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Jor-

The Sugar City

would constitute the auxiliary

police, with all members permit-

cities, if needed. The council was

asked to pass a resolution provid-

ing for this organization, but af-

ter some discussion, it was de-

should provide for the authority

of the chief of police to investi-

gate and approve any member.

Considering study of these items,

it was decided to postpone any

The City Planning commission

trance to the city and a weed or-

dinance be passed. City Manager

Mayor Rinehart presented a

petition from the property owners

Eighth street, between Walnut

Parking Ordinance Passed

Current bills for July were ap-

action until further study.

Engineers Seek Project

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City Council Considers Creating New Sewer District, Discusses New Alley And Accepts Lease of Parking Lot

The regular monthly meeting of the city council was held Tuesday night, Aug. 11, with Mayor Grant Rinehart presiding. All members of the council were present together with City Manager Art Colby and City Attorney Hal Henigson.

A printed agenda for the meeting was furnished by the city manager and it was adopted as printed and business for six weeks during June and taken up in that order.

All-Star Squad Leaves Friday For Elks Game

moved under the lights Tuesday at Ontario for three days football practice before leaving for Bend ticing regularly since Aug. 3. Four Nyssans are among the

best of the Snake River valley-Dave Sewright, Clark Jaques, Burton Smith and Jerry Myrick. Injuries have sidelined several of the all-stars. Parma's Dave Trost is out with a back injury, and Jay Johnson of Vale has back injuries but may make the lineup, Coach Bob Morford said this

best of eastern Oregon against Fisk and Milar of Boise, in which a grade below normal because of central Oregon's best, will be they stated their desire to serve irregular attendance and lanplayed at Bend Saturday evening. in the proposed sewer project. Proceeds from the annual contest | Action was deferred on this. go to the Elks' eye clinic.

from Parma to Ontario this year, ments be made along the east en- mer, sponsored jointly by the local is Morford's assistant.

Twelve Nyssans To Appear on TV In Boise Today

television, channel 2, from Boise asking that a 15-foot alley runtoday on the Bonnie Wallis show ning north and south, west of from 2 to 3 p.m.

Rena Dirksen will appear as the and Locust be opened. The need. cook of the day, and will be in- ed land would be taken from the terviewed on her trip to Girls'

A vocal quartet, Sherry Glenn, decided to advise the petitioners from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Georgia Lee Peterson, Barbara that they should plan to make it High school teachers are Sam Glover and Neva Flake, will ren- 18 feet wide to conform to the Tyson, social studies; LeRoy Buh. der selections, accompanied by

Linda Bowns will present a favorable. reading and Dee Herron, a tap Tanya Burningham and Patty Michaelson will appear in

Ron Schoen of Schoen Studios ing June 30 was presented by will speak on photography, as Mayor Rinehart and filed, the city guest speaker of the day.

Ex-Adrian Teacher bids, and ordinance No. 387 amending traffic control and pro-Dies in Salem

Johnnie Johnson, who taught read for the third time and passagriculture at Adrian Union high ed. Salem hospital Aug. 2, 1959.

lowa, Ore., married Mary Lou instructed to submit figures for test. The contest was sponsored Burger of Ontario, and attended the cost of servicing a part of "A" by the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Oregon State college. He had liv- area, which includes some of the Post 409. ed in Salem the past several Industrial subdivision south of He received a \$10 prize for his

Survivors, other than the wi- lution prepared for the next competition. a brother, Arthur Johnson, both their boundaries. of Wallowa, Ore.

OLIVER TRANSFERRED TO LAKEVIEW, OREGON

Hubert J. Oliver, civil engineer with the local SCS, has been promoted and transferred to Lakeview, Ore., as an area engineer, effective Aug. 10. No replacement has been found as yet for Mr. Oliver.

