

Christmas Dinners and Reunions Spotlight Nyssa Social Calendar

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Campbell enjoyed the holiday dinner at the County Club near Payette.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Weeks were Mr. and Mrs. John Van Zelf, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Weeks and family and Mr. and Mrs. Plais Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hessler and children of Ontario spent the day with Mrs. Hessler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Wilson and girls motored to Haines, Ore. for Christmas with Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Baker and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Aden Wilson enjoyed Christmas dinner as guests of Mrs. Angie Cook.

Gathering for a family dinner Christmas at the J. R. Winchell home were Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Robbins, Jack Winchell of OSC, Mrs. Eva Gauvain, and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Adams of Hometown.

A family reunion and dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Rinehart and family Sunday included their daughter, Kristin of the U of O, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bothamley and family and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Peterson, all of Los Angeles, Mrs. Hilda Tensen and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Tensen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Morgan and children, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stunz and girls and Miss Mardi Sallee spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sallee.

Holiday dinner guests at the Wyatt Smith home were Mr. and Mrs. Don Strickland and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lavar Hawkins and family, Duane Kressley, George Hoffman and Mrs. Gladys Mathews and daughter, Edith of Adrian.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Tobler were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tobler, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Tobler, and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph of Caldwell.

Guests at the John Stringers for Christmas dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan Stringer and family.

Dr. G. W. Graves

- Eyes examined
- Glasses fitted

Caldwell Phone 9-2312

Snake River Valley CHECKERBOARD NEWS

by Dwight Wyckoff

TOBLER'S FEED & FUEL, INC.
Nyssa, Oregon

MORE THAN A HALF MILLION CALVES APPROVE

Last year more than a half million calves of all breeds got their start on Purina Nursing Chow. That's an increase of more than 80,000 over the preceding year. We had a nice increase around here too.

There are many reasons for starting calves on this fine product which can be fed at about half of the cost of milk. Combined with Purina Calf Startena it helps grow calves 1/3 larger at 6 months than Morrison's standard for calves grown on whole milk. So, why not sell all of your milk and see us about putting our calves on the Purina Plan? Overtime after the first of the year we will have a new and better Purina Nursing Chow and Purina Calf Startena which will do an even better job than it is doing now.

TAKE UP TO \$40 MORE PROFIT PER 100 FROM EARLY CHICKS

Years of experience show that chickens started early and raised on a good program can make up to \$40 more income per 100 pullets next fall. That income mostly profit, too. September, October, November and December usually are the months of highest egg prices. Over a past 5 years eggs have averaged 12 cents a dozen more in the four months than they did in the months following New Year's.

Many of our customers have found winter brooding very profitable. They're starting chicks in January and February so that chicks are at peak production during the fall months when egg prices are usually highest. Let's discuss how we can help you get the early egg profits next year.

DDY LOTS CAN CAUSE HOT ROT

Hot rot is more likely to be during fall and winter months. That's when cattle are sometimes confined to lots and pens. Wet, low lying, poorly drained loafing yards or pastures

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Grasty and boys celebrated the holiday with two Christmas dinners, one Sunday at the home of Mr. Grasty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Grasty at Payette and Monday as guests of Mrs. Grasty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mathews of New Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jhelmer Schoen and Gary of Walla Walla, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Smart and daughters of Boise, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Schoen and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller and sons were Christmas dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schoen.

Dinner guests at the Dwight Smith home were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and daughter of John Day, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Smith and daughters of Caldwell, Mrs. Ella Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Artie Robertson and Frank Fry.

The Clyde Snider home was the scene of Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Kerby of Boise present.

Dinner guests at the C. K. Olsen home were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jackson.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Newbill were Dr. and Mrs. John Olsen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Garrison, Mrs. Charles Garrison, Mrs. Nellie Newbill, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kurtz and family and Don Newbill.

Gene Colton was dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Overstake.

The Taft Potts were entertained at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Garner.

Guests at the Walt Roth home for Christmas dinner were Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Maulding.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Maughn, Sr., of Smithfield, Utah are spending the holidays at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Maughn, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Barker and daughter of Ontario, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Tucker of La Grande, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Seward and family of Nampa and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Botner of Caldwell were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Robb were Christmas dinner hosts to their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Robb and children, and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hamilton and children.

are favorable breeding grounds for the disease. Walking on rough frozen or rocky ground may also injure and bruise the feet, and increase the chances for foot rot. Purina Animal Pathologists say a mild case of foot rot should not be neglected as it may be the forerunner of a herd problem.

