

Fish Rise to Surface on Owyhee: Witnesses Report Strange Sight

The Payette Lakes sea monster will have to step aside because Lake Owyhee has arrived with a new phenomenon, reported this week end.

It seems, according to eye witnesses at the lake shortly after 6 p.m. Friday, that thousands of fish suddenly surfaced for a moment and then fell back into the lake.

Alan Jacobs, Ontario, said he was standing at the edge of the lake starting to get in a boat when "all at once the fish came up."

He added that it was the first time he had ever seen or heard of such a thing.

Lloyd Urquhart and daughter, also both Ontarians, were nearby. Urquhart said he was standing on a ledge above Jacobs when he felt a "vibration in his ears" and looking up saw what looked like every fish in the lake surface.

The lake was as calm as glass beforehand, Urquhart said. As on most mornings there was no wind. He described his experience as "super human and shocking."

Urquhart added he checked his watch which showed 6:08 a.m.

Ronda Urquhart, the daughter, was standing in the cabin above. She reported that she also felt a vibration in her ears.

The party was on a three-day fishing trip and was staying on the Dry creek arm at Soner's cabin.

Urquhart states there was no earth tremor or unusual light connected with the event. He wondered if a possible atomic explosion in Nevada the same morning might have caused the phenomenon to happen. The group were unable to find anyone who was at the lake at the same hour who

might possibly have been witnesses.

Urquhart added that he was certainly curious to find out what had been the cause.

—Argus-Observer.

Apple Valley

Mrs. Dwight Seward
Phone 2-2731

Mrs. Hanna Robinson has received word that her grandson, Jessery Alton Black, 6-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Black of West Gloucester, Mass., suffocated to death in his crib Friday, Aug. 26. A rattle shaped like a miniature telephone receiver became caught in his throat. Efforts of police, firemen and the doctor failed to revive him.

Friends will remember Mrs. Black as the former Starr Robinson of this community. The Blacks have two other children, Bryan, 6, and Christine, 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Reed and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hogan returned home Sunday from a business trip to Burley, Ida.

A picnic dinner was enjoyed Sunday at Kurtz park in Nampa. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Saunders and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Seward and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wild of Nyssa, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kellogg of Palco, Kan., Mrs. Winston Ketchum, and children of Sparks, Nev., Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Kellogg and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pierce and Sharon Gibson, all of Nampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Naser and baby daughter of California and Mrs. C. C. Meltvedt of Boise are visiting a few days this week at the Forrest Reed home.

Shirley Seward spent Saturday night with Sharon Gibson in Nampa.

Arlene Barr spent a few days last week at the Oscar Erwin home.

Gloria Erwin is spending a few days this week with Arlene Barr in Parma.

Mrs. Walter Jones and family of Newport, Wash., visited Monday at the Forrest Reed home. Mrs. Jones is the former Grace Haines who taught at Apple Valley several years ago.

A group of MYF members met at the Oscar Erwin home Sunday afternoon for a farewell party in honor of the Apple Valley pastor, Dick Nye of Caldwell.

Several relatives enjoyed a large family dinner at the Earl Boston home last Tuesday evening to honor Mrs. Boston's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Claudette who are visiting here from Tacoma, Wash. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rogers of Roswell, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rogers and children of Nampa, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brumbaugh and Roger of Roswell, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shippey of Boise.

Nyssa High School Football Schedule

Sept. 13—Jamboree Ontario
Sept. 14—Vale There
Sept. 20—Meridian HERE
Sept. 27—Weiser There
Oct. 4—John Day HERE
Oct. 11—Payette HERE
Oct. 18—Ontario HERE
Oct. 25—Parma There
Nov. 1—Emmett HERE

Nyssa Trio Set For Action in Elks All-Star Game

Three members of the 1956 Nyssa high school football team will appear with the Snake river valley all-stars against the Central Oregon all-stars Saturday night at Prineville.

According to Harry McGinley, Nyssa mentor, Larry Schenk, Joe Sanders and Vernon Pond are set to see action in the big Elks benefit football show. McGinley said that Larry Schenk will start at offensive half and Joe Sanders at defensive halfback. The local coach plans to see the game in central Oregon.

Big Bend

Miss Helen Hatch

Adrian women softball team entertained their husbands to a picnic at the new Adrian park Sunday. Those attending from Bend were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cartwright and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson left early Sunday morning for Portland where they will visit some cousins and bring their daughter Alice home. Alice has been employed in Portland for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cartwright and her sister, Mrs. William Lawler of Central Cove were Sunday dinner guests of their mother, Mrs. Naomi Wright in Nampa and visited with Mrs. Maude Leinhard of Boise who was also a guest in the Wright home. In the afternoon they visited a cousin, Mrs. Agnes Stoneman, who was ill and in the hospital.

Mrs. Goldie Roberts spent Monday in Ontario helping get ready for the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stradley and family, his mother, Mrs. Frone Stradley, Mrs. Agnes Johns, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Eva Pyle and son Verl, who is visiting them from the east enjoyed a picnic dinner on the lawn at the Joe King home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stradley started picking prunes in Sunny Slope Monday morning.

