

Days Gone By in Nyssa Community

From the Journal Files

5 Years Ago—Aug. 3, 1930

The home of Harry O. Henderson and all the contents were destroyed by fire last Friday. — Lloyd Berrett has started construction of a new service station on highway 20 at Ehrgood ave. — Dr. and Mrs. John Olsen have moved to Nyssa again from Portland and are located in the Verne Chadwick home. Work has been started on a dental office for Dr. Olsen. — William Etter, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Etter of Boise, was named as Boise winner for the youth award for his display of courage when he saved Helmer Ostrom of Nyssa from drowning in the Payette river near the outlet of Payette Lake.

10 Years Ago—Aug. 2, 1925

The Union Pacific announced that the company will move the stock yards north of the city limits and lay a double track for the proposed industrial site south of town. — The Herriman Motor company has purchased the Moss-Ninemire Motor company from Keith Moss and Charles Ninemire. The company has been granted a Ford franchise. J. L. Herriman has been parts and service manager for the Garber Motor Co., at Caldwell, Parma and Ontario for the past 8 years. — 750 cars of potatoes have been shipped from here since the start of the harvest of early potatoes. The Armeo Drainage & Metal Co. will establish a plant and office in Nyssa. — Joe Hobson was injured when he became entangled in a potato digger.

15 Years Ago—Aug. 1, 1920

Fire destroyed the Methodist church Saturday and a second fire in the parsonage caused the night patrolman to become suspicious the fires had been set. A youth later signed a statement he had set the fires for excitement. — The Nyssa IOOF and Rebekahs purchased a hall, formerly owned by Peter Tensen and lately occupied by the Assembly of God church. The lodges held their first meeting in their new home this week. — Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fox announced the sale of their auto court, service station and store to Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hurley of Nampa. — Mementos of local interest were found in the corner stone at the Methodist church which was destroyed

by fire. The Nyssa Sun published by Tom Shaughnessy, carried the story of the laying of the cornerstone. Issues of the Idaho Daily Statesman dated Feb. 20 and 22, also carried the story.

20 Years Ago—Aug. 1, 1915

A defective gasoline stove exploded and caused the fire that burned the Orville Clark home north of Nyssa Sunday. — Blaney Boydell sustained a broken arm when his car turned over three times near Huntington, Mr. and Mrs. Art Servoss, passengers were unhurt. — The big water tank of the City of Nyssa was thoroughly cleaned this week. — The Nyssa school will start Sept. 3. — The Malheur County Pomona Grange met at the Big Bend park with 80 members present. Mr. M. M. Greeling of Big Bend was elected lecturer.

25 Years Ago—Aug. 1, 1910

J. E. Provencher, working 130 feet under the Owyhee river at the new dam near Nyssa, was crushed to death by a timber falling down the shaft. — H. E. McAfee of Salt Lake City has been transferred as manager of the Malheur Home Telephone Co., replacing Mr. Lackness who was sent to Salt Lake City. — Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kelly arrived home from several months visit at Del Rio, Texas.

30 Years Ago—July 31, 1905

Chas. Crawford has leased the vacant room in the Western Hotel and has fitted it up for dance hall purposes. — George Newby and Earl Richardson of Nyssa, qualified as sharpshooters at the Citizens Military training camp at Camp Lewis. — Mrs. P. M. Binkley left for a two months visit with relatives in Oklahoma. Mrs. Ella Kirk returned from a two months trip to Chicago, Oklahoma and Kansas.

35 Years Ago—July 30, 1920

J. P. Dunaway, cashier of the U. S. National Bank of Vale, has accepted a similar position at the Malheur county Bank in Nyssa. Mr. Dunaway has an interest in a large ranch on the Owyhee. — Fifty persons attended the G. G. Brown family reunion held at Curtis park near Caldwell last week. Mr. and Mrs. Brown came west by mule team from Seneca, Mo., in 1888. It took them 100 days from Seneca to Boise. John Ray accompanied them. Mr. Brown took the first scrapperful of dirt from the Owyhee canal after the organization of the company. — The local Eastern Star Chapter was constituted and its officers installed Tuesday. Worthy Grand Matron Mrs. Ida Umback acted as constituting officer, presenting the charter which the Grand Chapter OES granted. The chapter will be known as Golden Rule Chapter No. 131. Mrs. Lena Lax was installed as Worthy Matron.