When a lame animal has only an inflamed or swollen area, clean the cleft of the foot thoroughly then soak it in a solution of Purina Disinfectant (2 1/2 ounces per gallon). The foot should be soaked in the warm disinfectant solution for 30 minutes each day. In severe cases a veterinarian should be called.

STILBESTROL AVAILABLE IN PURINA CATTLE CHOWS

Research proves Stilbestrol won't make a good ration out of a poor ration, but it will make a good ration better.

Here are some results from Stilbestrol-feeding over the past year at the Purina Research Farm:

1. 17.2% faster growth compared to check lots getting no Stilbestrol.

2. Feed saving of 9.4% compared to check lot cattle.

We have complete information for feeding Steer Fatena and Beef Chow with Stilbestrol to help you make lots of low-cost gains.

WISHING YOU A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR

We're mighty proud of the wonderful job our customers are doing. And, we're most thankful that so many farm folks in this area show their faith in us by making our store their feeding headquarters.

During the year we have worked hard to serve our customers with speed and thoroughness. Your kindness and spirit of helpfulness have made our days pleasant and fun-filled. We are in the midst of an extensive building program at present and our goal for 1956 is to serve even better.

May your New Year be a happy and a prosperous one.

Young People Gather For Holiday Party

The young people of the Assembly of God church gathered at the Raymond Pierce home Friday evening for a Christmas party and exchange of gifts.

Games were played and refreshments served at the end of the evening.

Mrs. Oldemeyer Has Tuesday Bridge Club

Mrs. Don Oldemeyer was hostess to members of her Tuesday evening bridge club for a Christmas party Wednesday evening at her home.

Prize winners at bridge were Mrs. Dwight Mason, Mrs. Robert Wilson, Mrs. Walt Roth and Mrs. George Coburn. Exchange of gifts concluded the evening.

Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Boydell were Thursday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Campbell.

Methodist MYF Party At Ludlows

Members of the senior MYF of the Methodist church went caroling Friday evening. Following this they met at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Paul Ludlow for a Christmas party.

Entertained At Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. David Johanson and family of Ontario and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Porter were entertained at dinner Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Towne.

Hosts At Dinner

Dinner guests Monday at the Hugh Tobler home were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tobler.

Apple Valley

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson
Phone 2-2769, Parma

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Estep and family enjoyed Christmas dinner at the home of her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy T. Ellibee near Parma. Christmas evening dinner guests at the Woodrow Wilson home included Martha S. Norland and Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Norland and Terry and Mrs. Mary E. Bodmer of Ontario, a weekend guest.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Booth and family spent Christmas day with the Vernon Booth family at Nampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jeffries and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burningham and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ersel Beus and family, all of Nyssa were dinner guests Christmas eve at the Charles C. Mann home.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Smalley were Christmas dinner guests at Caldwell at the Glen Weed home. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nichols of Donnelly. The Nicholls were overnight guests Sunday night of the Smalleys.

Christmas eve dinner guests at the Earl Boston home included Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bolton of Enunclaw, Wash. and Bob Shippy of Anchorage, Alaska, who arrived Friday morning for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Harris and Stevie of Nyssa and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rogers of Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shippy were Christmas dinner guests Monday of the Carroll Shippys in Boise.

Mr. and Mrs. Orley Smith were dinner guests Christmas at the Bernard Goddard home in Caldwell. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith and Mike of Nyssa and Mrs. Buford Standerfer and Byron.

Birthday calendars have arrived and anyone not receiving theirs in the next few days should notify Mrs. Orley Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Ferguson and children, formerly of Laredo, Tex., were dinner guests Christmas day at the Andrew Standal home. Later in the afternoon the Fergusons visited at the Harvey Hatch home in Big Bend.

Children will start back to school Tuesday, Jan. 3, after Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Melvedt of Boise, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Naser of California and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reed and Julia of Parma spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reed and family.