Messrs. and Meses. Harvey Bennett, Dick Bennett, Leroy Bennett and Allan, Dwayne Bennett and Tonya and Floyd Woods and family attended a Bennett family reunion and picnic in the Boise park Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Sloan of Ogden, Utah spent from Thursday until Tuesday at the Howard Myrick home.

Mrs. Herb Fisher and Emma Quinby spent several days last week visiting in Twin Falls with the Horace Whittlesey family.

Dick Harris and sons of Nyssa and Julia Reed of Parma.

Miss Phyllis Fox of Nyssa and Jim Boston of Ontario visited Monday evening at the Earl Boston home.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Reed entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Morris and family of Parma at a dinner Wednesday evening. The occasion was a farewell to the Morris family who are moving to Owyhee, Nev.

The next meeting of the WSCS will be held Wednesday, Sept. 4, in the church basement.

There will be a farewell dinner at the church basement Sunday in honor of Dick Nye who has served as pastor of the church for the past three years. Mr. Nye plans to leave soon for Boston, Mass., where he will continue study for the ministry.

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38 Candidates Turn Out for HS Football Uniforms

Thirty-eight players turned out Monday night to check out uniforms for the 1957 Nyssa high school grid campaign.

Among the hopefuls were 11 lettermen from last year's team. Six of the regulars from last season's squad have graduated. The team will meet Wednesday night for physical examinations.

Coach Harry McGinley said it is too early to make any predictions about this year's club but it is expected they will be heavier than last year but a little slower.

Among the returning lettermen McGinley will count on are Dennis Savage and John Messick in the backfield; Gerry Toombs, center; Ron Talbot, end; Ron Rookstool, tackle; Ken Ashby, Ray Draper and Gerry Matsunaga, guards.

Newcomers Larry Roberts and Dave Seawright will probably see action. Glen and Don Walker, along with Gale Coleman will be seeking backfield posts.

Eagles, Auxiliary Plan for Visit Of Presidents



EAGLE PRESIDENT BAKER

Members of the Nyssa Eagles lodge and auxiliary are making arrangements for the official visit of Francis Baker, state Eagles president, and Mrs. Grayce Johnson, state auxiliary president, Friday evening, Sept. 13, Nyssa president Eddie Taylor announced this week.

Plans are being made for a joint social for officers of the lodge and auxiliary at Brownie's Cafe and separate business meetings will be held at the Eagles hall later in the evening. Ten Eagle candidates will be installed during the lodge meeting.

Baker and Mrs. Johnson are residents of Pendleton.

RECEIVES TREATMENT AT NYSSA HOSPITAL

Charolette Dawn Myers, 12, of New Plymouth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Myers, injured herself while target practicing at her home Saturday. She was treated in Malheur Memorial hospital for injuries of the foot and was released Tuesday, Aug. 27.

Weather . . .

	Max.	Min.
Aug. 21	96	53
Aug. 22	94	53
Aug. 23	92	47
Aug. 24	87	60
Aug. 25	80	62
Aug. 26	84	59
Aug. 27	85	47
Aug. 28		38

Owyhee Reservoir Storage
Aug. 28, 1957 496,930 Acre Ft.
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Nyssa Births . . .

Aug. 23—To Mr. and Mrs. Marion Glenn of Nyssa, a boy.
Aug. 24—To Mr. and Mrs. West Beus of Nyssa, a girl.
Aug. 25—To Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lundberg of Nyssa, a boy.
Aug. 28—To Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Barker of Ontario, a boy.

BUILDING PERMIT ISSUED

Aug. 21—To remodel home at 814 North 3rd, lot 10, block 79. Green addition. Estimated cost, \$700. To be built of wood frame. Amaranthe E. Montoya.

Coming Events . . .

Aug. 31—Third annual water show to be held at Ontario, beginning at 9 p.m.
Aug. 31—Celia Cowan circle of the Methodist church will sponsor a cooked food sale at Eder Hardware, beginning at 10 a.m.
Sept. 14—Oregon Trail Fair Association will begin a series of card parties at 8:30 p.m.

Miss Maggie Haumont of Vale was a guest at the H. O. Hopkins home from Friday morning until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Boyd of Sausalito, Calif., left Friday after visiting for five days at the David Beers home.



Gene Stunz Awarded Law Degree at Salem

Gene Stunz of Nyssa was awarded the bachelor of science in law degree this week from Willamette university, Salem.

A first year law student, Stunz took his undergraduate work at the University of Washington and College of Idaho. Willamette offers the BS in law degree to students completing three years of liberal arts and one year of law.

Stunz is the son of Emil A. Stunz of Nyssa.

PENRODS VACATION IN YELLOWSTONE PARK

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Penrod returned home Saturday after nine days of vacationing. The Penrods were joined at Mountain Home by their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Tennant. From there they traveled to Grand Teton national park for three days and then on to Yellowstone park which they toured very thoroughly.

Emergency Calls Naval Man Home

HM3 G. W. (Buzz) Blunk of the U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Blunk of Fruitland, formerly of Nyssa, was called home on emergency leave due to the recent illness of his father, who suffered a heart attack Thursday morning. Mr. Blunk is confined in Holy Rosary hospital at Ontario.

HM3 Blunk is with the First Marine division at Camp Pendleton, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phifer and Jannie and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kreigh were visitors Wednesday evening at the Mark Hartley home.

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