Mrs. Oliver and children are visiting her folks in Colorado this

Oregon Employed At Record High

Employment Commissioner David H. Cameron. An estimated 705,-100 Oregonians had jobs last month compared to 704,400 in mid-June, and 681,400 in July a

employment more than tude and within a one-mile radius in October 1953 with a speed of and Irene Whitsell of Ontario; ment, Thomas noted. It's our facture of wood products, food of the show area to keep their 755 miles per hour processing, contract construction, performance in close where the and trade all reported excellent audience can easily see all four 1953, the Thunderbirds have per-

A sag between strawberry and show. bean harvest peaks harkened a Timing his maneuvers between farm job drop of 5400 under the those of the four ships in the dia. Puerto Rico, and 12 Central and mid-June total. The farm activity mond formation, the colorful providing the largest number of Thunderbird solo pilot, in a single past five years the team has flown seasonal jobs was caneberry har- F-100, keeps the show moving more than 450 official shows and

mated at 27,600-3.8 per cent of down" pass, and aileron rolls and the total labor force. Last year vertical rolls, all at low altitudes. 44.900 Oregonians were seeking Climax to the Thunderbird per- Robert S. Fitzgerald of Pompano treated and released in good con- pened in other parts of the councultural extension service and work in July.

Summer School Conducted Here For 30 Migrants

By the Rev. Paul Ludlow

the University of Oregon, conducted classes for migrant chi dren in written and spoken English and other elementary school subjects at the Nyssa grade school

S. H. Porter and Mearl Mar-The classes met each morning cum were heard in presenting Monday through Friday from 8:30 to the council a plan to organ- to 11:30 o'clock Thirty pupils at. ize auxiliary police and en- tended from the labor camp, algineering and rescue squad under though average daily attendance Civil Defense. The plan would was only ten. Ages of the chil-

call for 35 members, 10 of whom dren ranged from five to 12 years. The Oregon Council of Churches paid the salary for Miss Arnholtz who is an education major. She was assisted by local college students, Janet Wakefield and Eu-

cided that any such resolution that attendance was low and irnecessarily of a very simple nature. The objective of such remenormal grades when school starts Under communications, Mayor in the fall. Studies by the State Rinehart read a letter from the Department of Labor show that The all-star game, pitting the engineering firm of Hoffman, children of migrants are at least guage difficulties.

This educational attempt was a good beginning and we feel that Dar Mathewson, who moved recommended certain improve- it should be continued each sumschool district and the State Department of Education.

Colby said the people were voluntarily taking care of the weed problem, and the ordinance was Adrian High Sets not needed at this time. The entrance improvement recommend- Aug. 31 Opening ed was to be given further study.

Glen Ward, Adrian high school principal, said this week he anti-A Nyssa group will appear on in the northwest part of the city cipates an enrollment of about 125 when the school opens Aug. 31 Ward said Tuesday the school still lacked a music teacher, but that the board had some applications for the position.

Registration for Adrian high properties along the east side of school students will be Aug. 29 that area. After discussion it was

majority of other alleys in Nyssa, ler, football and basketball coach, cial report for the fiscal year end-classes.

manager was instructed to re- Former Nyssa Youth advertise all city owned lots for Wins Essay Honors bids, and ordinance No. 387 The Journal received a clipping

viding for parking regulations on taken from a Salt Lake City the city's leased parking lot was newspaper reading as follows: Daryl Duffin, 18, son of Mrs. Faie H. Duffin, 328 W. 3rd No., school from 1940-43, died in a The report of the engineering Salt Lake City (formerly of Nysfirm on the sewer system was dis. sa), won honors in the "Space Age Mr. Johnson was born at Wal- cussed and the city manager was Challenge to America" essay con-

dow of the home, are one son of meeting for the creation of sewer Daryl was also on the honor Salem; a sister, Julia Reel; and districts No. 5 and 6, describing roll graduating from West high adult leaders and 13 junior leadschool in Salt Lake City.

