

Days Gone By in Nyssa Community

(From the Journal Files)

10 Years Ago—July 3, 1947

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fields reported seeing flying discs Tuesday—the objects a Boise airplane pilot is said to have seen while flying. . . . Sam Hartley is leading the batters of the Nyssa baseball team with an average of .423. . . . John Ostrom reported the cab of his truck was struck by a red hot meteor a mile north of Tamarack, Ida., while enroute to McCall. An object struck the cab just above the windshield and inspection found the cab dented and showing signs of having been struck by a red hot object.

10 Years Ago—July 10, 1947

A group of Nyssa vacationists joined the ranks of the mysterious "disc" observers last week while on a trip in the hills near Baker. Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Artie Robertson and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Boydell heard a low humming sound and three of the party saw the discs which were described as a type of airplane. . . . Mrs. Jean Fletcher was advised by the extension service of the University of Idaho to buy ladybugs to combat aphids. She purchased a gallon of the ladybugs in California to overcome the plant pests but found they wandered to the neighbors instead of remaining at home.

15 Years Ago—July 2, 1942

Eddie Powell left this week to take charge of Dry Soda lookout station near John Day. . . . Luther Fife, local contractor, was awarded the contract for construction of the farm security administration farm labor building on the Emma Quimby property between the U. P. railroad tracks and the Snake river in Nyssa. . . . Don M. Graham of the U. S. Navy is here on a furlough.

20 Years Ago—July 8, 1937

Emil Paulus was called to Weiser Tuesday night to open a safe for Henry Zerney owner of the jewelry store formerly owned by Paulus. . . . Barney Bros. Circus which was to appear in two performances here, unloaded their animals and pitched a tent Monday evening, but early Tuesday morning left mysteriously, reason unknown.

20 Years Ago—July 1, 1937

A deal was completed this week in which the First National Bank of Portland purchased the bank building on the corner of First and Main from the city of Nyssa, including fixtures for a cash consideration of \$4,500. . . . Building permits totaling \$27,480 have been issued by the city recorder during the past few weeks. . . . Citizens of Nyssa turned down a proposed measure on city zoning at a meeting Tuesday evening. . . . The Nyssa CCC camp was rated A-1 by M. J. Bowen, inspector of the 9th corps with 300 camps under his jurisdiction. Only two camps rated this honor.

30 Years Ago—July 1, 1927

Milton Eddy of the Jamieson area reported cattle butchered by a gang of rustlers. . . . The 30-mile stretch of road to the Owyhee damsite which has been improved by the county and Nyssa Commercial club is nearing completion. . . . Nyssa experienced one of the wettest storms of the season Sunday when rain driven by a strong west wind lasted for 30 minutes, giving the town and surrounding country a real soaking. The rain halted the league game between New Plymouth and Nyssa.

30 Years Ago—July 8, 1927

Frank Tate sustained serious injuries when driving a team at the Harry Stacy ranch. The lines caught on the double trees and while attempting to straighten them, the horses became frightened and started to run trampling the unfortunate victim. . . . Ole Champhfer, cattleman of Jordan Valley broke his leg in two places in a runaway accident. He was alone and crawled to his cabin, jerked several boards off the woodbox and with a lariat rope made a splint. With the aid of another board he made a crutch, saddled a horse and rode 15 miles to the C ranch. His neighbors took him the remaining 60 miles to Jordan Valley where Dr. Jones treated the injured man.

35 Years Ago—June 30, 1922

The Big Bend Park association is sponsoring a Fourth of July celebration with a baseball game between Nyssa and Parma scheduled.

uled. A place for horses and vehicles will be provided. . . . Skiny Tensen is the proud possessor of a brand new Victrola which was installed in his home this week. . . . The Shoestring ditch broke near the Sarazin ranch Monday and repairing the break was completed Wednesday.

35 Years Ago—July 7, 1922

A gold nugget worth \$128 was found in the placer fields of northern Malheur county by M. B. Mathieson. Mr. Mathieson believes the placer field in the old Malheur mining district will stage a "come back" . . . Miss Tressie Lackey has accepted a position as bookkeeper at Wilson Bros. Dept. Store. . . . Work of repairing the damage to the OSL depot caused by a fire a few weeks ago was completed this week.

40 Years Ago—June 29, 1917

The patriotic people of Owyhee have made arrangements for a big Fourth of July celebration to be held at Stam's grove. The committee in charge includes W. W. Smith, A. D. Morey and W. H. Beam. . . . John Phillips broke his leg while riding on the brake-block of Harry Brown's wagon. His leg was caught between the wheel and the brake. . . . Joe McGuire, worker on the basement of the new Ennis building who was buried in a two-ton cave-in about two weeks ago, fell to the bottom of the basement when the south wall where he was working gave way.