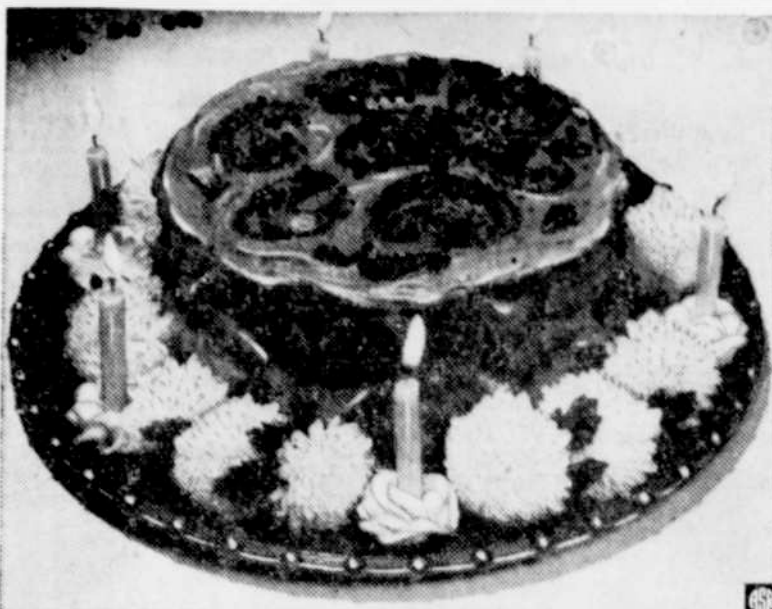
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Padgett and children, formerly of Chicago visited at the Clayton Butcher home the past week and will now make their home in Boise.

Miriam Dille of Boise was a visitor at the Jack Reed home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Honey were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Griffin. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Jim Griffin and two children, three grandchildren and Miss Leavitt, all of Nyssa.

At a family gathering Monday at the Martha S. Norland home, all the children and grandchildren were home at the same time for the first time in six years. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Art Norland and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stephen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephen and family, all of Nyssa, Mr. and Mrs.

Chocolate Invites You!



An All-Chocolate Cake, like this, is a handsome treat! And rich, unsweetened premium chocolate gives it a wonderful true-chocolate flavor... with allure enough to be a Party by itself.

Tender chocolate-y-chocolate layers are lusciously topped with Chocolate Seven Minute Frosting—and those delicious-looking swirls on the very top are Half Moons of melted unsweetened chocolate, too. Appropriately—this Chocolate Moon Cake lets itself go all sumptuous for Winter Parties. So light it with candles—the better to celebrate the holiday season.

Chocolate Moon Cake

2 cups sifted cake flour	2 eggs, unbeaten
1 teaspoon soda	3 squares unsweetened chocolate, melted
3/4 teaspoon salt	Milk*
1/2 cup shortening	1 teaspoon vanilla
1 1/2 cups sugar	

*With vegetable shortening, use 1 cup plus 2 tablespoons milk. With butter or margarine, use 1 cup milk.

Sift flour once, measure, add soda and salt, and sift together three times. Cream shortening, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each. Add chocolate and blend. Then add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time, beating after each addition until smooth. Add vanilla; blend.

Pour batter into two round 9-inch layer pans, 1 1/2-inches deep, which have been lined on bottoms with paper. Bake in moderate oven (350°F.) 25 to 30 minutes. Cool. Spread with your favorite light chocolate frosting. Then melt 1/2 square unsweetened chocolate with 1/2 teaspoon butter; cool. Make swirled effect on top of cake by dipping top of teaspoon in mixture and forming half-moon swirls in frosting.

Mrs. Snider Hostess

Members of the Saturday evening bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Clyde Snider for Christmas dinner and exchange of gifts. Prize winner for the evening was Mrs. Tom Eldredge.

Roger Norland and family of Adrian, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Findley and family of Madras, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Norland and family of Umatilla, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Norland and family of Wilder, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Norland and Terry and Palmer Norland, nine children and 24 grandchildren were present at the gathering.

Miss Dorothy Merrill of Boise spent Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Banta.

Maynard Hamilton of Monument, Ore., is spending a week visiting at the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Banta.