U.S. Air Force Thunderbirds to Stage Jet Demonstration in Payette Aug. 27

other July in history, says State With wing tips overlapping and birds became the world's first White, acting as nurse; and Mrs. while, maintains Marion D. Thoseparated vertically by only supersonic acrobatic team when Ted Bowers, who is KP director. mas, Oregon State college extenwill fly the show at speeds rang- standing airplane in June of 1956.

airplanes throughout the entire formed before more than 23 mil-

with his routine of four-point and traveled more than 1,500,000 air Total unemployment was esti- eight-point rolls, inverted "upside miles.

formance is their famous "Bomb-

mation acrobatic team, the Air diamond formation climb vertical- trip to the smoke jumpers head-Force Thunderbirds, flying North ly in front of the audience and quarters, a dental clinic, and American F-100C Super Sabres, then, with a roar from their after- talks by the state police and a will present a colorful and spec- burners, break away to the four special wildlife man. tacular exhibition of formation separate points of the compass. acrobatics at Payette Thursday, Trailing white smoke like a burst- studying crafts and swimming. ing skyrocket, each airplane then Leaders attending camp are Flying their red, white and blue dives for the ground, and ap- Mrs. Sam Pobanz, Mrs. Elwyn Century series fighters, the Thun- proaching the field from four op- Turner and Mrs. Clarence Lang. derbirds, the U.S. Air Force offi- posite directions, the F-100's cross who are handling the craft percial aerial demonstration team, head-on at a selected point in jods; Mrs. Bill Moore and Mrs. will perform loops, rolls, vertical front of the crowd with only a Lester Cleaver, who are in charge turns, corkscrew rolls and few feet separating each airplane. of the campfire programs; Mrs.

Pratt & Whitney J57 jet engine,

Since their activation in June lion spectators throughout the United States, Canada, Bermuda South American countries. In the

Leading the Thunderbirds and (Continued on Page 12)

No subscription campaign is planned for this year. Each month we will notify those subscribers whose time has expired. We will appreciate your prompt remittance.

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Adrian Principal Begins New Job

ties as Adrian high school principal this week. Ward replaces plosives blew up after being set Athol Sayre, who resigned to go ablaze by a building fire. to Elgin, Ore., as school superin-

The Antelopes won three SRV around were badly damaged. football championships, and fin-

lege of Idaho, 1950, and an M.S. a foot. from the University of Oregon, Mrs. Bleakman, a medical lab-

Back-to-School Event Set Aug. 28

The annual Chamber of Commerce back - to - school parade and watermelon feed will be Aug. 28 this year, chamber pres. ident Bob Wilson said this

Prizes will be offered in four divisions in the parade - pets, costumes, banners and slogans. and bikes, trikes and wagons. Children will compete for \$50 in cash prizes.

Bennett Visits Posts, Leaves for National Convention Tuesday

Fred Bennett, Oregon State Legion commander, returned to his home in Nyssa Tuesday night, after attending various Legion blem 192, on the same merits. functions in Portland and other

While in Portland he attended installation of Columbia Power To Fire Department post, was conducted on a tour of and then the council would be and science; Mrs. Agnes Dilley, a state rehabilitation meeting and sa volunteer fire department last English; Mrs. Marie Moore, home a VA visiting service session. He week, according to Ralph Lawreconomics; Miss Arlene Burman, also attended a meeting in which ence, fire chief. commercial subjects; Mrs. Huffer, the staff of the "Oregon Legion- Keller is manager of the Nyssa girls' physical education; and naire" was reorganized. The next office of Eastern Oregon Natural Pvt. Kenneth D. Carroll, 19, son piano duets, and Reona Christenproved, the city manager's report Charles Witty, vocational agriculissue of the Legionnaire will be Gas, and Stoeffer is manager of Office of Lastern Original Charles Witty, vocational agriculissue of the Legionnaire will be Gas, and Stoeffer is manager of Office of Lastern Original Charles Witty, vocational agriculissue of the Legionnaire will be Gas, and Stoeffer is manager of Office of Lastern Original Charles Witty, vocational agriculism of the Legionnaire will be Gas, and Stoeffer is manager of Office of Lastern Original Charles Witty, vocational agriculism of the Legionnaire will be Gas, and Stoeffer is manager of Office of Lastern Original Charles Witty, vocational agriculism of the Legionnaire will be Gas, and Stoeffer is manager of Office of Lastern Original Charles Witty, vocational agriculism of the Legionnaire will be Gas, and Stoeffer is manager of Office of Lastern Original Charles Witty, vocational agriculism of the Legionnaire will be Gas, and Stoeffer is manager of Office of Lastern Original Charles Witty, vocational agriculture with the Charles Witty, vocational agriculture with the Charles Witty or the Charles Witty sen will give an interpretive was received and filed, the finan-ture. Mr. Ward will teach some the first of these newspapers to Service Parts Co. department. The balance of his still has one opening. Member- Point Vicente, Calif. time was spent in making com- ship has been limited to 25 since mission appointments.

