

Oregon Trail

Mrs. Frank Byers
Phone 2325

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Holmes and family of Westfir are visiting at the F. G. Holmes home and with other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McDonald and Butch visited Thursday evening at the Mark Hartley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Smith and baby of Salt Lake City were Saturday dinner guests at the Wayne Rookstool home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Topliff were Sunday dinner guests at the Russell Gressley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Byers and son of Westfir are visiting at the Frank Byers home and with other relatives here.

Sally Holmes visited several days last week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Blair Hendricks of Ontario.

Mrs. John Darnell and daughter of Jerome and Mr. and Mrs. Z. Z. Hickocks of Wilder visited Tuesday at the Alfred Adams home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hendricks were Sunday dinner guests of the Gilbert Holmes family.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Everett of Weiser were dinner guests Monday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Holmes and Jerry were Sunday dinner guests at the Ray Franklin home near Parma.

Miss Carol Adams attended the sub-district convention of MYF at Emmett Sunday.

Dawn and Carolyn Bohannon attended the picnic supper for their Sunday school class at the Christian church Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Holmes and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Holmes and family of Westfir were Sunday dinner guests of the Roy Holmes family.

Mr. and Mrs. Blair Hendricks and family of Ontario were Sunday afternoon visitors of the Gilbert Holmes family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Olson and boys of Tule Lake, Calif.,

Airman Nears End Of Basic Training

Donald Welch, 18, son of Allie Welch, route 2, Nyssa, is completing the first phase of his basic training at Lackland Air Force base, Tex.

Upon completion of this training, Welch will be assigned to an Air Force technical training course or an advanced basic training course leading to a specialized Air Force job.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to thank our friends for the many cards and flowers sent to my father and me at the death of my mother, Mrs. S. C. Johnson of Gering, Neb.

—Mrs. Ben Storm.

Nyssa Soldier Goes to Korea

Army Pvt. Roger D. Stephen, whose wife, Marcia, lives at Woodburn, Ore., recently was assigned to the 24th Infantry division in Korea.

Stephen is assigned to company D of the division's 19th regiment. He entered the Army last November and completed basic training at Fort Lewis, Wash.

The 22-year-old soldier attended Eastern Oregon college, LaGrande. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stephen, live on route 2, Nyssa.

visited from Wednesday until Friday at the B. F. Rookstool and Torvald Olson homes.

Mrs. L. O. Carlson and girls visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. Clyde Bohannon.

Mrs. Frank Byers attended a committee meeting at the home of Mrs. Ward C. Lundy Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Olson and family of Tule Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Elver Nielsen and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rookstool and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rookstool and Ted were Thursday evening visitors at the B. F. Rookstool home.

Owyhee News

Mrs. Chet Mills
Dial 3281

Fifty-two guests attended a Father's Day picnic dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Brewer. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Barker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Penn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brewer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Barker and family all of Ontario. Mrs. Dick Boetcher and two sons of Cottage Grove, Mrs. Howard Evans of Parma, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Tallman and family of Homedale, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brewer and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Deffer and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brewer and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Woods and Kathy.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Day at the Owyhee dam Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robbins and two daughters of Eugene and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Day of Adrian.

Terry and Melene Crocker, children of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Crocker spent the week end with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Fenn in Nyssa.

Terry, Timmy, Marilyn and Evelyn Tallman of Homedale are spending two days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Brewer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Mills and Ross of Adrian were Sunday dinner guests at the Chester Mills home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cleaver and family were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morfitt at Owyhee dam Thursday.

A family picnic at the Don Share home Sunday included Mrs. Share's sisters, Mrs. Fern Groves of Parma and Mrs. Shirley Albritton and two children of Salem, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Price and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Price and Mr. Share's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chet Share.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Day Thursday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cleaver.

Kenny Eads of Wilder arrived Sunday evening to spend a few days at the T. H. Brewer home. Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Anderson left Thursday for their home in Scottsbluff, Neb., after spending a month with their daughters, Mrs. Chester Mills and Mrs. Harry Woods.

