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Nyssa, Oregon
 March 26, 1962

How civilized... or are we? I watched the Paret-Griffith slugfest and wonder if the trainers of pugilists slept in peace that night while a human, ruined for life, and his relatives waited anxiously for a return of life to a dead mind and tortured body, not caused by sickness or accident, but for "entertainment."

Was it a lesson and good example for folks who may have life ahead in which their peace and security could be endangered by weak-minded, bitter and law-violating individuals of greater muscular strength?

Entertainment of many kinds can be and is educational, good for the mind, body and soul. However, there is little learned of value through domination by power except destruction of life or property.

WALTER BURDETTE
 Route 2, Nyssa, Ore.

Journal Classifieds Get Results!

'Crown Him King' To Be Sermon Series At Christian Church

April 1 will be the first Sunday of the "Crown Him King" attendance campaign at Nyssa Christian church, it has been announced by the Rev. Wallace Prowell, pastor. Most Sunday school classes set attendance goals last Sunday with enthusiasm increasing as individuals and classes endeavor to "Crown Him King" by their attendance loyalty.

Morning sermon topics, to be given by Pastor Prowell, for the next few weeks will be related to the theme of the campaign.

Messages will be: April 1, "The Prophesied King;" April 8, "The Compassionate King;" April 15, "The Triumphant King;" April 22, "The Risen King."

April 29 message will be given by a student of Northwest Christian college in Eugene and will be "The King at Work—in a Bible College and as a Student." May 6 sermon topic will be "The King in the Home."

COOKING CLUB MEMBERS LEARN TO MAKE CUSTARD

4-H Coquettes club members met March 21 at the home of their leader, Mrs. Charles Chapin.

A demonstration on making custards was given by Mrs. Chapin.

Next meeting will be April 4.

Program for Parents Given by Children Of Methodist Church

Children of Apple Valley and Nyssa Methodist Sunday schools, who have been attending additional sessions held during the past nine weeks in the local church, presented a program last Wednesday afternoon for their parents. The after-school program included dramatizations, songs and worship services.

Primary department students portrayed a Chilean family using life-size paper dolls dressed in native costume. Junior members as a panel told of Latin American countries, their industries, religion and culture. Folk songs and table grace in English and Spanish were given by both groups.

Refreshments, including Mexican cookies, were served following the program.

Mrs. Herke Stam, Woman's Society of Christian Service secretary of children's work, supervised the missionary sessions which are in addition to regular Sunday school study.

Farmerettes Club Members Discuss Bylaws Revision

By Farmerettes Club

NU ACRES—Farmerettes club members met for their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Mike McKague. Mrs. Mary Walker presided with 20 ladies in attendance.

Lois Kersey and Alta Conner presented a demonstration on Hungarian goulash and distributed pamphlets on meat buying guides and U. S. grades of beef.

Main business was discussing revision of bylaws. Mrs. Madge Thomson, Mrs. Effie Nielsen and Mrs. Ravena Martin were elected as a committee to revise the bylaws.

Next meeting will be the annual all-day meeting with a potluck dinner and election of officers following. Visitors are welcome. This meeting will be held at Nu Acres Grange hall at 12 o'clock on Wednesday, April 18.

Barbara and Robert Howard, Shirley and Shanna Conner went to Meridian Saturday with Fruitland junior high school band and choir to attend the junior high music festival. The Fruitland band received a one rating.

Visit in Washington
 Mrs. Effie Nielsen and son, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nielsen and family went to Othello, Wash., Thursday morning and returned Sunday afternoon. They visited Mrs. Nielson's son, Clifton Nielsen and family in Othello. While there they also visited friends in George, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, Delbert Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Mike McKague surprised Mrs. Robert Shaw on her birthday anniversary Monday evening. Refreshments were served and the evening was spent playing pinocle. Robert Shaw and sons, Gary and Bob, were also present.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKague, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McKague and daughter, Peggy, all of Marsing, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mike McKague.

Recent guests at the John Wolfkiel home were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolfkiel of Eagle, Mrs. Mabel Cope of Star and a cousin from South Dakota.

Returns from California
 Mrs. Omar Betts arrived home last Tuesday after spending 2 1/2 months in Santa Ana, Calif., and surrounding cities. She attended funeral services for a brother, Erban Cline in Sun Valley and visited another brother, Basil Cline and family. From there she went to Santa Ana to stay with her sister, Mrs. Rudy Welton.

She visited Knott's Berry Farm and Disneyland. Her son, Bill Betts and family of Altadena, took her to points of interest on weekends. They took her to Los Angeles, Hollywood and Marineland and also toured the zoo there. They went into Tijuana and Tecate, Mexico. At Tecate they crossed back into the U. S., returning through the Imperial Valley, El Centro and by the Salton sea, which is not quite as salty as she went to Merced to visit another son, Leon and family who recently returned from Guam.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Samuels of Boise were recent callers at the John Wolfkiel and J. T. Martin homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Edmondson visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Butler in New Plymouth.

Guests at a birthday dinner for Mrs. Cecil Evans last Tuesday night were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Zeigler and children of Payette, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Russell and daughter of Nu Acres.

GUESTS IN MARCUM HOME
 Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Olson of Sutherlin, Ore., are visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Murlie Marcum and family.

Try the Columns of the Gate City Journal Classifieds.



L. Paul Skiles

Nazarene Church Official Slates Nyssa Visitation

L. Paul Skiles, general secretary of the International Nazarene Young People's society, is scheduled for an appearance at 7 p.m. Sunday, April 1, in the local Nazarene church.

He is the first layman in the history of the denomination to be elected to this general church office. He was chosen by delegates to the quadrennial young people's convention in June 1960.

