

Days Gone By in Nyssa Community

From the Journal Files

5 Years Ago—June 22, 1950

Lurray Trabert left for Twin Falls where he will take over his duties as assistant superintendent of the Amalgamated Sugar company there. — Miss Mary Alice Mally, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mally left for Northampton, Mass., to enroll in Smith college. — Damage estimated at \$2500 was caused by fire breaking out in the garage at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Foster. — Lila Mae Holmes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Holmes, was selected to reign as queen of the Nyssa rodeo to be held in July. — The city council made plans to take action on the transient labor situation by having special police to control the irresponsible element among the laborers who come here to work in the row crops.

10 Years Ago—June 21, 1945

The Adrian community cannery will be completed and open for use sometime next week. Henry Reuter, agriculture instructor at Adrian high school announced. — Residents of Nyssa and other sections of Oregon will vote Friday at a special election on two measures referred to the people by the legislature assembly. The bills are designed to raise money for the support of the public school and for a state building fund. — Cpl. Gloria Belle Glascock of Nyssa will return home after completing 18 months of service in the Mediterranean theater of operations. — Purchase of bonds only, will be admission to the Lions club luncheon at the Nyssa theater Monday night as a feature of the 7th war loan campaign.

15 Years Ago—June 20, 1940

Mrs. Lillian Newby has purchased the house on 7th street of Mr. and Mrs. Langford. — Mrs. Alice Wilson was elected director and Bert Lienkaemper clerk of the school board. A. M. Highsmith will be chairman of the board. — Haying has been completed in this section of Malheur county. — Otis Smith was elected Malheur County Republican chairman. — A large team owned by Sid Flanagan ran through a gate in a corral and mowed down a power pole on their way out causing a shut off of electricity. — The city council has called for bids for the construction of a pump house over well No. 2.

20 Years Ago—June 20, 1935

W. C. Long had a pack rat take a \$50 set of false teeth. He found a pack rat cache including many articles missing for some time. He is still looking for the cache which contains the grinders. — Fire completely destroyed the Herbert Hoxie farm home and fire damaged the Ben Lamb house. A break 50-feet wide occurred in the Owyhee ditch on the old G. G. Brown place. Repair

was started at once. — Roy Pounds purchased the barber and beauty shop owned by Bert Barder. — A "sage-brush butcher shop" was found on the desert between New Plymouth and Caldwell. Sheriffs of Ada, Canyon, Payette and Malheur counties investigated and estimated that at least 100 carcasses were found. The trail was cold and was thought to have occurred in 1933-34 by rustlers.

25 Years Ago—June 20, 1930

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hicks of Chicago, Ill., visited at the Dwight Smith home this week. The men served in the World War and this is their first meeting since the armistice was signed in Paris in 1918. — J. Meyer has been busy the past week tearing down old buildings on his lots back of the Caldwell store. — A carload of horses was shipped to Portland by Charles Share. — F. H. Sharp of California purchased the dry land 40-acre tract of A. D. Morey of Nampa. — A. H. Boydell was elected to a 3-year term on the school board and Charles M. Paradis was elected clerk. — The work of oiling the road to Adrian has started.

30 Years Ago—June 19, 1925

The Tensen Motor Co. sold the last shipment of 3 carloads of Fords. — Miss Eva Everett and Miss Pauline Stewart both of Ontario will teach at the Owyhee school the coming term. — Eddie Powell's service station grounds bid fair to become a vertiable beauty spot amidst the city's busy turmoil, with sweet peas, daisies and other flowers to bloom later. George Newby, Earl Richardson and Louis Rambo left for Camp Lewis where they will take a short military course. — George Phillips and son made a trip to Baker this week in the interest of the mule business. They keep the mules in a pasture in the hills adjacent to Baker.

35 Years Ago—June 25, 1920

Blaine Gibson returned from the University of Washington where he completed his junior year. He has successfully captured the university wrestling event and defended both the 125 and 135 pound weight. — Andy Hansen of the Owyhee area found a valuable mare had died when she had become entangled in a wire fence. — Don Davis who has been attending the university of Oregon arrived in Nyssa for a short visit with his parents, the R. J. Davis, before taking up his duties with the aeroplane forest patrol.

