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Letters to Editor

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Dear Editor:

I think Nyssa is a "super town"—"away out ahead" in plenty of things but when it comes to the Malheur Memorial hospital benefit recital, many organizations schedule things the same night and too many stay away and don't buy tickets for various reasons and yet have the nerve to solicit subscriptions for funds to keep this hospital going and that's the way I feel about it. Come on Nyssa—show your colors.

Sylvia M. Roth

NAZARENE CHURCH NEWS

Nyssa's singing church invites you to enjoy the worship and fellowship of Christian people. It is good to form the habit of attending church every Sunday not just on special occasions such as Easter and Christmas. Thursday at 7:45 p. m. we will join the other churches of the Snake River zone for a daily vacation bible workshop at our Ontario church.

Saturday at 7:45 p. m. the teen age young people of the zone will meet at Payette for a teen age talent contest.

Sunday, April 28, is "Senior Day." The graduating seniors of our church will each receive a \$25 scholarship to NNC. The pastor will speak on the subject, "The young in eHart," in the morning worship service.

Stranger In The County

By Bill Campbell

I'm all "shook" as the literate teenagers of our day say. We're now across the street—a move made between Friday and Saturday night. The new back shop looks like a tornado hit it with boxes, machinery, ancient copies, supplies, etc., piled high. And of course my office tops 'em all. And naturally last week-end several folks dropped in and wanted old prints or negatives. Ye, Gods! I had enough trouble finding my camera!

But we're going to have a nice plant and one we hope will be a credit to the community. You'll all be invited to drop in before too long when we get settled.

Our new press is some place in the Northwest which is comforting. In the meantime two boys are lugging the forms across the street for printing. And lugging them back again while I sit in the front window and grunt and groan for them.

I've been dropping over every so often to watch the progress of the new bridge. The thing that impresses me the most is that in all the trips I've taken over there I've yet to sneak up and catch Leo Kellogg working.

Was an innocent (?) bystander at the Eagles grand opening Saturday night. You see I was there in a "professional" capacity, taking pictures like mad, some of which, I hope will appear in this issue.

The lodge should be saluted for an outstanding effort. The buffet arranged by the auxiliary was a work of art with appeal to both the eye and the tummy. The orchestra was excellent and the turnout exceptional.

With all the popping off I do it this column it's only natural that I attend the grand opening of the Gas company this Friday!

Doe Sarazin must have remembered the "good old days" recently.

Seems there was a racoon wandering around his garden. Course with it being Spring and all, the coon may have been paying a call to determine her condition.

Naturally it's only a coincidence, but Idaho Power and Eastern Oregon Gas company blossomed out with dandy new signs the same week. The winner? Nyssa's Main street.

Talk about having prospects fall in your lap! Friday night Ed Michaelson started to get in his car but found it occupied by a stranger who apparently had too much moon—and we don't mean "glow"—or do we?

Blooper department: Last week when I wrote about Angie Cok I remarked that Skinny Tensen used to play the guitar via the phone to her. Angle was crushed. It wasn't Skinny Tensen—I assumed it would be on general principles, but Skinny Ennis.

If a run starts on the local bank it can be attributed only to the fact that Leonard Hewett has been charging coffee at Owyhee Drug!

But you run into Nyssa this weekend for your shopping. Bye now, Bill.

Methodist Church News

"Lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Matt. 28:20.

Thursday, April 25, 7:30 p. m.—Ma-Pa pot luck supper and meeting.

Saturday, April 27, 9 a. m.—Rummage sale in Heldt building (Next to office of Clyde Snider). If you have any good used clothing, household articles, etc., please take them to Mrs. Lloyd Tobler.

Sunday, April 28, 9 a. m.—Church school for everyone. 11 a. m. worship service—Mr. Ludlow's sermon topic will be "The Continuing Presence."

7 p. m.—MIF and MYF meetings.

Tuesday, April 30, 2 p. m. Woman's Society of Christian Service executive meeting. Thursday, May 2, 2 p. m.—Woman's Society of Christian Service meets at the church.

8 p. m.—Bible study.

Friday, May 3—United Church Women of Nyssa and vicinity will have their May Fellowship meeting at the church.

Altar Society To Elect Officers

St. Anne's Altar society annual nomination and election of officers will be held at their meeting at the parish May 2 at 2 p. m.

Plans for the coming year will also be made.

Let the Bible Speak

The question has been asked: Why can't I just read my Bible and stay at home? Do I have to have some one to teach me?

Let us take some characters of the Bible.

Acts 8:26-39 tells of a man, an Ethiopian eunuch. This man must have been a good moral man. He studied his Bible and even went to Jerusalem to worship which was several hundred miles. Undoubtedly this man was trying to learn God's word.

The angel of the Lord must have known this man needed help . . . some one to teach him.

The eunuch himself said, "How can I understand except some one teach me?"

Philip taught him and then baptized him. The eunuch had to have help with some one other than himself.

The tenth chapter of Acts tells us of a man who had to have help although he had talked with an angel of God. Man (Peter) had to tell him what to do to be saved.

Yes, Philip preached Christ to the eunuch until the eunuch said, "See, here is water; what doth hinder me to be baptized?" And Philip baptized him.

Peter preached to Cornelius and his friends and commanded them to be baptized even after they had received the Holy Ghost.

After you have been baptized into Christ and become a Christian you cannot live a Christian life alone.

Heb. 10:24-25; 1 John 1:6-7; Mark 12:30-31.

If we love our neighbor we will want to fellowship with them in God's love.

(Paid Adv.)

Adrian Presbyterian Church News

Monday afternoon classes will be discontinued for the spring and summer beginning May 1. Monday afternoon, April 29, 3:45 o'clock mothers and all interested friends are invited to a tea and program.