Bennett also witnessed burning ago. of the mortgage in Lebanon, Ore., and attended a VA committee Kansans Plan

meeting in Salem. He will leave Tuesday for the National Legion convention in Minneapolis, Minn.

4-H Annual Camp Now at Payette Lakes

One hundred and two 4-H club members from Malheur county King avenue, and to have a reso- essay and will now go on to state are attending the annual 4-H camp at Payette lakes this week. Also attending camp are eight ers who are the activity instructors and cabin counselors. The campers left Aug. 11 to spend five days at camp at the University of Idaho Forestry camp at McCall, Idaho, and will return

Some of the special activities The world's first supersonic for- burst" in which the planes in the planned for the campers are a

Other activities will include

"broomstick" clearance, the team they were equipped with this out- Junior leaders acting as cabin sion agricultural economist. The counselors are Billie Fifer, Sally 17th nationwide farm count will ing from 150 to 750 miles per Powered by a 10,000-pound thrust Griffin, Jackie Girvin and Lynn start in October in Oregon. Reagan, all of Vale; Joe McKenna,

L. PHELPS FALLS ON STEPS

at his home.

Bleakmans Aid Victims of Blast After Disaster

Mrs. N. K. Bleakman of Roseburg, Oregon, formerly Greta Stunz, reported to her mother, almost unbelieveable.

when at least 13 persons were dents. Anticipated enrollment killed and more than 100 were the past nine years, assumed du- injured. A parked truck loaded

lopes to 54 wins, 18 losses and six mated at more than \$10 million baseball teams took two state edge of the main business district class B championships, and plac- were reduced to rubble. And structures in an area 28 blocks

Mr. Bleakman has an insurance ished in the top three in eight out office about two blocks from the it worthwhile?" we must admit of the nine years Ward coached scene of the explosion and reports his office door torn from it's Ward has a B.A. from the Col- hinges and a wall moved about

dial work is to make it easier to 1955. His major was physical edu- oratory technician, was in charge integrate these children into their cation with a minor in social stu- of the Community Hospital at the time, while the supervisor was on vacation. She has been at the hospital for five years.

Mr. and Mrs. Bleakman, along with many others, worked without ceasing from the time of the explosion Friday until 9 o'clock, Saturday night.

Wilson Places First In National Contest, Receives Scholarship

Dan Ray Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Wilson has just received a letter from the office of the president of the Supreme Emblem Club in Seattle, stating that he has won a \$500 scholarship from that club.

He took first place in the naional contest, for maintaining the highest scholastic record in the elub's jurisdiction.

In June, Danny received a \$200 scholarship from Ontario Em-

Two Nyssans Named

Ben Keller and Keith Stoeffer the National VA center, attended were elected members of the Nys-

a reorganization some 12 years

Annual Picnic

Former Kansans and friends now living in Idaho and Eastern Senior Platoon Leaders' Candi. To Begin Aug. 24 Oregon will hold their annual pic- date Course at Marine Corps nic Sunday, Aug. 23, at 1 p.m. in Schools, Quantico, Va., was Ronthe Caldwell Memorial park.

asked to bring a picnic dinner and Nyssa. their own table servcie. Beverage and ice cream will be furnished by the association.

JOHANNES DIRKSEN INJURED WHILE OPERATING BALER

Johannes Dirksen suffered severe head lacerations and a badly severed left hand in an accident at his farm home, 61/2 miles southwest of Nyssa, last Thursday. He was caught by an automatic arm of a hay baler.

