sinus trouble and kidney infection.

Mrs. Dudley Kurtz and Elaine visited in the Elmer Gaskill home in Ontario Friday.

Terry Borge and Betty Hammon returned from 4-H summer school at Corvallis Friday night. They reported an interesting and busy time but were glad to get home.

Diane Hardman left Tuesday to visit at the Leslie Stoker home in Boise for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Hardman were dinner guests at the Best Treadway home in Parma Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hardman of Port Angeles, Washington were guests at the Forest Hardman home last week from Monday through Friday.

Bert Treadway of Parma bought a riding horse, Rocket, from R. D. McKinley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kurtz and Elaine attended church services at the First Presbyterian Church in Boise Sunday. Following services they attended a family picnic in the Julia Davis park honoring Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Durnell of Parma on their silver wedding anniversary.

Mrs. M. L. Kurtz drove to Parma and brought her aunts, Mrs. Jessie Tucker of Portland and Mrs. Mary Gahley of Parma home with her to spend the day Friday.

A wedding shower honoring Mrs. Calvin Martin of Owyhee Corner was held on the M. L. Kurtz lawn last Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. George De Haven, Mrs. Bill Looney, Mrs. Vernon Parker, Mrs. Stanley Hill, and Mrs. Francis Deffer assisting. Tables were decorated in pink and blue and the cake was also decorated in pink and blue to coincide with Mrs. Martin's wedding ensemble. Mrs. Stanley Hill was in charge of games.

Word has been received by his parents that Merle Kurtz of Portland is going to be in Corvallis for three months serving an internship to supplement his medical education.

Reverend and Mrs. W. R. Gourley of Fresno, California, visited at the Lee Saxton home Monday and Tuesday of last week. Reverend Gourley is pastor of the St. Luke's Methodist church in Fresno. They went on to Willamette Valley to visit friends and relatives and to visit at Pratum, Oregon (near Salem) in the community where Reverend Gourley began his ministry. Mrs. Gourley is Mrs. Saxton's sister.

Mrs. Nora Haskins and son of Eden, Texas was a guest at the Saxton home. She is a sister of Mrs. Saxton. Mrs. Haskins went on to Baker and Pendleton to visit and to attend to business. She formerly lived in Baker.

Lowell Cristoffer of Colorado Springs, Colorado, a brother of Mrs. Lee Saxton visited at the Saxton home last week. He had just graduated from the college in Colorado Springs on June 9. He took a course in chemical engineering.

Mrs. Don Linnville accompanied Mrs. Lee Saxton to Ontario to the doctor Thursday, where Mrs. Saxton has been receiving treatment for sinus trouble.

Carol Whitaker of Portland was a house guest at the Roger Anderson home for the past week. She is also visiting her friends here. Carol is a former resident of Nyssa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Patterson of Ogden were week-end guests at the E. H. Bues home.

Mrs. Ed Boydell and daughter have been spending the last three weeks at her mother's home in Monmouth, Oregon. Mr. Boydell went up to Monmouth Saturday and drove them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Jensen and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brower were fishing at the Beulah Reservoir Sunday. Others fishing at the reservoir were Crut Olsen, Douglas Fleppence, Roy Holmes and Neil Demmick.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burningham and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mann spent Thursday and Friday at Shore Lodge at McCall.

Days Gone By in Nyssa Community

From the Journal Files

Years Ago, July 1, 1947

Shipment of early potatoes was started in Nyssa last week by J. C. Watson and Co., Eastern Oregon Produce Co. and the Owyhee Produce Co. The price the first few days reached a net of \$2.50 to the growers. Spring lettuce season concluded with shipment of 180 cars.—Hubert Co. store is remodeling and enlarging the interior of the store.—Candidates for queen of the Nyssa rodeo are Dorothy Bartholoma, Betty Pett, Nanette Bybee, Patsy Gwynn, Bonnie Kressly and Betty Domenico of Parma.—Roy Richardson who has been working at the Miner Barber shop, purchased the Owyhee Barber shop from Charles Sanford of Emmett.

Years Ago, July 2, 1947

The Nyssa Chamber of Commerce voted Wednesday of last week \$750 in prizes to be given to the organization competing in the scrap rubber drive.—Prospects indicate that the Malheur county fair, scheduled for Sept. 5, 6 and 7 will be cancelled due to the attitude of county and state officials.—Gunners Mate first class Don M. Graham is here from Portland on furlough.—Eddie Powell has returned to John Day where he will be a lookout at the Dry Soda Lookout station south of John Day this summer.—John Emery of Boise has leased Swan's Bakery from Andy Swan and will operate under the name of Sugar City Bakery.—Mrs. John Olsen and Robert McCurdy won prizes for the best costumes at the hard times dance sponsored by the Nyssa Civic Club.

Years Ago, July 1, 1937

A deal was completed this week in which the First National Bank of Portland purchased the bank building on the corner of 1st and Main from the city of Nyssa including fixtures for a cash consideration of \$4500.—Considerable discussion is heard regarding possible construction of a city hall, using part of the proceeds of the sale.—Bernard Frost will start excavation work on a building just east of the new theatre tomorrow morning. The building is to be 34½x70 feet and built of brick.—The Nyssa CCC Camp received the high rating of A-1.—Building permits totaling \$27,480 have been issued by the City recorder during the past few weeks; chief among the permits are a \$1,000 building by George Closson, \$1,000 in alterations by Lottie Phillips, \$10,000 for a new theatre, \$3550 house by Ed Dilley, \$1200 house by E. W. Fry and \$4,000 improvement by the Owyhee Irrigation office.—Workmen installed a new centrifugal water pump for the city of Nyssa, doubling the gallons per minute water flow into the big tank.

