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Stranger In The County

By Bill Campbell

Two many "W's" didn't help the Nyssa rodeo this year—one was Wind and the other was Weiser.

The gusty winds Thursday night could not have been prevented, but Weiser's insistence on moving in on a long established Nyssa date should be of concern not only to those promoting the show but businessmen of BOTH communities.

This is NOT the kind of community cooperation that Snake river valley folks appreciate. These annual events are fun for all valley residents. Nyssa wouldn't move in on the Vale dates, and regardless of Weiser reasons, they didn't appear valid. And it forced a "split" on the appearance of top cowboys.

Saturday night enjoyed the Nyssa rodeo even though chased off the field by cowboys who were worried about my flash camera. They should have known what I was worried about.

It was a dandy, well organized, fast-paced evening. Better the valley folks on both sides of the river get together!

You businessmen who were at the final hospital drive dinner remember I took a couple of pictures of Jed Lewis?

Well! I've taken, I guess, thousands of spot shots but never have I got a couple of photos like these. They were IMMEDIATELY "condemned" by Mr. Barr, but not until I had sent the negatives to Fort Knox to be preserved with other pure gold.

Speaking of L. Barr . . . remember men, how he always insisted you keep the standard high?

Note the silence when I gave my present?

You who are not in the know—and even some of you who were present can't appreciate these shots unless you view them. If you are a friend of Jed's for heaven's sake demand to see 'em. They are jewels!—And for reasons you don't expect.

Baseball fans! A lot of you should sue the Boise paper for gas mileage. They insist on sending you to the wrong ballfield. Please call the Journal when in doubt.

And I suggest that the man on the sports desk in said city walk softly should he pass by the Holcomb brothers, Del and Duane. To date their name has always come out "Hokum" in the Boise paper.

Seems to me like the rodeo week would have a little more life and interest in some organization—I'm thinking of the Jaycees—would put on some kind of a deal to stir up Main street.

Heard all kinds of talk about "gimmicks" to liven up the town.

Period. Miss something during the parades? Fine as they were—we needed martial music. And Nyssa may get it.

The other night a group of VFW and American Legion men were shooting the breeze and I suggested "why not a drum corps for Nyssa?"

Was with a championship outfit—Hillsboro—for four years and would be happy to give what advice I could. Need not be too large . . . but a 20 to 24 man corps made up of vets could really, to my mind of thinking, do a lot of good and possibly one day bring the championship to Nyssa. Those present at the clambake

2nd Ward Choir Has New Officers

The Nyssa Second Ward choir was reorganized Thursday night under the direction of Maurice Glover, retiring president.

Mrs. Elbert Brown will conduct the choir and Mrs. Steven Talbot will be accompanist. Rehearsals are scheduled for each Thursday night at 8 o'clock at the stake house. Anyone desiring to sing with the group is encouraged to participate.

New officers elected are Mrs. J. Elwood Flinders, president; Lowry Flake, vice president; Mrs. Glen Fredericksen, secretary and Gordon Williams, librarian. Section captains are Mrs. Lloyd Lewis, alto; Mrs. D. O. Bybee and Jeannine Drown, soprano; Herbert Sanders, bass and Glen Fredericksen, tenor.

Methodist Church News

"Neither do men light a candle and put it under a bushel, but on a candlestick; and it giveth light unto all that are in the house."

Thursday, July 19 (Today)—Woman's Society of Christian service are as follows:

2 p. m.—L. Larry Robinsons' at the home of Mrs. Russell Cochran.

2. Alice Hitchcock with Mrs. Clyde Snider.

3. Charlotte with Mrs. Chelchelin.

4. Celia Cowan will meet with Mrs. Florence Roth for a pot luck supper. For further information call Mrs. McPartland.

Friday, July 20, 8 p. m.—Youth division counselors and teachers will meet at the parsonage.

Sunday, July 22, 9:45—Church School classes for all ages.

11:00 Worship service—Mr. Ludlow's sermon topic will be: "Methuselah—The One-Dimensional Life."

7:00 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship meetings, junior choir practice.

