

Days Gone By in Nyssa Community

(From the Journal Files)

15 Years Ago—Sept. 24, 1942

The Amalgamated Sugar company will start slicing beets in its Nyssa factory Sept. 29. . . . The Oregon State Game commission closed the hunting season in Oregon because of fire hazard and until a general rain occurs. . . . The Nyssa city council at its meeting Monday night passed an ordinance including a provision for parallel parking in Nyssa. . . . A gift of \$400 to be used in home economics scholarships at OSC from the Amalgamated Sugar company was received by Dean Ava B. Milam of Corvallis.

20 Years Ago—Sept. 23, 1937

On a tour of the west, which includes most of the irrigation projects, President Franklin D. Roosevelt will inspect Owyhee dam Monday accompanied by secretaries, secret service men and news reporters. His party will board the presidential train at Nyssa. . . . Bert Lienkaemper will erect a modern home at Fourth street and Ehrgood avenue.

20 Years Ago—Sept. 30, 1937

Esau Atagi of Oregon Trail won first prize in the 4-H club poster contest held for members in Ontario. . . . Work will start within 10 days on a \$2,000,000 sugar factory in Nyssa. A. E. Benning announced that the Amalgamated Sugar company had decided to build a factory here, the first sugar factory in Oregon. A new drug store, the Owyhee Drug, will open in the Frost building this week with O. J. Atkinson, registered pharmacist, as manager. . . . The Nyssa city band played for President Roosevelt's visit Monday when he made a scheduled stop here.

30 Years Ago—Sept. 23, 1927

Among residents of Malheur county who became naturalized citizens before Judge Dalton Biggs Sept. 8 were Luit Stam and Klaas Stam, emigrants from Holland in from France in 1908. . . . Frances resident of this country since 1910 from Canada, and Domingi Yturri of Jordan Valley, who emigrated from France in 1905. . . . Frances Klinkenberg and Mary Toombs left Thursday to attend normal school at Monmouth.

30 Years Ago—Sept. 30, 1927

John Moore has moved from the

Fogle residence to the S. F. Foster property. . . . LOST—Set of 4-horse butt lines with rings on end. Between Lem Wilson and M. Hart's place. M. L. Gardner. . . . The Girl Scouts took their first hike Saturday to the Andy Little sheep ranch. . . . The bonds for street improvement carried almost unanimously at the election held Monday, 62 votes being in favor and only two against.

40 Years Ago—Sept. 29, 1917

Jack and Douglas McDonald, sons of Alex McDonald of Nyssa, were among the first Nyssa boys to see action in the front line trenches in France. . . . Marion Dunn received word from his son, Cpl. Chester Dunn, that he was enroute to Camp Greene, N.C. . . . S. H. Ross is building a new six-room house on his ranch near town. Fred Green is the contractor. . . . Pvt. Vernon Brown of the U. S. Marines, son of Win S. Brown, editor of the Gate City Journal, was largely responsible for a 27-0 gridiron defeat handed the University of California by the sea aggregation last Saturday.

GAA Schedules Annual Playday

Approximately 100 to 150 girls will participate in activities at the annual GAA Playday scheduled Oct. 12 at the high school, according to Miss Lois Bungum, adviser.

Parma, Caldwell, Adrian, Weiser, Vale and Nyssa participants are expected to attend.

The playday which will start at 9 a.m. and lasts until 2 p.m., will be held in the gym and on the school lawn. Dinner will be served in the cafeteria at noon.

Activities will include a variety of sports, depending upon the weather.

FORMER NYSSA MUSIC TEACHER RECEIVES HONORS

Word has been received here by friends and pupils of the election of Miss Wilhelmina Hoffman of Caldwell as president of the Music Clubs Federation of Idaho.

Miss Hoffman is a former music teacher in this community while living in Parma.

Kingman Kolony

Mrs. Ronald Batt
Phone 2403

Mrs. Mae French and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Olsen were Marsing visitors Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Callahan of Mountain Home are the parents of a son born Sept. 25. Grandparents of the new baby are Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cassell were Sunday afternoon guests at the Willis Conant home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Potter of Haxton, Colo., were Tuesday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Begeman. They were enroute to Walla Walla, Wash., and other points west.