45 Years Ago—July 28, 1910

The telephone equipment of the Nyssa-Owyhee Telephone Co., arrived and the officials will have the system in operation shortly. Installation of poles will start soon and a crew will string the wires and install phones. The

Owyhee

Mrs. Kenneth McDonald
Dial 3209

Thursday evening Mrs. Donald Brewer and Mrs. Charley Culbertson made ice cream and had a weiner roast for the young people of the Owyhee community church and Jamison and Willow Creek young people after a ball game at the church. About 45 enjoyed the refreshments at the Brewer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Walters returned from their wedding trip to Portland and other places along the coast. Mr. and Mrs. Walters had dinner with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Walters Saturday evening and stayed overnight with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Thompson in Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hartley and children were Sunday dinner guests at the Sam Hartley home in honor of Brent Hartley on his 15th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Phillips and family spent Sunday evening at the Bob Morfitt home at Owyhee Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morfitt of Owyhee Dam went to Baker Friday to visit his grandmother, Mary Smith and his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walters of Rome spent the week end here. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Saxton spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crocker.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hatt and children visited in Adrian with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Davis and Stevie.

Mr. and Mrs. Werner Peutz were hosts Saturday evening for a get-together for Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morfitt on their wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brewer and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McDonald were guests.

Mrs. Donald Brewer took a load of 4-H members to the picnic and circus in Ontario Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Franklin of Boise came to get their 4 boys following a week spent with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Kygar. Patsy and Kevin Brown came with their uncle and aunt to spend a week at the Kygars.

Carl Jungquist spent Friday night with his mother-in-law, Mrs. Gertrude Bigelow on his way to Eltopia to get his family and they will move to American Falls where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Kygar and children spent the week end in Jordan Valley with relatives.

Mrs. Howard Hatch and Mrs. Gladys Mathews both of Adrian and Mrs. Joe Allen of Parma spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hatt and children.

Mrs. Lila Nicholson of Coffeyville Kan., arrived Saturday evening to spend some time with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr.

room in the rear of the bank will be the central office. — Being thrown from a hayrake and dragged all over the field was the misfortune of Birdie Cox, son of F. A. Cox. The horses became frightened throwing him off balance into the rake. — The OSL crew are overhauling their property this week.

Cattle Must Be Tested Before Fair Entry

Livestock exhibitors planning to show dairy and beef cattle at the 46th annual Malheur County Fair are urged to make plans to have their cattle tested to comply with the health regulations of the fair.

Harry Sandquist, secretary of the Fair board, advised exhibitors that testing would have to be done in the very near future to allow time for samples to be returned before the opening date of the fair, Aug. 31.

The health regulations require that all cattle, except steers or calves under six months of age must have passed a negative test for tuberculosis within six months of date of exhibition. The rules also require that all vaccinated animals over six months of age and all vaccinated animals over 30 months of age must have passed a negative test for Bang's disease within 60 days of the date of the fair.

The health requirements in the premium book describe the procedure and timing of vaccination necessary to comply with the rules. Bang's disease requirements do not apply to steers, spayed heifers, or calves under six months of age.

Persons planning to exhibit will be interested in reading the complete health requirements in the premium book. Sandquist said that additional copies are available in the county agents' office.

and Mrs. Neal Nicholson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McConnell of Nyssa were Saturday evening supper guests at the Russell Gressley home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mendonza and family attended a Basque picnic in Boise Sunday and the children stayed with relatives their Sunday night and returned home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis of Canyon Ferry, Mont., spent Tuesday night with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morfitt at Owyhee Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schweizer spent the week end at Shore Lodge in McCall.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Culbertson and Larry and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Crocker and children were dinner guests at the Earl Kygar home. Mr. and Mrs. Merle McClure were also guests for the dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Buster Talbot and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Culbertson in honor of her birthday.

Mrs. Bob Morfitt attended a family dinner at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Wilson, Sr., on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sherrill and daughter, Mrs. Wesley Haskins all of Klamath Falls were present.

Mrs. Max Mitchell and daughter, Joan left Friday morning for Utah to spend a week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hite and children had Sunday dinner with his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry of Moscow, Ida., visited for awhile Saturday evening at the Owyhee

Your Library

Fictional adventure and practical information are combined in the group of books going into circulation on Saturday August, 13, at the Malheur County Library.