45 Years Ago—June 16, 1910

The Rocky Mountain Bell telephone company, are making preparations for the future of Nyssa. A large crew of men are overhauling the entire system to give

Letha Sager Tells Of Girls' State

Friday evening, the members of the American Legion Auxiliary and their friends listened to a report on 1955 Girls' State given by Letha Sager. Miss Sager, the Nyssa delegate chosen by the auxiliary for her qualities and abilities of leadership, returned June 9 from the week long event. Miss Sager traveled by bus to the Willamette University campus in Salem where the event was held.

In her report, Miss Sager told of the 16 and 17 year old girls who will be high school seniors this fall, and their experience with government. She stated that the purpose of Girls' State is to give the girls an understanding of government procedures and the principles their country is based on. They gain this understanding through practice in the procedures of government.

The girls are organized into cities and counties. Then they elect officers on a city, county and state basis. Miss Sager explained that these officials were given specific duties which they carried out during the week long stay. In the state legislatures, Miss Sager stated that the girls also showed that they were taking their experience seriously. The issues they discussed included granting the franchise to 18 year olds and the repeal of capital punishment.

Miss Sager felt that the most important thing the girls gained from girls' State was greater respect to God and their country. They also received a better understanding of how to show that respect in such ways as proper treatment of the flag.

Miss Sager told of the many programs featuring important guests. She mentioned that a highlight of the affair was a speech given by a Portland Defense official stressing the importance and necessity of the civil defense program. He explained just what action should be taken in case of an attack on our country.

Miss Sager felt that the one experience of Girls' State that impressed her most was the program held the last night that the girls were in Salem. This event was a beautiful candle light ceremony in the rotunda of the capitol building.

Miss Sager served as mayor of her city, Hustle, and commissioner of her county, Busy. She also carried out the duties of secretary of the house of representatives.

Former Nyssan In Hospital

Word was received here last week of Dr. Clyde Abbott being confined to the veteran's hospital in Fayetteville, Ark. Dr. and Mrs. Abbott who have been living in Alamo, Nev., were traveling when Dr. Abbott was stricken with a light stroke that caused his hospitalization.

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Ethel Barrymore Story Tops Books At County Library

A best-selling autobiography and an analysis of present-day democracy and government are among books which went into circulation at Malheur County Library Saturday.

Ethel Barrymore, first lady of the American stage, tells of her fifty years as an actress in "Memories."

"Essays in the Public Philosophy" by Walter Lippmann analyzes the causes for the decline of liberal democracy and the rise of totalitarianism.

"Oklahoma Run" by Alberta Constant is a historical novel in which the Sheridans go to make their home on land acquired in the second land opening of 1891 in Oklahoma.

An adventure novel by Ralph Hammond-Innes, "The Naked Land," describes the race to acquire a piece of land in French Morocco.

Ladislav Farago tells the story of espionage, intelligence, and counter-intelligence in the modern world War of Wits.

"Keepers of the Lights by Hans Christian Adamson tells about lighthouses, lightships, and those who man them.

A revised edition of "New Mexico," one of the American Guide series, brings information on the colorful state up to date.

Clement Eaton shows the devastating effect of war on a human society in "A History of the Southern Confederacy."

"The Intimate Life of a demagogue" is the subject of Paolo Monelli's book, "Mussolini."

"Profitable Country Living for Retired People" by Hayden discusses part-time farming with berries, vegetables, and poultry to produce \$1000 to \$2000 a year.

Another book outlining the history of the Oregon Trail is "The Trail to Oregon" by Frederica Coons.

"The Pacific Northwest: an Overall Appreciation" discusses physical environment, exploitation and conservation of natural resources, agriculture, industry and urban development.

Among the unusual topics included in books that went into circulation on Saturday, June 18, at the Malheur County Library, are the development of schools for higher education in the Kentucky mountains, medical detection, and the part played by spices in world history.

"The Curlew's Cry" by Mildred Walker is a story of a girl from Montana whose life embraces the cycle from Pioneer days to the era of dude ranching.

"The Last Temptation" is a novel by Joseph Viertel telling of a young Czechoslovakian couple's plunge into a world stripped of security in the Europe of 1938.