Ronald Thompson left last Thursday for Corvallis where he will attend Oregon State college. He is majoring in fish and game management.

Jeanette Conant spent the week end at the Oliver Free home taking care of the Free children while their parents were on a hunting trip.

Mrs. Dudley Kurtz and children attended a birthday party Saturday at the Kenneth Price home honoring the fifth anniversary of Roddy Price.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gebhart and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Nichol and family, all of Caldwell, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Haney.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Sparks and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schaffer spent the week end in the Ironside area on a hunting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ashcraft left Saturday morning for Paul, Ida., to visit their son, Dick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Montgomery and family were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Woolley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Batt moved last week from their ranch to their home in Nyssa. They have rented their house to Mr. and Mrs. Alan Haney.

Robert Long, Hershal Thompson and sons, Ronnie, Donnie and Gary, had a successful hunting trip last week. They brought back three deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Callahan and children, Christie and Richard Craig, came from Mountain Home Friday afternoon to spend the week end with Mrs. Callahan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bowers.

Mrs. LaVada Lenaghan of Boise spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Schaffer. She returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Mae French was a Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Edna Cowling in Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kygar went to Jordan Valley Wednesday morning. They were dinner guests at the Duncan home, then they drove on to Rome where they spent the night and Thursday at the Kenneth Kygar home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Kurtz and family are moving this week from Kingman Kolony to a home they formerly occupied in Newell Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ashcraft and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Thomas were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Toomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Bennett

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Nyssen Elected To College Post



Miss Dolores Van Zelf, sophomore student at Mount Angel Women's college, Mount Angel, has been elected parliamentarian for the Student Oregon Education association on the campus.

Miss Van Zelf is one of the four newly elected officers who will represent the club at a regional meeting to be held Oct. 26 on the Eastern Oregon campus. A 1956 graduate of Nyssa high school, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Van Zelf of Nyssa.

G. Ritchie Receives Scholarship Awards

Garnet Ritchie second-year student at BJC, received her third scholarship recently.

Miss Ritchie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Ritchie and is majoring in nurses training at St. Luke's hospital in Boise.

and Floyd Wood hunted in the Three Forks area last week end.

Mrs. Dean Montgomery's brother, BT3 Max Fowers and a friend, spent the week end at the Montgomery home. They are Navy men and are stationed at Bremerton, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Breshers of Weiser and their guests from Ohio were guests last Sunday at the Oscar Schaffer home. The Breshers are uncle and aunt of Mrs. Schaffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kygar visited at the Byrd Walters home Sunday.

Mrs. Dudley Kurtz and children attended a farewell party in Boise last week for Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kurtz of Newell Heights who are leaving soon for Ethiopia.

Small Red Kregger kept her small granddaughter, Tonya Bennett, last week end while her parents were on a hunting trip.

Mrs. William Toomb and Mrs. Dale Ashcraft attended a card party Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Herb Thomas in Big Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Sparks and Virgil Holladay visited Monday night with Mrs. Mae French.

Mrs. Hershal Thompson went to Emmett last Friday to help her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Earp unpack after they had moved there from their ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phifer and family attended a reception Thursday evening at the Nyssa stake house for Mr. and Mrs. Don Bowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson of Emmett and her sister and husband from Wisconsin visited with Mr. and Mrs. Al Thompson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershal Thompson had as their guests Wednesday night Mr. and Mrs. Lance Earp, who were on their way from Emmett to El Centro, Calif., to make their home.

The home economics women of the Kingman Grange met at the home of Mrs. Tony Martinez last Tuesday.

Newell Heights

Mrs. M. L. Kurtz
Phone 2132

The Idaho Presbyterian and Presbytery will meet all day Thursday at the United Presbyterian church in Weiser for their 50 year anniversary. All past presidents are asked to be present or send a message of greeting. Past presidents of Adrian are Mrs. Henry Moore and Mrs. M. L. Kurtz and Mrs. John Nevin, deceased.

Mrs. Moore took a load of FHA girls to La Grande to an all day district meeting Saturday. Kay Borge and Claudia Peterson attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Simpson and family are leaving Saturday for the coast and will visit relatives enroute.

Mr. and Mrs. Luit Stam visited Friday evening in Nampa at the Jake Relk home.