Sixteen youths and 2 adults from the church either attended last week, or are participating this week in youth camps at Wallowa Lake. Rev. Ludlow was Dean of the Christian Adventure camp last week. Rev. Bolen of Boise is in charge of the senior institute this week.

Owyhee Community Church News

Thought of the week: "Not good if detached!" This is true of church members as well as railroad tickets.

Last Thursday evening the young people of the church lost the baseball game to the adults of the church by the score of 19-11.

The young people and adults of were interested. There is now an All-American drum corps association in addition to Legion and VFW to which all are welcome.

Means we could represent Nyssa all through the valley and in competitions.

But believe me . . . those who join such an organization will be subjected to discipline they NEVER knew in the service. That is if they wish to do credit to the community . . .

More on this later. Speaking of later—this paragraph is NOT to be read by females, please . . . you'll only get all upset.

Men . . . Sunday was almost the day in my life for which all of us have waited. The wife and I were heading for a short jaunt and I said, "ready, dear?" and she said "yes" and CAME RIGHT OUT OF THE HOUSE AND GOT INTO THE CAR!"

But she had forgotten her glasses. But don't you forget to buy in Nyssa! P.S.—37 lights were out.

Big Bend

Miss Helen Hatch
Phone Parma 1-F21

Mr. and Mrs. James McGinnis left Saturday for John Day to visit their son, Junior, who is in the hospital suffering from the effects of a tick bite.

Mrs. Mary Thompson and Alice took Jimmy and Bobby Ashby to Boise Monday to accompany other young folks to church camp near Ketchum for a week.

The Misses Karen and Kay Clucas spent a week with the young folks at the Baptist church camp at Warm Lake.

Mrs. Myrtle Jones and Victor and Mrs. Dorothy Kellar and 3 girls visited her daughter and sister, Mrs. Betty Hoke and family in Burns last Wednesday. Maryann Jones who was visiting her sister, returned home with them Thursday.

Miss Maryann Jones is staying with her sister, Mrs. Elaine Diderickson and family of Notus.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cartwright moved Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jones to La Grande Sunday where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brewington and family of Burns spent from Tuesday until Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Sheila Cartwright and family.

Allen Bennett, Mike Sillonis, Mrs. Verl Bishop, Leroy, Linda and Stevie attended a swimming party last Wednesday at Caldwell in honor of Leroy's 15th birthday.

Word has been received of the birth of a son, Terry Le Vern, born July 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Strong.

Little Susie Abbott visited last week with her aunt, Mrs. Jack Slabaugh and family in Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith and family of Boise spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chet Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harvey and their mother, Mrs. Elsie Smith of Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shelton and family of Nyssa were Sunday dinner guests at the Chet Smith home.

Mrs. Mary Brumbach, Joe and Ezra were guests of their sister, Mrs. Irene Bishop and family in Nampa Sunday.

Mrs. Elida Van De Water returned home from a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Ben Powell and brother, Gordon De Goff both of Lebanon and George De Goff of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bennett and Allen, Harvey Bennett and Charley Newbill of Newell Heights spent from Friday to Sunday fishing at Joseph.

Mrs. Harvey Bennett and Dickie and Miss Cary Boren, Mrs. Margaret Wood and girls were Sunday dinner guests at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kniefel and family in Parma.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hill of near Nyssa were Sunday supper guests at the Verl Bishop home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller were hosts at dinner Sunday for Mr.

the church will take in the Snake River Stampede on Thursday at Nampa. Cars are planning to leave the church at 6 o'clock. Those that are planning to go are urged to contact Rev. Himple who is arranging transportation.

The We-2 group of the church will have it's monthly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephen in Cow Hollow. A family night is planned with a pot luck dinner. Time 8 o'clock.

Bible camp at Quacker Hill in McCall, Ida., will be from August 6-13. Any young person from the age of -12 and up are eligible to go. Cost for the week is \$9.50. More information and registration cards can be received from Rev. Himple, phone 2737. All registration cards must be in by July 31st.

LOCAL NEWS

Norman Huffaker of Vale was guest of Gerald Flinders at a barbecue supper at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Elwood Flinders Saturday evening.