The experiences of Alice Lloyd from Boston who established high schools and a junior college in the Kentucky mountains are told by William Dutton in "Stay On, Stranger!"

"Alaska's Animals and Fishes" by Frank Dufrense describes Alaskan wildlife with the aid of on-the-spot notes taken through years of experience in the north country.

Two western novels among the new books are Rutherford Montgomery's "Black Powder Empire" and Allan Vaughan Elston's "Long Lope to Lander."

Suspense stories in which the detectives are medical men and the criminals microbes, are told by Berton Roueche in "Eleven Blue Men, and Other Narratives of Medical Detection."

On a similar subject, "Microbes and You" by Stanley Wedberg

Services Are Held For Crash Victim

Word was received in Nyssa last week of the death of Lt. Charles H. Jones, husband of the former Shirley Nolen of Nyssa. Lt. Jones was taking flight training instruction Tuesday, June 21, at Camp Rucker, Alabama, when the plane he was in crashed, killing both Lt. Jones and the instructor. Lt. Jones was in the Signal Corps of the Army.

He was the son of Mrs. Edith Jones of Garibaldi, Ore. He graduated from Oregon State College where he was affiliated with Phi Kappa Alpha. He and Mrs. Jones were married June 16, 1953.

Funeral services were held Tuesday in Tillamook. Interment was also in Tillamook.

Mrs. Jones plans to stay in Nyssa with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irl Nolen, indefinitely.

SAUNDERS RETURN TO DENVER

Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Saunders and Steven left Nyssa Thursday for their home in Denver following a two weeks visit here with Mrs. Saunders' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Flinders and in Vale with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Saunders.

Gail Flinders returned to Denver with her sister to spend the summer.

describes the relatively young science of microbiology, pointing out the harmful effects produced by microorganisms and also the good they accomplish for mankind.

How to feed, bathe and dress and how to care for a baby or small child in case of accident are explained in a compilation by Wava McCullough, "Illustrated Handbook of Child Care from Birth to Six Years."


"The Story of Spices by John Parry deals with the effects of trade and nations of possessing spices in ancient and Biblical times to the present, and describes uses for spices throughout history.

Shriver Coover includes much general information in his "Drawing, Sketching, and Blueprint Reading," including plans for woodworkers, metalworkers and electricians, graphs and maps, occupations in drafting, and useful tables of standards.

Practical information also is found in Robert Hart's "How to Sell Your Handicrafts." Game enthusiasts will find help in "Chess Traps, Pitfalls and Swindles by I. A. Horowitz and Fred Reinfield.

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CARS ARE MY LINE



by: Boyd Wilson

Perhaps you have already faced up to the summer-time anti-freeze problem. If you haven't it is, quite frankly, time that you did.

A habit has grown up among motorists to leave their "permanent type" anti-freeze in the radiator through several winters and summers. Quite recent research on the subject says that you shouldn't.

There are two good reasons. First of all, the rust inhibitors have more than likely been consumed through the winter and without the rust inhibitors the anti-freeze becomes a highly-corrosive solution, especially to copper, brass and solder.

Secondly, ethylene glycol, which is the "permanent type" anti-freeze, does not carry away heat as well as plain water. This is fine in the winter time, but in the summer it can mean an over-hot engine.

An engine running hot is more liable to knock and ping. Even if the temperature gauge doesn't show it, the engine may still be overheating at local trouble spots. This pin-point overheating, if it's bad enough, can result in cracked blocks or cracked cylinder heads.

I always hate writing these doom-and-gloom columns, the kind that promises dire consequences unless you do something right away. But it's simple enough to drain the radiator and fill it with plain water and rust inhibitor.

Summer can be the time of driving fun it's meant to be, but it's a time when you want a reliable car, a car that's been checked thoroughly by trained mechanics, not just plumped down on a lot. You want a car that will be fun, not misery, and the place to find it, of course, is over at our used car lot.

The past ten days we have been fortunate and have sold quite a few of our used cars and trucks. Now we need more good used cars and pickups to fill up the line. If you plan to buy a new car, pickup or truck you can get yourself a real deal here now. Come in today and let us appraise your car. You will be surprised at the good allowance we can give you for your car.

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