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Days Gone By in Nyssa Community

From the Journal Files

5 Years Ago—Aug. 9, 1951

Gene Stunz, who is associated with his father, Emil, in the lumber business, has been ordered to report for duty in the Navy. . . . Hail, Saturday evening beat down onions and wind whipped trees and crops causing considerable damage. It followed ten days of 100 degrees and higher temperatures. . . . Glenn Burton has been appointed manager of the B & M Equipment Co., succeeding Bud Sherman who is moving to Caldwell.

10 Years Ago—Aug. 8, 1946

Preliminary construction has been started by two major industries at Nyssa, the Idaho Canning Co. and the Avoset corporation. . . . During the past eight months building permits totaling \$284,185 have been issued in Nyssa. The project would house 74 families. . . . The Nyssa Boat club has a membership of 22 persons. Eleven boats were on Snake river last Sunday. There was also sub board riding.

15 Years Ago—Aug. 7, 1941

Irvin Topliff and Raymond Fox are the two Nyssa FFA members selected to exhibit at the state fair. . . . Mayor Olsen appointed Alvin Keuhn as park board member and A. B. Hann to the planning commission following the resignation of L. P. Thomas from both positions. . . . The Western Hotel was purchased this week from Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McClellan by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Aston of Nampa.

20 Years Ago—Aug. 6, 1936

Nyssa ships more head lettuce than any other shipping point in Oregon according to the extension service of the Oregon State College. . . . Herbert Stewart of Portland is the new pharmacist at the Nyssa Pharmacy replacing Bunny Burrell who is moving to Bend. . . . The Dunaway pond is being stocked by bass from the Willamette and Columbia rivers when the water is low.

25 Years Ago—Aug. 13, 1931

Mrs. John Ray is building a new five-room modern bungalow in the Teutsch addition. . . . Mrs. Frank T. Morgan purchased 1200 white Leghorn baby chicks early in the spring. She counted them the other day and was astounded to find she had 1250. She then recalled the hatchery owner had advised her there were imperfect chicks in the consignment and they should be sorted. As a result the flock is larger by 50 chicks and any imperfections they may have had are outgrown.

35 Years Ago—Aug. 5, 1921

Frank Leuck rented his place to Nick Leuck of Council. Frank will open a blacksmith shop in Nyssa. . . . The new Binkley bungalow on Third street, was damaged beyond repair by fire Tuesday morning. . . . S. D. Bigelow and Mr. Dean shipped a carload of potatoes from Nyssa this week receiving \$.90 per 100. The yield was 100 sacks an acre.

Dr. G. W. Graves

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45 Years Ago—Aug. 10, 1911

A state law went into effect Aug. 1, which requires all vehicles to carry a light fore and aft, when traveling at night. It is to prevent collisions of automobiles and motorcycles with farm wagons and other vehicles. . . . Tom Jones and Ferd Zutz have secured concessions from the railroad company for the new townsite on the Nyssa-Buhl extension and located on the west side of the Owyhee river. The town will be known as Rainbow and the proprietors have opened an office in Vale preparatory to selling lots to the public. . . . The big traction engine attached to the threshing outfit of the Idaho Threshing Co., went through the bridge across the Wilson ditch at Good ave. and Third street wrecking the bridge and damaging the engine. Nick Leuck was in charge of the outfit.

Owyhee News

Mrs. Kenneth McDonald
Dial 3209

Kenny Mills returned Monday from church camp where he spent last week.

Josephine Mendazona left Monday for Boise where she will spend this week with Mrs. Coles Arana and family.

Mrs. Richard Brown and children and Mrs. Donald Franklin and children came to take Michael and David Brown home after their visit here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Kygar.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Chenault called at the Kenneth McDonald home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Delwin Holcomb and son, Mr. and Mrs. Rod Holcomb all of Nyssa spent Saturday night at the Bob Morfitt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Culbertson attended a stockmen's picnic in Vale Sunday.

Mrs. Silas Johnston of Haines spent last week with her brother, Omar Hite.

Mrs. Ditty and Sharon Query spent Thursday night at the T. H. Brewer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Pennie, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walters and Mrs. Mary Marshall all of Nyssa, spent Sunday evening at the Ellis Walters home.

Richard McEwen returned home from Boise Friday where he had spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Jim McEwen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Walters of Boise were dinner guests at the Ellis Walters home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Plaza of Ontario were guests of the George Mendazona family Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Dennis had a picnic in Idaho City Sunday.

Mrs. Russell Patten and children and Mrs. Marty McKim and girls of Moses Lake are spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crocker and Jean.

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4-H CLUB ACTIVITIES

Plans for the county fair was the main topic at the August meeting of the Malheur 4-H leaders' council. We were pleased with the number of livestock leaders that turned out. Health certificates, judging teams, the fat stock sale were some of the items that came in for considerable discussion.

Mrs. Rose Taylor of Vale View reported a considerable outbreak of shipping fever in their stock after the fair last year. This could be prevented by having animals vaccinated a couple of weeks before the fair.

