

## Days Gone By in Nyssa Community

From the Journal Files

5 Years Ago Dec. 11, 1947

Formal opening of Nyssa's new Marshall-Wells store in the building formerly occupied by Nyssa Coffee Shop will be held Friday. Owners are Roy Seavright and Mrs. Mollie Terry.—Mrs. Mary E. Lyells celebrated her 83rd birthday.—Billy Hansen has been promoted by the Navy to the rate of Pharmacist mate third class.—125 solicitors will launch an intensive drive Dec. 26 for the district Memorial hospital for the Nyssa area and surrounding communities, Frank Morgan, general

chairman announced.

10 Years Ago Dec. 10, 1942

Parallel parking system was inaugurated this week on Main street.—Christmas vacation has been reduced to two days to give students a longer time to engage in spring farm work, Henry Hartley school superintendent announced.—Jess Thompson, A. L. Atkeson and Frank Morgan have been appointed members of the Nyssa area price and ration board.—Albert Heldt, Jr., a motor mechanic in the Navy is here to visit his parents from his station

on the east coast.—Aviation Cadet Edward Boydell completed his primary flight training at the naval reserve aviation base at Pasco, Wash.—Lt. W. W. Smith of the U. S. air force visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Smith.

15 Years Ago Dec. 9, 1937

Mr. Loy of Portland is erecting 12 up-to-date auto court houses on Main street, east of the depot.—The popularity and personality contest sponsored by the Oregon at the State University was won by Pete Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell of Nyssa.—Swan apartments have been sold to Wade Robinson of Apple Valley.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garrison returned from a trip to Kansas and Nebraska.—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fisher returned from a trip to California.

20 Years Ago Dec. 8, 1932

Eddie Powell, his father, Fred Powell and Ed Pruyn bagged an even dozen big geese on the Owyhee river.—Sid Burbridge, firechief, has called a meeting to reorganize the Nyssa volunteer fire department. It is also reported that the council is making plans for purchase of a motor fire truck.—Don Graham took Al Thompson, Bernard Frost, Jake Fischer, Warren McHargue and Bill Keizer to the district Eagles' convention at LaGrande.—Old man winter hit Nyssa with a reported temperature of two above zero.

25 Years Ago Dec. 16, 1927

The Lower Harper Ranch, rich in local color and one of the principal stopping places for interior points in the early history of Malheur Co., was sold to Frank Marchek of Homedale for \$12,000.—The town has improved the condition of N. 3rd street by having gravel hauled and distributed the past week.—A J. McNeen has returned to Nyssa after an absence of 10 years.—The P. M. Mason family moved to Payette Wednesday, where they have purchased a home.—Nyssa high school will present a three-act comedy "Kempy" at the Liberty Theatre.

In the cast are Dan Hanks, Grace Walters, Virginia Bartlett, Viola Blodgett, Georgia Thompson, Wayne Marshall, Herbert Hoxie and Ray Garrison.

Wednesday night the government station registered four below zero and Thursday three below.—Don Leuck and George Reberger won prizes of a coaster wagon and roller skates in a word contest at Eders.—Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Lockey moved to LaGrande where he will operate a boot and shoe repair shop. He sold his shop in Nyssa to Larkin Bros.—Jennie Newby is taking a business course at Link's Business college in Boise.—Frank Newbill sold his residential property on First street to Wm. Canfield for \$550.—Ernest Wilson is remodeling his house and putting in a new furnace. The Fenn boys are doing the work.—Gertrude Tensen is staying at Artie Robertson and has accepted a position as clerk at Wilson Bros. store.—Mr. and Mrs. D. MacLafferty celebrated their 53rd wedding anniversary Wednesday.

35 Years Ago Dec. 14, 1917

The car shortage seems to have

broken and produce is being shipped out of Nyssa in carload lots. C. C. Hunt loaded cut 3 cars apples, W. L. Gibson & Son, two cars of apples and one of onions and Pete Tensen, a carload of spuds.—Nyssa boys who went to Boise Monday to join Uncle Sam's army were: Obie Wilson, Conley Wilson, Harry Goshert, Sidney Burbridge, Dwight Smith, Will Howard and Artie Rininson. Only Dwight Smith and Conley Wilson passed the test and went on to Salt Lake for physicals.—Artie

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## HOLLINGSWORTHS'

Nyssa, Oregon

Robertson went to Boise Wednesday to enlist in the army.—The drug store advertises Edison Amberola phonographs for \$30 to \$75.—Christmas vacation starts after school Friday and continues until the day after New Year.