The Man in the Gray Flannel Suit by Sloan Wilson is a novel about the life of the modern executive who commutes between home and office each day.

A novel of the exploits of John Paul Jones is Don't Tread On Me by Walter Karig.

Nathaniel Weinreb reconstructs the Biblical story of Deborah in The Sorceress.

Espionage and atomic scientists figure in the novel by Geoffrey Household, Fellow Passenger.

Dangerous Angel by Clarence Budington Kelland is the story of an adventures in the San Francisco of the 1870's.

In North to Danger Virgil Burford tells of his adventures in Alaska deep-sea diving and fish-piering.

The Techniques of Reading by Horace Judson presents an integrated program for adults for improving comprehension and speed.

1,000,000 Delinquents by Benjamin Fine is a report on juvenile delinquency today.

Light fiction includes a science-fiction anthology edited by Frederick Pohl, Assignment in Tomorrow; and two mysteries, So Many Steps to Death by Agatha Christie, and The Case of the Fugitive Nurse by Erie Stanley Gardner.

Two books relating to floriculture are Bulb Magic in Your Window by Ruth Marie Peters, and The Flower-Show Guide by Anne Wertsner.

Western Fertilizer Handbook discusses soil and water, inorganics, versus organics, plant food elements, commercial fertilizers and agricultural minerals, and use of fertilizers.

Anybody Can Cook by Gwen French is a general cookbook with full explanation of basic principles and emphasis on left-overs and improvisations.

Machine Tool Operation by Henry Burghardt discusses the shaper, the planer, the milling machine, the grinding machine, hydraulics, metal band saws, metallurgy, and cutting fluids.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Walt Looney, Mrs. Ben Storm and Mrs. Owen Gann spent Monday in Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Kesler visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Goodfellow at Weiser.

Mrs. Edra Jones is confined to the Malheur Memorial hospital where she had surgery last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bolton and Donny Boston of Apple Valley spent the week end at Payette Lakes.

Grocery with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Flint. The Perry's were on their way to see their daughter in Nevada.

Social Security Payments Rise

In Malheur County at the end of last year 322 retired workers were receiving \$16,553 in monthly social security payments, according to figures just released by Vernon A. Welco, Social Security Administration district manager in LaGrande.


In addition to the retired work-

ers themselves, 209 people were receiving \$6,220, a month as dependents of aged workers or as survivors of those who had died. These amounts represent an increase of 43 percent over the benefits being paid at the end of 1933. Welco pointed out, due primarily to the 1934 Amendments to the social security law, which increased all benefits.

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CARS ARE MY LINE

by: Boyd Wilson



Our used car lot on busy afternoons often resembles a teenagers' jive contest. A lot of people are around jumping on bumpers to test shock absorbers.

Everybody knows you should bounce on a car's bumpers to test the shocks but I find a lot of people (and, confidentially, a lot of automobile people too) who don't know exactly what to look for.

The job of shock absorbers is to stop the springs from bouncing the car up and down when you go over a bump. There are no shock absorbers on a bed spring, which gives an adventurous youngster the wonderful game of bouncing up and down from a single leap.

You may remember before the war one of the auto manufacturers fastened a light on the top of one of his cars and one on the rear wheel. Then they opened the lens of a camera and ran the car across the bumpy field. The light on the wheel made a line like a graph gone crazy, but the light on the car roof made a line that was almost flat.

So, when you find a car that looks like what you want, stand firmly on the front bumper, bounce the car down and then jump off. The car whose shocks are working properly should go up and down once and then stop.

There are dozens of these tests that tell you what shape a used car is in. Try them yourself when you drop around to our lot, or if you prefer, let one of our salesmen make a fool of himself jumping up and down. There's such a wide selection of dependable, tested cars on our lot, we know you'll find one to fit your taste and your pocketbook.

They're dependable, good looking, have plenty of zip, and cost less than you think.

Remember when you buy a used car from us you can be sure it's right. We back it up with a warranty—and our reputation. This week we are offering luxury plus in a 1949 Cadillac, very sharp, and you will be surprised at how little it will cost you to own this fine car. We also have some good used trucks now and some have beet beds.


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