All leaders are urged to get the pre-registration report of their clubs in right away. This will make it possible for us to assign stall and pen space before the animals arrive.

4-Hers on TV

How many of you saw Lynn Hoffman and Carolyn Takahashi of Cairo and Claudette Day of Adrian on TV last week? Lynn and Carolyn put on the demonstration

they will present at State Fair next month. Nancy Haven, representative of Western Sugar Beet Growers association, interviewed Claudette Day on her 4-H clothing project and presented her with a birthday cake.

Guernsey Projects Checked

Representatives of the Malheur Guernsey Cattle club, headed by Joe Payne, Sr., checked the projects of 4-H club members who are trying for the special Guernsey award. The Guernsey Cattle club is awarding a registered Guernsey calf at the county fair for outstanding 4-H dairy achievement.

The calf this year will be from the A. C. Basch herd at Nyssa. Most of the club members have their animals in good shape. Rodney Smith, and Peggy and Clifford Tschirgi of the Pioneer club; Ronnie Hughes of Ontario Heights and Donna May Byer of Hyling, all seem to be coming along nicely with their stock. Herdsmanship at the county fair will play a big part in the final award.

Camp Quota Filled

It looks like 4-H camp this year will be bulging at the seams. We have the full quota of 100 signed up, with a few spares to take care of any that drop out.

Adults who will handle camp details include Mrs. Lois Hoffman and Mrs. Muriel Wilcoxson, crafts; Mrs. Shirley Lamb, camp cookery; Mrs. Della Hoffman, KP director; Legds Bailey, recreation; Mrs. Stanley Hill and Miss Rebecca Johnston, camp fire. Junior

R. V. Wilsons Return From Trip to Canada

Mr. and Mrs. Richard V. Wilson, Carolyn and Susan returned last week from a week's vacation trip into Washington and Canada.

They visited relatives in Bremerton, Wash. and ferried to Victoria, B. C. for a visit and sight-seeing trip.

leaders will act as cabin counselors and help with other activities.

Camp Counselors Meet

The junior leaders who plan to be counselors for 4-H club camp at Payette Lakes this week met Monday evening in the county extension office to outline their activities. Kay McDonald and Lavina Shy, Owyhee; Nancy Hill, Nyssa; Darlene Davis, Homedale; Gloria Keith and Myrna Pershall, Vale; Ron Marchek, Harper and Dick Fulwyler and Wayne McConnell, Vale, plan to be cabin counselors during camp. Carolyn Takahashi and Lynn Hoffman, Cairo, will lead singing. Barbara Hickman, Nyssa, and Shirley Skinner, Owyhee, will lead the group in active games during the morning sessions.

4-H Annuals

We have a supply of 4-H annuals in the county extension office. If any of you are interested in seeing these, please come in and look them over. These annuals show club work in the entire state of Oregon, and Malheur county has one page.

COUNTY LIBRARY

Assorted subjects from sculpture to radio servicing are found in the books going into circulation on Saturday, Aug. 18, at the Malheur County Library.

South Africa is the setting of Harry Bloom's novel, "Episode in the Transvaal," which tells the story of a native location in the fictional town of Nelstroom and of its new superintendent, Du Toit, who regarded the natives as children.

Carola Gledion-Welcker analyzes an evolution in volume and space in "Contemporary Sculpture," describing the disintegration of academic concepts in plastic art.

"The Twentieth Century Bible Commentary" is designed to meet the needs of the general reader, ministers and church-school leaders, and teachers and students in Bible courses.

"Modern Political Parties" is a collection of essays edited by Sigmond Neumann presenting comparative studies of party systems in the major nations.

Two books in the musical field are "American Mountain Songs" compiled by Ethel Park Richardson who won the TV "Big Surprise" award of her knowledge of American folklore, and "A Pictorial History of Jazz" by Orrin Keepnews and Bill Grauer.

"Do It Yourself with Aluminum" by G. W. Birdsall is a book

JOHN WULF ATTENDS FUNERAL IN NEBRASKA

John Wulf returned to Nyssa Friday from Plainview, Neb., where he had been called by the death of his nephew, Willis Lorenz. He was gone one week.

for the home craftsman or hobbyist containing 125 projects with working directions.

"The Jet Aircraft of the World" by William Green and Roy Cross is a pictorial history of world progress in jet propulsion.

"Practical Radio Servicing" by William Marcus and Alex Levy is a pictorial self-help to repairing A-C-D-C superheterodyne receivers, three-way portables, and small phonograph combinations.

"Honey from a Dark Hive" is a novel by Bernice Kavinoky concerning all ill-fated love affair in a small Pennsylvania mining town.

"The Siege" by Jay Williams is a story of thirteenth-century France when knighthood was in flower.

"The Lamb" is a novel translated from the French of Francois Mauriac which concerns a chance encounter between a young seminarian and a landowner that has far-reaching effects.

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