Visiting for several days with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bracken are Mr. Bracken's mother, Mrs. Mary Bracken, his sister, Miss Helen Bracken of Salt Lake City and his aunt, Mrs. Alice Bracken of San Diego, Calif.

Visiting several days this week at the John Wulf home were Mr. and Mrs. Vern Miller of San Diego. Mrs. Miller is the Wulf's niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Foreman Fielder of Lincoln, Nebr., and Mrs. Foreman Fielder and children of Ellis, Nebr., left Tuesday after a two week's visit with the Findling families in Nyssa.

Mrs. Ken Kerby, Marion Tracy and Herb Grosdidier transported the Episcopal youth home Tuesday from summer camp at Cove, Oregon.

Visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Schenk and family are Mr. and Mrs. Donl Peterson and family of Provo, Utah. Mrs. Peterson is the former Mary Lou Schenk.

and Mrs. Garritt Timmerman and girls of Newell Heights, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Miller and son, Danny, Mr. and Mrs. Luit Stam called that afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Dierking and Shirley Chaney returned Saturday from a trip through Yellowstone Park.

Miss Lorraine Van De Water and Myrna Mennium left Sunday for Prairie, Ida., where they will conduct a daily Bible vacation school.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Witty arrived home Friday and are moving to Adrian where he will teach in the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Teter of North Powder visited his father, Wm. Teter over the weekend.

A family picnic was enjoyed Sunday at the Varner Hopkins home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Varner Hopkins and Kenny returned last Monday from a visit with their son, Bill and family in Yakima, Wash. They attended the wedding of their daughter Ella Lee Zentz to Donald Adams at the Giger Air base in Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Chaney and family returned Thursday from a week's vacation with a cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith in Council, her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brownfield and family in Coeur d'Alene and two days in Canada.

Mrs. Phil Clucas entertained with a birthday party for her daughter, Karen Monday night.

Owyhee LDS Ward To Celebrate Pioneer Days

The Owyhee LDS ward will celebrate their annual pioneer days July 24. A full day of fun and activity has been planned starting at 10 a.m. at the church. On the planning committee are Mrs. Carl Simpson, chairman, Mrs. Wayne Garner and Mrs. George Folkman.

A children's parade will start the day followed by a baby show for all babies 2 years and under. There will be prizes for the most attractive babies, who will be the prince and princess, and the ones having the bluest eyes, curliest hair, blackest eyes and the fattest baby.

Lunch will be served at noon followed by a program. Races for all ages will be the afternoon's activities. There will be prizes for all winners.

The evening's activities will feature a ballgame and free show. There will be popcorn, candy, balloons and pop sold all day.

Visiting a few days at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whitaker and family, are Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rands of Ogden.

Mrs. Aden Wilson visited her brother, Eddie Powell at the Veterans hospital in Boise Sunday and reported that he is improving.

Houseguests at the Raymond Larson home the weekend of the 7th was Mrs. Larson's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Bauer of Richland, Wash.

Mrs. Ed Steinke returned last week from a three week's stay at Red Cloud, Nebr., where she was called by the illness of her mother.

Visiting two weeks with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Wulf in Nyssa is Mrs. E. D. Ford of Geneva, Nebr.

The question is: How did the Fool and his Money ever get together in the first place?

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Christian Church Notes

Morning service: Lawrence Porter, guest speaker.
Evening service: Lawrence Porter will continue his talks on Christian Houses in Oregon. Mrs. Porter will show slides to give an eye-view of what the houses accomplish for our young people.

An all-church picnic will be held Sunday July 22, after church in the Nyssa park.
The Come Double discussion will be held at the home of Mr.

Dr. G. W. Graves
• Eyes examined
• Glasses fitted
Caldwell Phone 9-2312

BIDDERS WINDOW

Each Monday we will place a selected piece of merchandise in the BIDDERS WINDOW and it will stay there until 5 p.m. Saturday, at which time it will go to the Highest Bidder. Bids can be turned in at any time during the week. Stop in every week and see what is in the BIDDERS WINDOW.

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