## KNIFE SHARPENING

"Have the Keenest Edge in Town"  
HARTMAN'S  
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Here's to the New  
Year! May you wel-  
come it joyously, live  
it happily, and look  
back upon it fondly  
as a year of progress  
and achievement...  
of good health en-  
joyed... of hopes  
realized... and  
dreams come true.

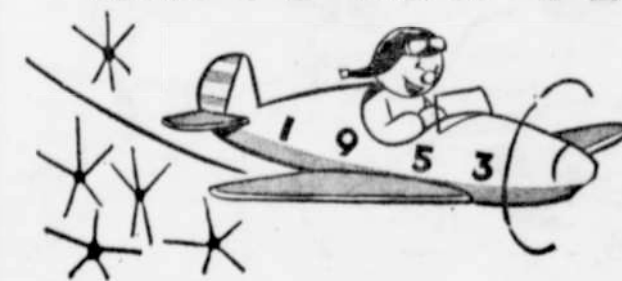
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## PUBLIC FARM SALE

Having decided to quit farming I will sell the following merchandise, located 1/2 mile south, 1/2 mile west of Nyssa-Fruitland-Parma junction or 2 miles southeast of Nyssa on H. J. Sloan place.

## Wednesday, January 7

SALE STARTS 1 P. M.

TERMS—CASH

Free Coffee—Lunch Served on Grounds

## 20—CATTLE—20

- 1—Holstein, 5 yrs. old, freshen Jan. 7.
- 1—Brindle, 4 yrs. old, freshen Jan. 8.
- 1—Guernsey, 6 yrs. old, freshen Jan. 12.
- 1—Purebred Jersey, 3 yrs. old, now milking 3 gal.
- 1—Red Roan, 2 yrs. old, freshen Feb. 21.
- 1—Guernsey, 2 yrs. old, freshen Feb. 24.
- 1—Blue Roan, 2 yrs. old, freshen Feb. 15.
- 1—Spotted, 2 yrs. old, freshen Mar. 16.
- 1—Black Heifer, freshen Jan. 18.
- 1—2 year old Roan steer.
- 10—Head of steers, ranging from 12 to 18 mo.

## HAY and STRAW

600 bales of alfalfa hay, wire tied.  
100 bales of clover chaff, wire tied.  
400 bales of straw with new seeding alfalfa.

## MACHINERY

- 1—W. D. Allis-Chalmers tractor.
- 1—R. Moline tractor.
- 1—60 all crop harvester, with seed screen and pick-ups.
- 1—Moline 2 bottom roll-over plow.
- 1—7-foot John Deere K. B. tandem disc.
- 1—John Deere 9-foot side delivery rake.
- 1—John Deere No. 5 power mower.
- 1—John Deere cultipacker.
- 1—John Deere beet loader.
- 1—6-row Moline beet and bean cultivator.
- 1—6-row bean cutter, fits Moline cultivator.
- 1—8-ft. Mount Vernon fertilizer spreader.
- 1—2-row Moline beet lifter.
- 1—International 200 manure spreader on rubber.
- 2—Valley Mound corrugators.
- 1—3-section 5-foot wood harrow.
- 1—Heavy duty baled hay trailer.
- 1—7-foot by 18-foot land float.
- 1—Glen Roberts A.C. electric welder, 185 amps.
- 1—Craftsmen actelylene welder with cutting head and welding tips.
- 1—1/2 in. electric drill and press, forge, vice and anvil.
- 1—Power saw, 1-horse motor, new. 3 saws.
- 1—International electric fencer. 800 insulators and wire.
- Log chains, tools and many other items.
- 1—International milking machine, Surge-type bucket.
- 6—10-gallon milk cans.

All merchandise to be settled for before moving from grounds.

## M. B. SORENSON, Owner

Cols. Bert Anderson, Joe Church, Clayton Tschirgl, Auctioneers.

L. H. Fritts, Clerk