House guests at the George Mendazona home are Raymond and Tony Arana, children of Mrs. Celes Arana of Boise.

Mr. and Mrs. Werner Peutz were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peutz, Jr.

Mrs. Bob Morfitt of Owyhee dam visited her father, Lem Wilson, Sr. at the nursing home in Nyssa.

Mr. and Mrs. James O. Stephen and daughters of Ontario and Garnet Ritchie were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Day at Owyhee dam.

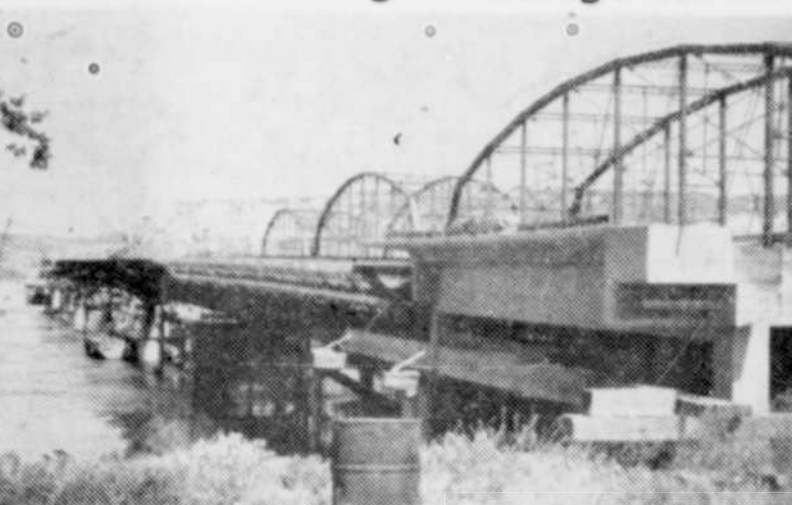
Mr. and Mrs. George Mendazona and daughters, Vickie and Angie and nephew, Raymond Arana of Boise visited relatives at Grandview Sunday.

The Owyhee 4-H Livestock club met Saturday at the home of Joel Price with their leader, Donald Brewer and 12 members attending. Mrs. Ira Price served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Mearl McClure and family of Homedale, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kygar and family and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Talbot and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Culbertson Sunday in honor of Father's Day and the birthdays of Mrs. Earl Kygar and Larry Culbertson.

Tuesday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crocker were Mrs. Letta Wallace, son, LeRoy and four grandsons of Seattle. Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Crocker were neighbors 40 years ago. The Wallace's were enroute to Kansas.

Concrete Pouring on Bridge Nears



THE NEW BRIDGE which will span the Snake river at Nyssa is rapidly taking shape. Most of the steel work has been completed and decking is under way prior to the pouring of concrete. The old span in the back-

ground will be dismantled when the new bridge is opened. A major job yet to be taken will be the construction of a fill on the east side of the bridge which will join the bridge proper. —Journal Photo.

Marvin Patterson On Air Force Leave

A3/c Marvin Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Patterson who has been stationed at Lowry Air Force base, Denver, is spending a 10-day leave with his parents.

After his leave he will report to the air force base at Mt. Home, Ida., for further duty.

Quast Home Scene Of Troop Meeting

Girl Scout troop 1 met at the home of Nancy Quast last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Quast gave a lesson on home nursing after which the girls went to the city park and played games. Refreshments were served by the hostess to 18 members.

freshments. The next meeting will be at the Russell Reed home June 29 with a swimming party at Sniveley's.

Father's Day dinner guests at the Kenneth McDonald home were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Franklin of Murphy, Miss Sandy Wood and Wanda Peutz.

Mrs. Oscar Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Fort Sumpter visited the former's mother, Mrs. Rosa Kirtley in Vala Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Elliott were Sunday evening visitors at the Donald Brewer home. Mrs. Elliott will attend two weeks of school at La Grande.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Woods and Kathy were Wednesday evening dinner guests at the Chester Mills home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peutz, Sr. returned Sunday to their home here after spending two weeks at their cabin at McCall.