Years Ago, June 30, 1932

Leslie McClure of Caldwell closed a one year lease for the Swan Bakery from Jim and Andy Swan who will spend the summer at their mining claims at Silver City.—Over 600 acres of potatoes are making steady growth in the Nyssa area with prospects of around 200 carloads to be shipped.—Dennis Toombs escaped a burning hayrack loaded with hay and runaway at the Dick Tensen ranch only to suffer a shattered jawbone which he received after he had released his runaway team and one horse kicked him in the face.—The Nyssa-Parma aerie of the Eagles Lodge has plans in full swing for the initiation of 150 candidates July 7 at a joint institution with the new Ontario aerie.

Years Ago, July 1, 1927

Funds derived from the sale of one-half interest in the storage waters of the Warm Springs reservoir are paying for reclamation of 30,000 acres of rich farming land in the Warm Springs district that became water-logged from irrigation. Drainage works are not to cost more than \$45,000.—Agnes Nichols, honor pupil of Kingman Kolony made the highest average in the 8th grade examinations in Malheur county with an average of 93.9. Betty Tensen of Nyssa also made an average above 90.—The 10th annual 4th of July celebration is planned to open at Vale July 2.—The building on the corner of First and Good avenue formerly occupied by the Malheur County bank is undergoing renovation before being fitted up for headquarters for the Owyhee Irrigation district.—The 30 mile stretch of road to the damsite which has been improved by the county and Nyssa commercial club is nearing completion.—Nyssa is proud of Charley Newbill who is pitching for the Idaho Falls team. He entered the baseball hall of fame when he hurled what is believed to be the first no-hit, no-run baseball game in the

Utah-Idaho league against the Twin Falls Bruins.

Years Ago, June 30, 1922

The first car of head lettuce ever shipped from Malheur County and probably from the state of Oregon was shipped from Nyssa Saturday, consigned to Chicago and grown on the W. L. Gibson farm.—A meeting was held at the community hall Wednesday evening to take preliminary steps in forming a Boy Scout organization. Thirteen boys signed the membership list.—Skinsy Tensen is the proud possessor of a brand new Victrola which was installed in his home Wednesday.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Boydell, Blayne Boydell and Aden Wilson arrived home Tuesday from a two-week trip to Portland and the coast, having driven from La Grande that day. They covered 1400 miles during the trip.—Potato digging will begin July 15 and the yield is expected to be 200 sacks per acre on the land tributary to Nyssa.

Years Ago, June 29, 1917

Patriotic citizens in the Nyssa area from Big Bend to Arcadia gave nearly \$3,000 in a three-day Red Cross drive for funds.—The patriotic people of Owyhee have made arrangements for a big celebration to be held at Stam's Grove the 4th of July and a special invitation is extended to the people of Nyssa.—The post office, both interior and exterior was brightened up with several new coats of paint artistically applied by Christensen and Marshall and Postmistress Elizabeth Thompson just can't keep from putting on a few airs on account of it.—A stretch of level land along the Snake River just north and east of town which has produced nothing but sagebrush is being developed and much already has grown crops. Principal activity is on tracts owned by Mayor C. C. Wilson (farmed by R. R. Robbins), J. B. and M. C. Hatfield and Frank Leuck.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bybee were in Boise Sunday visiting friends.

Visiting at the Ed Case home are Mrs. Case's nieces and nephew from Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith, their grandson, Phillip Tucker and Frank Fry visited Sunday with Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. Ella D. Smith who is quite ill at the home of her brother, E. E. Dean at Emmett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Morgan and Sally and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sallee and Mardi spent the weekend at the Morgan's cabin at the Payette Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Stervoss, Gene and Dixie were dinner guests Sunday evening at the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Vanscoy and children at Payette.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Laing and daughter of The Dalles were visitors from Thursday until Saturday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Savage and also visited cousins, Mr. and Mrs. James Savage and children here.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Humphrey of Alabama and Mrs. Glenn Wilcox of Glenns Ferry were guests at the Mrs. Felton Duncan home last weekend.

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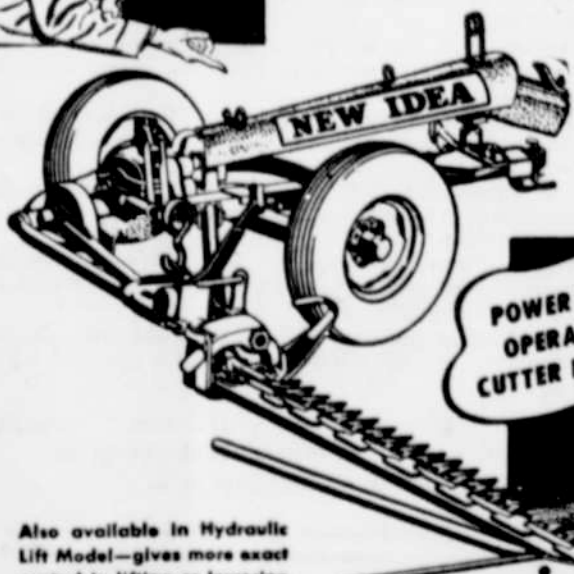
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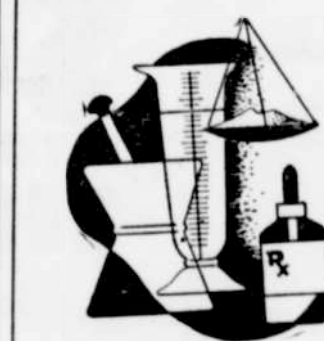


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