Mr. Skiles went to the denominational office in Kansas City, Mo., after serving seven years as director of youth activities in the Northern California district of the church.

He served as music and youth director at three Nazarene churches in California prior to the district assignment. He was elected in 1952 and 1956 to four-year terms on the general council of the Nazarene Young People's society.

Identical Twin Boys Are Born To Laan Couple

By Mrs. Wilson Witt

NEWELL HEIGHTS—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Laan are parents of identical twin sons, born March 22 at Malheur Memorial hospital in Nyssa. They have been named Pieter Klaas and Ray Johannes after their two grandfathers.

They join two sisters in the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Van Otten of Salt Lake City were Sunday afternoon visitors in the Leon Chamberlain home.

Mary Worden entertained members of her 4-H cooking class last Thursday afternoon. Louise Hill is leader of this group.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Costley of Ridgeview spent Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Worden and Mrs. Lydia Worden.

Mrs. M. L. Kurtz visited Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Alvon McGinnis and her mother, Mrs. Laura Smith in Adrian. The latter had been quite ill but is much improved at this time.

Women's Presbyterian will meet April 3 at 9:30 a.m. in Roswell. Adrian Presbyterian church women will be co-hostesses.

Krieghs Attend Buhl Services
 Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kriegh and Steve drove to Buhl, Idaho, Friday morning. They were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Stewart. That afternoon they attended funeral services for Kriegh's uncle, Lusion Shield at the Buhl Presbyterian church. They later visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Kriegh, returning home that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Van DeWater of Big Bend were Tuesday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Witt.

Sunday dinner guests at the Carl Fenn home were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fenn and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fenn and children.

Among those attending the Delta Kappa Gamma dinner at Nyssa

Discussion Meet On Church Merger Is Well Attended

A good attendance was reported at the March 21 "merger" meeting held at the Presbyterian church in Adrian.

The session was called for the purpose of discussing the possible merger of the Presbyterian, Episcopal, Methodist churches and the First Church of Christ.

The Rev. Gerard Kuiper presided during the meeting. Sermon was given by the Rev. Howard Steward of the Nampa Presbyterian church. Nyssa Methodist church and St. Paul's Episcopal church were well represented.

Following the service, a social hour was held in the church basement where refreshments were served by Presbyterian ladies.

Next merger meeting will be held at 8 p.m. Wednesday, April 4 at St. Paul's Episcopal church in Nyssa.

HAPPY HELPERS 4-H CLUB HAS KNITTING SESSION

Happy Helpers 4-H club met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Elvin Ballou with eight members in attendance.

Following the business meeting, the girls knitted on their sweaters, hats or slippers.

Refreshments were served by Teresa Haburchak, after which the group played baseball in the park.

—Carol Greig, Reporter.

VISIT FROM MONTANA

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Brammer of Butte, Mont., spent the weekend with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brammer. They also visited friends while in Nyssa. The Montana couple, formerly affiliated with the Gate City Journal, were enroute to California to visit relatives and friends.

sa Friday evening were Anna Long, Mary Weir, Gladys Newbill, Anna Pratt and Ruth Morgan. The dinner was given by Job's Daughters in the Masonic hall.

Attend PTA Meeting

PTA meeting was held in Adrian school Thursday evening with a good attendance including many parents from the Newell Heights area. Mrs. Ruby Ely of Vale spoke on the county migrant ministry work.

Mrs. Johnnie Eason and daughter of Homedale visited Saturday at the Ray Simpson home. They took Simpson to see a doctor at Caldwell in the afternoon.

James McKinley, who was home for spring vacation from Oregon State university, returned last Thursday to Corvallis.

Kay and Dale Borge left Sunday afternoon to return to La Grande where they attend Eastern Oregon college.

Clarence Jacobson of Hayfork, Calif., who was called to Vale by the illness of his father, spent last Thursday afternoon visiting his wife's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Henry Moore.

Armand Larive Is Among Clergymen Ordained to Sacred Order of Priests

Vicar Armand Larive of St. Paul's Episcopal church in Nyssa and the Rev. Miner Linwood of Vale were ordained to the Sacred Order of Priests Wednesday evening, March 28, 1962, at Holy Trinity Episcopal church in Vale.

The double ordination service was performed by the Rt. Rev. Lane W. Barton of Eastern Oregon Missionary district of the Protestant Episcopal church.



VICAR ARMAND LARIVE
 ... Ordained Episcopal Priest

Following services, a reception was held for the new priests and other visiting clergymen. Members of the refreshment committee were Mrs. Robert Lytle, Mrs. Douglas Wilkerson and Mrs. George Patterson. Punch and specially decorated cake, frosted white and adorned with red roses, were served.

The Wednesday evening Vale ceremonies were a part of a caravan program which began Saturday when five Episcopal deacons went to Bend for pre-ordination instruction under direction of Bishop Barton.

On Monday the group went to Alturas for the ordination of Hugh Mercer at St. Michaels church. St. Andrews Episcopal church in Burns was the scene Tuesday of ordination services for Vicar Louis Born.

The group will travel to Milton-Freewater Thursday for ordination of James Reed in St. James Episcopal church.

APRIL LUNCHEON TO HONOR LOCAL METHODIST LADIES

Members of Woman's Society of Christian Service and ladies of the Methodist church who have reached 70 years of age and older will be guests of honor at a luncheon to be held April 5 in the church dining hall.

Other members are asked to bring a covered dish and table service. Luncheon will be served at 1 o'clock sharp and will precede the regular general meeting at 2 p.m.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness expressed in thought and deed following the death of our loved one, Mrs. Madge Wilt. We would like also to thank the staff at Malheur Memorial hospital for the wonderful care given during her stay there.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilt and Barbara Marie.

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