Dinner guests at the David Bay home Christmas day included Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Price of Parma and Mr. and Mrs. William Bay of Ten Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Spivey of Nampa, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Sullivan of Boise and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wren and children of Ontario were all visitors Monday at the Clayton Butcher home.

Christmas dinner guests at the Dorothy Lancaster home included Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gentry, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lancaster and family of Nyssa, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lancaster and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Lancaster, both of Caldwell.

W.S.C.S. met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. G. Shultz.

Christmas dinner guests of the Clayton Butchers included Mrs. Alberta Morrow of Cottonwood, who has been visiting the past week and Bob Carrothers of Cottonwood.

50 Attend IOOF,

Rebekah Party

Fifty were in attendance at a Christmas party last Tuesday for members of the Rebekah and IOOF lodges.

Mrs. Harry Kingrey was in charge of the dinner which preceded the party and Mrs. Minnie Leuck arranged table and tree decorations.

The program consisted of readings and musical numbers by members of the Rebekah lodge under the direction of Mrs. Owen Gann. Gift exchange was also included in the evening's activities.

Week End Guests From Corvallis

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Meister and family of Corvallis were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Quigley.

Susan Stringer

Celebrates Birthday

Susan Stringer and 12 guests celebrated her fourteenth birthday last Saturday evening by dancing and playing games.

Dinner Guests

At Toblers

Dinner guests Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tobler were Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Kraling of Caldwell.

Dinner Guests

Mrs. Lena Loeber of Connell, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilson and family were Wednesday evening dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson.

Guests In Emmett

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Voeller and family were guests Monday at the home of Mrs. Voeller's mother, Mrs. Minnie Beatty in Emmett.

Job's Daughters Entertain Masons And Mystery Dads

Nyssa Job's Daughters entertained the Masons and their mystery dads Thursday evening with their initiation work.

Those being initiated were Patty Michaelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Michaelson; Patty McWilliam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim McWilliam; Elaine Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence and Carolyn Horn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Horn.

After the meeting the girls revealed themselves to their mystery dads and they presented the girls with gifts.

Day Nursery Holds

Christmas Party Friday

Mrs. Roger Tucker held a Christmas party and gift exchange Friday afternoon for 16 children of her nursery.

Refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon.

Mrs. Tobler Entertains

Kindergarten Friday

Mrs. Lloyd Tobler entertained her kindergarten Friday afternoon with a Christmas party and gift exchange.

Refreshments were served.

Entertain At Breakfast

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tobler were Sunday breakfast guests at the Evan Toblers.

Mother Celebrates Ninetieth Birthday

Mrs. Arlene Pound, mother of Roy Pound of Nyssa and Glen Pound of Adrian observed her 90th birthday at a family dinner recently at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Pound in Hillsboro, Ore.

Mrs. Pound was born Dec. 8, 1865 in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. She was married to Lewis Clark Pound in Burt county, Neb., in 1883 and they moved to Oregon in 1909 from North Dakota. Mrs. Pound has lived in Oregon and Idaho since that time, moving to Hillsboro in July. Mr. Pound died in 1947.

She has five other living children in addition to her two sons here; Gertrude Orell, Sacramento; Mrs. Nell Megorden, Yakima; Mrs. Edythe Duncan, Coeur d'Alene, Ida., and Bryan of Hillsboro. She also has 25 grandchildren, 41 great grandchildren and 10 great great grandchildren.

Pre-Christmas Dinner

Dinner guests Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. E. A. Reynolds in Boise were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Snider.

Stricklands Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Don Strickland and daughters were Thursday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Smith.

Thank You...

We wish to express our appreciation to residents of this and surrounding communities who made our Closing Out Sale at the Intermountain Furniture Co. such a complete success. Our merchandise was sold in less than half the time anticipated which was gratifying, indeed.

Our heartfelt thanks also go to our many customers who have given us their loyal support during the years we have operated Intermountain Furniture. It is with deep regret that we close out our business and leave Nyssa and the wonderful people of the area.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Chadderdon

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Gall



Reddy Kilowatt

and

All The Folks at

Idaho Power Company

Wish You and Yours

A HAPPY NEW YEAR

and a Full Measure of The

Snake River Valley's

BRIGHT NEW FUTURE

in 1956

IDAHO POWER
A CITIZEN WHEREVER IT SERVES