40 Years Ago—July 6, 1917

Blayne Boydell who is serving in the U. S. Navy in San Diego reports he is well pleased with life in the navy. . . . Cecil Caldwell left for Salt Lake City to join the navy. . . . The new county of Payette in Idaho was officially created Monday when appointed officials were sworn in. . . . Under the management of Seymour Ross 1000 acres of land are being cleared for the Eastern Oregon Land Co. under the Shoestring ditch.

LOCAL NEWS

Visitors at the John Dority home over the Fourth were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dority and son, Jimmy of Bremerton, Wash. John and Paul Dority are brothers and the two women are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Coleman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fox had a wiener roast at Succor creek on the Fourth of July.

Sunday dinner guests at the E. H. Beus home were Mrs. Beus' mother, Mrs. Anna West, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Beus and son, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Peterson and daughter.

Breakfast guests at the E. H. Beus home Saturday morning were Mr. and Mrs. Ez Carr.

The Bill Blodgett family returned from McCall this week where they spent a week vacationing. They left Wednesday morning to visit Mrs. Blodgett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson of Rupert, Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Johnson and family of Winnemucca, Nevada, spent the week end visiting with Mrs. Johnson's brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Max Urry.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Aasmus of Weiser spent Sunday afternoon at the Dale Dewey home.

Robert Bates, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Bates, spent a few days recently at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Francis Bates.

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The Pioneer Pollyanna club held its April, May and June birthday breakfast at the club room Thursday morning with Mrs. Ann Sipes and Mrs. Ada Sipes hostesses.

Miss Winnifred Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nelson and families were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hill of Jump Creek.

The table was decorated with a large birthday cake and bouquets of red roses on each side and low bowls of pansies on each end of the table.

Celebrating birthdays were Helen Davis, Hilda Davis, Ann Jurgens and Ada Sipes.

Others present were Isie Fujishin, Michye Nishihara, Fannie Beebe, Ada Shenk, Kristy and Cindy, Sally Price and one guest, Mrs. Wanda Davis. The next meeting will be July 18 with Fay Wood, hostess.

Dean Wood who teaches in Grass Valley, Ore. has been visiting and helping his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wood put their hay up, left Tuesday for Philadelphia as a delegate from Oregon Educational association to attend the national convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Kidder and children of Nampa, Mr. and Mrs. Ancil Quick and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McKunkin and children had a wiener roast and fished on Snake river Sunday. The men fished with a boat, catching 12-14 inch trout and nice catfish.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Eskew and Kenneth and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Eskew and Willis Eskew and Mrs. Pauline Eachus were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris in Vale. Mr. Eachus visited his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Eachus in Boise.

Pat and Barbara Linder, children of Mrs. Alice Linder of Homedale were Sunday dinner guests of the Rich Linder children. Ted Nelson of Auburn came Saturday to spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nelson and to join his wife and children who have been visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Godlevsky and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bud King and family of Homedale had a picnic at Banks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Eskew, Kenneth and their guests, Willis Eskew and Mrs. Claude Eachus went to Payette Lakes Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wood of Parma and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cantrell and family of Singer, Calif. were Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Merl Wisbey. Penny Lou went home with her grandparents, the Woods' to spend the weekend.

Wes Eskew of La Belle, Mo., and Willis Eskew of La Mar, Mo., arrived Friday to visit their brother, J. E. Eskew and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Dazey and two boys fished at Lost Lake Sunday.

Clifford Nutting of Rupert, Idaho was a Thursday overnight guest of his sister, Mrs. Glen Beebe and family.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Price were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Price of Canyon Hill.

Miss Winnifred Nelson who has been attending college in Westington Springs, S. D., arrived home to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davis attended the Jerry Shea funeral services in Caldwell Monday.

Saturday evening guests of Mr.

COAST VACATION

TAKEN BY GILBERTS

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Gilbert returned Saturday from a 10-day trip to the west coast. They visited at their sons' homes enroute. A son, Glen and family live at Coquille; another, Orville and family reside at Eugene, and Max and family are in Seattle.

Their granddaughter, Carol Gilbert, returned with them to her home in Eugene after spending several days at her grandparents' home, visiting with friends in the Nyssa-Adrian area.

and Mrs. Lonnie Godlevsky were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Klitchuck and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fogalotti of Nampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Russ Stinker and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Salomon and supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Salomon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Hulse and family of Mesa, Wash., moved back here Friday. They stayed at the C. S. Price home while they were moving.

Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Eachus were Wes and Willis Eskew of Missouri, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Eskew and Kenneth and Miss Paula and Jill McGoldrick of Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Shaw and great granddaughter, Linda March of Caldwell were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Nelson.

Mrs. Merl Wisbey was assistant hostess for a pink and blue shower at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wood in Parma for her sister, Mrs. Otis Cantrell of Singer, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Kidder and family of Nampa and Mr. and Mrs. Ancil Quick were Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McKunkin.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wood were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jackson of Boise. Frank Davis spent the weekend in Roseburg, Ore. where he rode in the rodeo.

Darrel Hobday of Gooding was a Thursday dinner guest of Frank Davis at the Perle Davis home.

Claude Eachus brought his two granddaughters, Paula and Jill McGoldrick of Meridian home with him Monday to spend this week.

Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Salomon were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holaway and twins of Seattle and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Salomon of Homedale.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Beebe and boys had a picnic at the Caldwell park Sunday. In the afternoon they visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haynes. Donnie stayed all night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Waite and family and Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Waite and family of Wilder had a picnic at Silver City Sunday.

Miss Amber McKay left from Ontario Friday for Pendleton after visiting her mother, Mrs. Leo Campbell last week.

County Library

Early explorations of the West, African safaris, various novels and a biography head the list of books going into circulation Saturday, July 6, at Malheur county library.

John Charles Fremont's writings about his exploring expeditions to explore the country west of the Missouri in the 1840's appear in "Narratives of Exploration and Adventure" edited by Allan Nevins.

"Zanzibuku (Dangerous Safari)" by Lewis Collow recounts adventures of a hunter armed only with a camera who went on three safaris in Central and East Africa to film wild animals and primitive tribes.

"Bitter Victory" by Rene Hardy is a novel of the desperate march to safety of a World War II British commando patrol lost in the Sahara after raiding a German outpost.

"The Believers" by Janice Holt Giles is the story of a marriage in a Shaker community of early-day Kentucky.

Richard Llewellyn's new novel, "Warden of the Smoke and Bells," is set in Italy at the time of Marco Polo and tells of the truce between two hill towns flaring into open hostility with the arrival of Polo's caravan from Cathay.

"Anne Boleyn" by Eve Stephens tells in fiction form of the love between king (Henry VIII) and subject which won Anne a crown but cost her her life.

"Sundays from Two to Six," novel by Virginia Abauza, describes through the eyes of the 16-year-old daughter the reactions of the children to parental separation.

"The Sacrifice" by Adele Wiseman concerns a Jewish immigrant family in Winnipeg and takes as its theme the Biblical story of Abraham.

"Old Bullion Benton" by William Chambers is the life story of an important political contemporary of such men as Webster, Clay, Calhoun and Jackson, who was the first senator from Missouri and defender of hard money currency.

A diet and reducing cookbook by Leonard Levinson is "The Complete Book of Low Calorie Cooking."

"Hunting Our Biggest Game" by Clyde Ormonde is about trophy hunting — the knowledge, judgment, skill and effort employed in bagging the beasts of largest size.

"Creatures of the Deep Sea" by Klaus Gunther and Kurt Deckert describes many strange forms of animal life in the ocean depths.

"I Was Chaplain on the Franklin" by Joseph O'Callahan recreates the disastrous bombing of

Terry Borge First Applicant at BJC

Terry J. Borge of route 1, Nyssa, is the first applicant from this community to be accepted at Boise Junior college for the 1957-58 academic school year.

His training will start Sept. 16 with freshman orientation. Classes start at BJC Sept. 23. Borge is planning to major in architecture.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake J. Borge are his parents.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Barnes, Sidney and Dianne of Monte Vista, Colo., were guests at the Herb Cox home Monday. The Barnes' were on their way to Chehalis, Wash., to visit their son.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Quast attended a farewell party in Council last week for the Rev. Eunice Trumbo of the Congregationalist church. The Rev. Trumbo is 81 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Beck and family spent the evening of the Fourth watching the fireworks at Caldwell.