Mrs. Jesse Rigney and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jim Rigney and two children of Nyssa were Thursday visitors of Mrs. Lewis Skinner.

Those attending the bucking horse sale at Prairie City Sunday were the Messrs. and Mmes. Bob Chenault, Claude Skinner, Melvin Crocker and Ned Wise of Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Walter and Mrs. Saul Clark were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Walters Sunday. They brought Brenda there to spend part of the vacation with her grandparents.

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Novel Discusses Interesting Facts Of Owyhee Area

"The Life of a Northern Desert" by Earl J. Larrison. Illustrated by Don Fritts. Published by Caxton, Caldwell.

Professor Larrison, an assistant professor of zoology at the University of Idaho, has managed to effectively capture the spirit and mood of the "desert" in this unusually presented description of Owyhee county. Hardly an aspect of this southwestern Idaho area has been neglected as the author covers the animals and plants, geologic and climatic features, history and people of the county.

Rather than being a dry encyclopedic account of this fascinating country, as one might expect from a clinically educated college professor, Dr. Larrison has breathed life into his narrative by having the story of Owyhee told by three fictional, but typical characters — "Frank," a biologist whose vivid descriptions of the desert paint scenes which might inspire an artist or poet to explore them further; "Doc," another biologist whose laconic observations of wild life are obviously those of a man who loves his work and the great outdoors; and "Wyomin," a young graduate scientist whose ranching background brings an earthy touch to the book.

The story of Owyhee and its life unfolds largely in the conversations of these three men as they spend a summer in Owyhee county gathering specimens and data in connection with their work at the university.

The book contains a wealth of information concerning Owyhee county. No one who has read it will ever travel through these sagebrush hills again without a greater respect for the hardy rancher and Basque sheep herder, or the plants and animals of the area which must adapt themselves to survive in temperatures ranging from 35 degrees below zero to 120 degrees above.

The fisherman, rock-hound or hunter who ventures forth in Owyhee county after reading this book will find his trip enriched by a greater understanding of those conditions which brew the desert whirlwinds and sudden summer squalls of the area, and by a knowledge of those intrepid pioneers, miners and trappers who were the first white men to brave this inhospitable country.

There are those who will find

Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Bill Buxton and Karen of Caldwell were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Beck.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Doyle, Rialto, Calif., are spending a week visiting Mrs. Doyle's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones.

Mrs. Leland Ricks and her house guest, Mrs. Ethel Harter, Alturas, Calif., have returned from a trip to Idaho Falls and through Yellowstone park. Mrs. Marjorie Nattress, Idaho Falls, niece of Mrs. Ricks, is visiting this week in the Ricks home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dickenson and family of Hoodspoor, Wash., visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Dority last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Quast and family spent Sunday in Donnelly, Ida., where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Boyd. The group enjoyed a picnic dinner.

future pleasure in being able to recognize the ancient lake beds and the earlier granite formations, as well as the results of the volcanic upheavals which account for the unusual geological features of the county.

Owyhee is a book which will open the eyes of many of us to the fact that in our own back yard there is a country — which far from being a desert — is teeming with fascinating plant and animal life and rich in history and tradition.

Carpets Keep New Look

With proper care wall-to-wall carpeting will retain the new look.

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All interested men in Nyssa-Adrian-Parma area are invited to attend!

No military or fraternal affiliation necessary... Must be permanent residents... Sorry, no high school band students due to possible conflict in playing dates.

TO BE HELD AT COMMUNITY HALL

North Second Between Emison and Ehrgood

TURNOUT WILL DETERMINE FEASIBILITY OF CORPS

IMPORTANT!

If you cannot attend but are interested in joining the corps, fill out the form below and bring — or mail to the Gate City Journal by Saturday, June 22.

NYSSA DRUM CORPS QUESTIONNAIRE — For Potential Members —

NAME	Address
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