The Mariners Club of young adults met in the church basement Friday night for their monthly supper. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Topf were hosts. Other guests from here were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Borge. It was announced that the district meeting will be Oct. 20 in Parma. Coat racks in the children's church rooms was suggested as a new project. Anna Sparks and Mary Weir will be hosts at the next meeting.

Thursday night was the home football game with St. Teresa of Boise. This was the first appearance of the band under the new director, Mr. Davidson, when they played during the first half of the game.

Mrs. M. L. Judd attended a luncheon at the home of Mrs. R. H. Young in Parma Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Laan and daughter visited Saturday evening at the Klaas Laan home in Kingman Kolony.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kurtz visited an aunt, Mrs. Ida Collin and with Mrs. M. W. McLaughlin in Boise Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fenn and family of Middleton were visitors at the Carl Fenn home Sunday afternoon.

James McKinley, Steven Sayre and Ben Zamora boated at Lake Owyhee and hunted deer over the week end with no success.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. McDermott visited at the Charles Reno home in Big Bend Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Leach and sons of Portland had supper Friday a week ago at the Jake Borge home and this week they stopped to visit Terry Borge at the U of O in Eugene enroute to Reedsport.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kurtz and Elaine were dinner guests at the I. C. Durnal home in Ten Davis



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Travel, War, Earth Satellites Listed As Subjects of New Books at Library

A travel book, a war chronicle, a discussion of earth satellites and readable essays on nature top the list of books going into circulation Saturday, Oct. 12, at Malheur county library.

Lowell Thomas, Jr., and his wife describe their 11-month aerial odyssey to exotic places in "Our Flight to Adventure."

"U-Boat Killer" by Donald McIntyre tells of taking convoys through wolf packs (German submarines) and describes savage battles in the Atlantic ocean during World War II.

Patrick Moore deals with the earth satellite program as it affects science, politics and the future of man and as a key move

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hartman, former neighbors in Ten Davis called later in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert James and Mrs. Edith Hammon went to Utah a week ago.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Francis Thiel were dinner guests at the Roy Hirai home.

Mary Worden was an overnight guest Saturday of Pauline Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hammon of Pocatello visited at the home of Mrs. Edith Hammon, Durlin Hammon and Mutt Hammon over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Luit Stam were hosts at dinner Wednesday evening honoring friends, Mr. and Mrs. C. Stuy, Mrs. Meckers and Mrs. Weeshof of Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Gerritt Groot of Apple Valley and Mr. and Mrs. Relk of Nampa were also guests. The guests had left their home in Holland about the same time as the Stam family first settled in this area.

Mrs. Durlin Hammon attended an extension unit meeting at St. Hubert's Catholic church in Nyssa Thursday.

Wallace Butler, freshman at OSC pledged to the Lambda Chi Alpha, his father's fraternity

toward space travel in "Earth Satellites."

"This Hill, This Valley" by Hal Borland is a book of nature essays describing a year of country living.

"Underdog" is a novel by W. R. Burnett about a big city political boss, a murder, a double man-hunt and a fall guy . . . the perennial underdog.

"Garden Without Flowers" by Willa Thompson tells the story of a skiing vacation on which Helen Duvier, unhappily married to a French lawyer, embarks on a tragic interlude with Ruedi, a young Swiss engineer.

"Fair With Rain" by Ann Head is the story of likable parents and the trials they endure seeing their Princeton undergraduate son through his courtship and engagement.

"Danger Under the Moon" by Maurice Walsh is a mystery centering around David Daunt whose return to his Irish home after nine years in prison for a murder he did not commit is a threat to the real killer.

"Foliage Arrangements" by Emma Cyphers is devoted to making arrangements with leaves from garden shrubs, trees, houseplants, etc.

"Complete Wedding Guide," published by Good Housekeeping magazine outlines etiquette for simple of elaborate weddings.

"Tender Is the Knife" by B. J. Buchanan concerns two young Americans who have come to Paris to study painting but become involved searching for a murderer.

"The House at Adamapur" by Arthur Lall is a story of India's progress toward independence in the 1930's and '40's.

"AFL-CIO Labor Union" by Arthur Goldberg outlines the recent history of the American labor movement and discusses the merger of AFL-CIO, its probable effects on collective bargaining and political action, as well as the growing issue of labor monopoly.

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