Mrs. Gary Knight, the former Margaret Bates, and her sister-in-law, Linda Knight, both of LaGrande, were weekend guests at the Francis Bates residence. Gary Knight arrived in Nyssa Saturday evening. Mrs. Knight came to attend the Jayo-Coleman wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Bybee attended the rodeo at Vale over the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Tensen and daughter spent the Fourth of July at Idaho City.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burningham, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jefferies, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Myrick, Dr. and Mrs. Grant Hughes, Eldred Brower and families spent the Fourth in Caldwell where they picnicked, swam and watched the evening fireworks.

the U.S.S. Franklin and its aftermath in March 1945 off the coast of Japan.

"Visit to a Small Planet and Other Television Plays" by Gore Vidal include "The Death of Billy the Kid," a movie version of which has been planned for release this year, "Smoke" and "Barn Burning" which are adaptations of William Faulkner stories.

WEED BURNERS FOR RENT

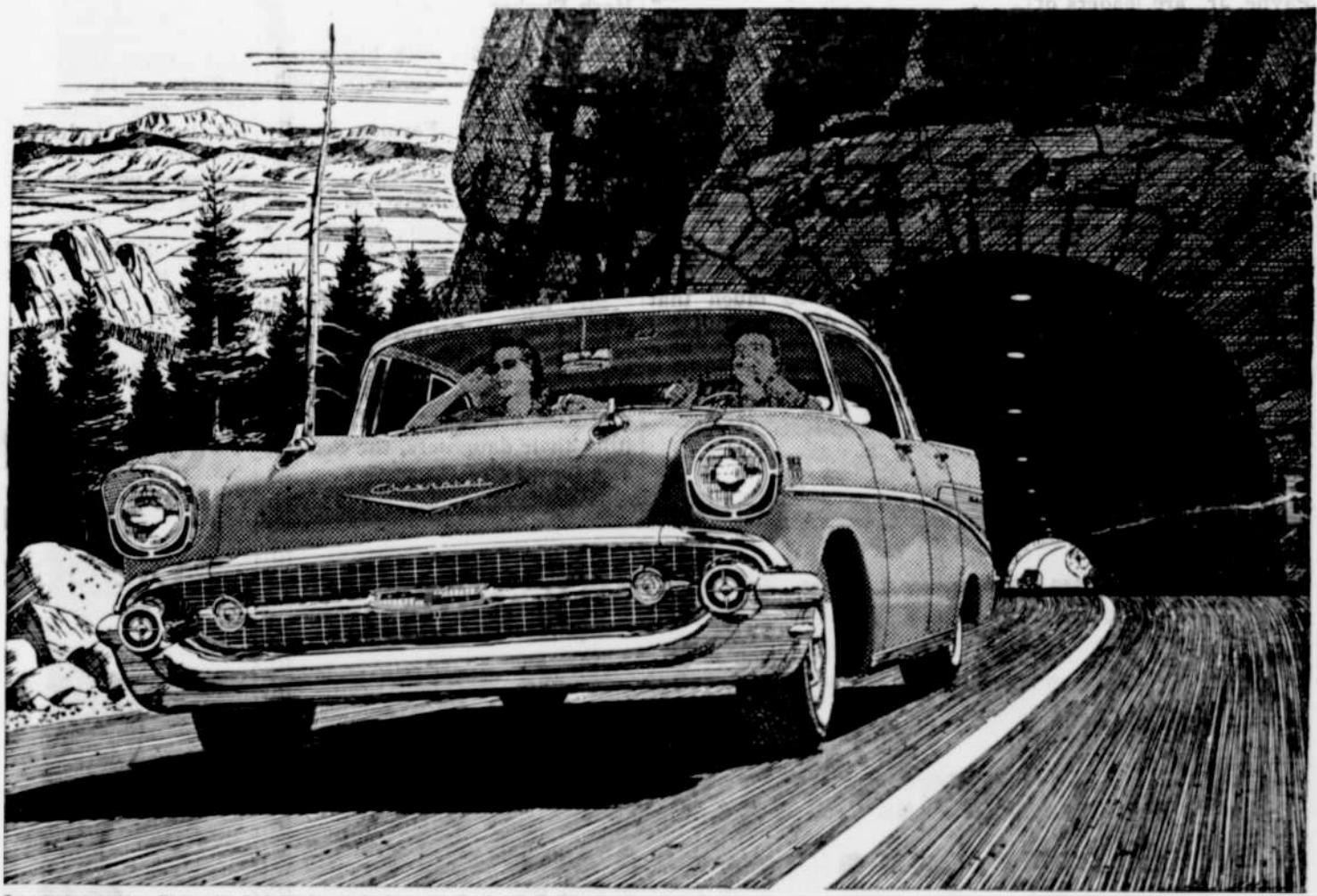
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