Dirksen was taken to Malheur Memorial hospital where he was treated and released yesterday in Aug. 12, 1958. good condition.

Junior High, High School Enrollment Gains; Grade School Remains at 700

School Supt. W. L. McPartland said yesterday that enrollment in both the Nyssa high school and junior high school will be higher than last year. Grade enrollment will remain Mrs. Emil Stunz, by phone, that about the same as last year. McPartland said he anticipates the damage of the explosion there an enrollment of 360 in the high school, compared to 335 a year ago. Enrollment in junior high school will be about 220, The explosion occurred Friday up 40 from last year's 180 stu-

> making it the largest class in the schools. Grade school enrollment is expected to be a little over 700, about the same as last year's en-

> Teachers for this year are: First grade-Mrs. Opal Alcorn. Mrs. Nina Baxter, Mrs. Zette Bumgarner, Mrs. Gladys Engelardt, and Miss Emma Zwemke. Second grade-Mrs. Frances W. Bates, Mrs. Rosanelle Copeland, Mrs. Eulah F. McConnel, Mrs. Mildred Elliott, and Mrs. Florence

Third grade - Miss Frances Bateman, Mrs. Helen Gonyer, Mrs. Naomi May

Fourth grade-Mrs. Eva Chadwick, Mrs. Elaine Nelson, Mrs. Gladys Spitze, Mrs. Mary Thomp. son, Mrs. Madge Thompson. Fifth grade- Mrs. Hazel Lane,

Mrs. Joy McPartland, Mrs. Lucille Pett, Mrs. Nelda Schenk. Sixth grade-Mr. Elvin L. Bal-

ou, Mrs. Mary Hatt, Mrs. Tavie Hendricks, Mr. Ellis Lee Parrill, Mr. Virgil N. Seward. Mrs. Clarice Poor is elementary

principal. Mrs. Josephine Rigney has charge of special education. Junior High

Junior high school instructors nclude Principal Murl Lancaster, James H. Nally, Mrs. Dorothy Nolen, Mrs. Mildred Renstrom, Mrs Joan Weymouth, James Skeen Miss Marie Coate, Irl Nolen, and Frank Parr.

On the high school teaching staff are Principal Gene Chester, W. A. Barton, Mrs. Harriet Brumbach, Melvin Calhoun, Carl Devin, Miss Marjorie Erstad, Mrs. Gladys Higgins, Kinsey Keveren, Harry McGinley, Robert B. Morford, Miss Margery Nihart, Dale Overstake, Lawrence K. Schwarz, Robert Smith, Charles Steffens, Clyde T. Swisher.

Local Boys Serve In Armed Forces

Route 1, Ontario, recently was be a tractor driving contest. be printed solely by the Legion | Lawrence said the department assigned to the 57th Artillery in

> Carroll, a missile crewman with the 57th's Battery D, completed basic combat training at Fort Ord, Calif.

He attended Adrian High School. His wife, Carman, lives in Fremont, Calif. Roth Graduates

Graduated recently from the ald K. Roth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Those planning to attend are Carl Roth of 706 N. Third St.,

He joined the Marine Corps program while a student at the College of Idaho.

Weather ... Date Max. Aug. 5 Aug. 7 Aug. 8 Aug. 10

Aug. 11 Owyhee Lake Storage 564,310 Acre Ft. Aug. 12, 1959

National Farm Census Set in October; Farmer Benefits Gained Therefrom

Why take a farm census? Census taking requires money same kind of information used and time, but turns up facts about by businesses and governmental More persons were employed in Oregon in mid-July than in any other maneuvers in a close-knit, Oregon in mid-July than in any four-plane diamond formation. 100C Super Sabres, the Thunder-with recreation; Mrs. Orland ming that makes it well worth-public and private agence. The census provides a factual

the F-100 set the world's first Bill Huling, Lynne Hoffman, Kay foundation for wise management firms that make or sell farm goods fic Safety Division which notes employment more than offset euvers are executed at low alti-Frances Cleaver of Nyssa; Everett main source of county and local ferent parts of the country. Jones and John Jones of Jordan data, he added. Census answers Valley. Besides the regular du- such questions as: Where are ties of cabin counselor the junior yields highest? Where increasing leaders will also help direct many most? Where is production loof the other activities during cated? How many farms are there? How big? How much are farmers spending for supplies?