The Bible study group will meet with Mrs. Henry Day at 1:00 p. m., Wednesday, April 23 for lunch and Bible study.

The young people of the church sponsored a spaghetti supper Wednesday evening.

The Snake river young people's presbyterial will meet at the Ontario United Presbyterian church Sunday, April 28 at 5:30 p. m. Each one is to take a sack lunch. The Ontario church will furnish the beverage.

Payette Lakes conference, June 24-29.

Seabeck conference, July 15-22.

Rev. John F. Shaw, Roswell, Rev. Ralph O. Marshall, Parma and Rev. Henry Moore, Adrian.

TO HOLD MOTHER'S DAY BAZAAR AND FOOD SALE

The LDS first ward relief society will sponsor a Mother's Day bazaar and cooked food sale May 4 beginning at 9:30 a. m. in the former Gate City Journal building.

Spending the Easter holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bergam were Mr. and Mrs. Lurelle Bergam of Bakersfield, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Towne spent Sunday at Eagle, Ida. visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leon Towne and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Towne and families.

led the combined congregations of the Presbyterian churches in the above towns in Good Friday services in the Adrian Presbyterian church. Rev. Shaw spoke on the subject titled, "Forgiveness." Rev. Moore spoke on "Forsaken," and Rev. Marshall spoke on "Finishing." Music was furnished by the Adrian church choir.

Christian Church Notes

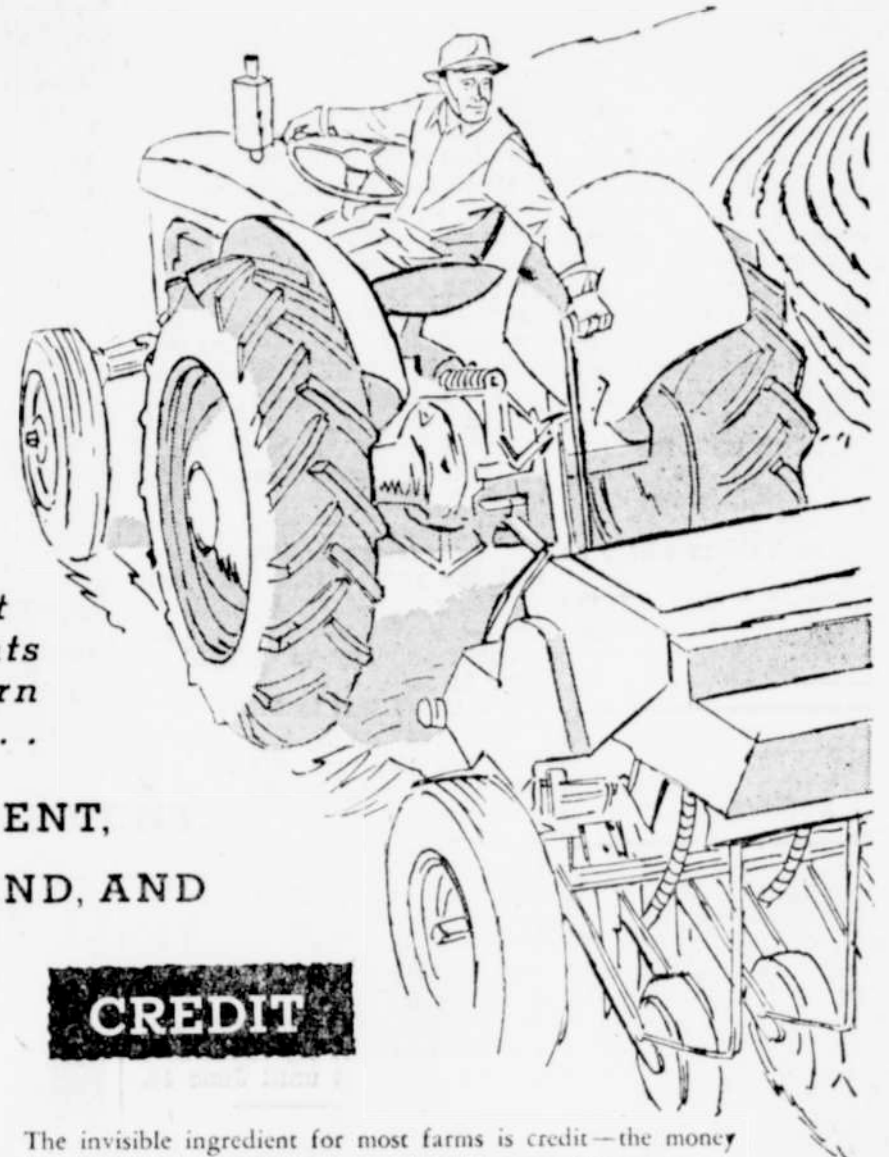
Morning service—NCC day, Bob Dewey, guest speaker. The CWF and Chi Rho will go to Emmett Sunday at 2:30 p. m. for a singspiration service.

CWF group meetings will be held April 25. Group number one with Mrs. Ralph Curry; group no. 2 at the home of Mrs. Howard Finger.

The loyalty class party will be held Thursday evening, 8:00 p. m. at the home of Dolly Case.

The loyalty class enjoyed an Easter breakfast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ewen Chard. Mrs. Elmer Hill was in charge of table decorations. Mrs. John Strickland, Mrs. Ewen Chard and Mrs. Elmer Hill were in charge of planning, cooking and serving the breakfast. Mrs. Earl Hastings and children were special guests.

The CYF group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sisson for an Easter breakfast after attending the Protestant youth fellowshop sunrise services.



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