Each farmer benefits by know. Lee Phelps of route 3, Parma, ing how he stacks up with farmreceived scalp lacerations Wed- ers all over the nation. The farm nesday when he fell on the stairs count tells him how his farm is like the average farm; how it is He was brought to Malheur different. It helps him make deci- are available to all through licommander of the unit is Major Memorial hospital where he was sions in light of what has hap-braries, state colleges, the agri-

The census gives farmers the

Public and private agencies serving farmers with information, materials, transportation, credit, storage and the like, all use cen- month or planning any weekend sus figures to guide their plans, trips, watch out. the economist points out. Advertising staffs of publications and partment of Motor Vehicles Trafuse census information to deter- that year after year August is mine equipment wanted in dif- not only the big travel month but

The census provides facts for groups concerned with local problems such as best use of land and water. Figures are used in seeking public support for research, education, health protection, or when disaster aid is requested in time of drought, flood or pestilence. The government uses data to plan public programs.

Facts obtained from the census other governmental agencies.

in the seventh grade is 140. Potato Shipments Are Catching Up To 1958 Figures

Nyssa, lagging behind 1958 so far this year, are rapidly closing the gap, Union Pacific freight agent Tom Jones told the Chamber of Commerce Wednesday.

Up to Wednesday night, 817 cars of potatoes had been shipped this year, compared to 845 cars to the same date last year.

Jones said that during the week ending Tuesday, this year's carloads of potatoes totaled 296, compared to 157 cars for the same period last year. Tuesday 69 cars left Nyssa, while 34 carloads were shipped on the same day last

Wednesday, 59 carloads were shipped, compared to 34 a year

Jones said that at one time carload shipments of potatoes was 300 cars behind last year's ship-

Wheat shipments were 105 cars this year, compared to 133 cars on the same date last year, Jones

Payette County Fair and Rodeo Slated Aug. 19-22

The Payette County Fair and Rodeo is all set to go in our neighboring town of New Plymouth, August 19-22. According to publicity chairman, Alden Munson, publisher of the Payette Valley Sentinel, the fair will furnish the educational part of the Mrs. Virginia M. Steffens, and program and the rodeo the greater part of the entertainment.

In the fair they expect to have some of the top quality dairy and beef cattle of all Idaho, a large machinery exhibit showing the latest ideas for farming in this area, and on Saturday evening the kids will take part in a calf and pig scramble. There will also

The rodeo will be a three night affair with the finals on Saturday night. There are six major events and the stock is furnished by Prunty Bros. of Elko, Nevada. Bill Brummett of Weiser will be the announcer.

Football Practice

Football practice for Nyssa high school begins Aug. 24, Coach Bob Morford said this week. Prospects are to report to the practice field Morford said he expects about

30 varsity players and some 35 freshman prospects. The Oregon State Athletic association sets practice starting dates and also sets a deadline for beginning competition, Morford

\$150 Jack Pot Prize At Bank Days Event

The names drawn this week at the Nyssa Bank Days drawing were Earl Alexander, route 1, Nyssa; Dave Matthews, Jr., Adrian; and Harold Kuhlman, route 1, New Plymouth. None of the three were in Nyssa to collect the

The weekly drawing is Tuesday in Nyssa at 3 p.m. Next week the jack-pot prize will be \$150. No purchase is necessary. The only requirement is to be in a participating store at the time of the

AUGUST TRAFFIC WARNING If you're taking a vacation this

That's the advice from the Deone of the big death toll months

as well. Last year, 55 people died in August traffic accidents. The previous year, August had to take a back seat to November as a traffic killer, but still racked up 48 deaths before the end of the

month. The worst August on record was in 1950 when 59 people met death in traffic.

MOVE TO NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Grunke and Susan have moved into their new home at 424 North Seventh street.