

180,000 Oregonians Now Over Age 65; Specialist Sees Need for Income Plan

If all persons 65 years of age and older in Oregon were gathered together, their number would create a city about half the size of Portland.

Nearly 180,000 Oregonians, or one in 10, is 65 years of age or older. Of these 85,000 are men and 95,000 are women.

Because people are living longer, more are reaching retirement age. This prospect of long life calls for early thinking about retirement income, advises Mrs. Alberta Johnston, Oregon State university extension specialist.

Families will need retirement income and they'll need it for a longer time. As families look toward retirement, they need to consider all financial sources available to them for retirement income and for money to meet emergencies that may arise.

Retired Couple Needs \$3100

A basic guaranteed regular income, large enough to take care of the family's needs, is the first requirement. According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, a retired couple needs \$3100 for a modest, yet adequate, level of living.

Mrs. Johnston says that retirement income of most retired families comes from many sources. Social Security provides a base for retirement income for most couples and individual workers. It makes it easier than ever before for young families to begin early to accumulate retirement funds but many retirees need more income than Social Security provides, she explains.

Some older people can count

on employee pension plans. Today, almost half of the nation's workers come under some kind of a private pension plan where they work, compared to only 16 percent a generation ago.

Both of these means of saving for the future provide regular income, but provide little flexibility in spending. This is when savings and investments are useful, reminds the OSU finance specialist.

Families may not think of it as such but owning a home, free and clear, at retirement is income. As a source of income through rental or sale, or a place to live, housing costs are kept at a minimum.

Equal to \$200 or \$300 Yearly

Owning a home, according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, is worth about \$200 or \$300 yearly.

Life insurance policies can sometimes be used to increase cash income, if necessary. Retired couples do not need the same amount of protection as a family with children, so the cash value of insurance policies may supplement retirement funds, through regular income or as a source of cash for an emergency.

Series "E" savings bonds can be converted to Series "H" bonds for an annual interest payment.

NEBRASKA PICNIC SLATED AUGUST 11 IN PORTLAND

The annual picnic of the Nebraska State Society of Oregon and Washington will be Sunday, Aug. 11, at Jantzen Beach park (area 3) in Portland, west gate entrance with a basket dinner at noon.

A program at 1:30 p.m. and prizes for lucky numbers will highlight activities. Former Nebraskans will be registered by counties.

Social club meets the fourth Saturday of each month in IOOF hall, 8130 S.E. 13th, Portland.

RETURNS FROM VACATION

Mrs. Fred Roberts arrived home Friday evening from a two-week vacation trip to the midwest. She visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Gilbert and other relatives in West Plains, Mo. She was met there by her son and daughter-in-law, Airman First Class and Mrs. Royce Roberts of Biloxi, Miss. Mrs. Roberts also visited relatives in Kansas City Kan., before returning to Nyssa.

WEEKEND IN BOISE

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wernick spent the weekend visiting former Nyssans, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Darnes in Boise.



JEWELL VRE NON enlisted on July 19 in the U.S. Navy, according to a release from Mitch Wyatt of the Ontario office. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvah B. Vre Non of route 1, Nyssa. The young sailor carries on a tradition set by his father and grandfather, both of whom served in the Navy. After being sworn in, Vre Non was transferred to the Navy Training Center at Great Lakes, Ill. for nine weeks of basic training, after which he will be granted a 14-day leave. His parents were present when he was sworn in.

Family Night Planned At Eagles Lodge Hall

Saturday, Aug. 3, will be family night at the Eagles lodge with food and fun for both adults and children. On the menu will be hamburgers, french fries and salad, with serving from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

There will be cartoon movies and a jackpot drawing at midnight. The Saturday night pot was won recently by Bob Chate-lain. Those who were not present when their names were drawn included Larry Culbertson, Ralph Lowe, Irvin Zimmerman and George Hoffman.

Lodge meetings are still held every Wednesday at 8:30 p.m. The jackpot for regular meeting night has reached a sizeable figure as it has not been claimed for several weeks.

VISITORS FROM SEATTLE

Mr. and Mrs. Arlan Haroldsen and family of Seattle visited last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Haroldsen and other relatives.

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New Books Listed At Nyssa Library

City Librarian Joy Bell reports the following books have recently been added to Nyssa public library:

ADULT READING

"The California Trail" by George R. Stewart. The author writes the epic story of the main covered wagon route to California which the Bartleson party—31 men, a woman and a baby—at-tempted to open in 1841. They failed, but others followed. The result was the establishment of the trail over which surged the great western migration, culminating in the high drama of the Gold Rush of 1849.

"Submariner" by Henry B. Lent. Join Jim O'Hara and his shipmates as they take you along on their tough eight-week training course at the U.S. Navy's Submarine school. You will follow them to the recompression chamber for their pressure tests, attend classes with them, go on training cruises; enjoy the rare privilege of touring the Polaris submarine, USS George Washington.

CHILDREN'S BOOKS

"The Mystery of Ghost Valley"

LICENSE EXAMINER PLANS TESTS AT NYSSA AUG. 2

According to announcement received from the Oregon Department of Motor Vehicles, a drivers license examiner will be on duty at Nyssa city hall Friday, Aug. 2, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.

All persons wishing original licenses or permits to drive are requested to file applications well ahead of the scheduled closing hour in order to assure time for completion of the required license test.

by Harriett H. Carr. So many things about his relatives were strange to Tommy—the foreign dialect, the old-fashioned furniture and even the food they ate—but most puzzling of all was his cousin's behavior.

"The Cat Who Went to Heaven" by Elizabeth Coatsworth. This is the story of a little cat who came to the home of a poor Japanese artist and, by humility and devotion, brought him good fortune.

"Blaze and Thunderbolt" by C. W. Anderson.

CLASSIFIED ADS Get Results!

Mrs. Erie Mausling Leaves Sunday For Grand Junction to Visit Ill Father

By Helen Hatch

BIG BEND—Mrs. Erie Mausling was called to Grand Junction, Colo., Sunday evening due to the illness of her father, A. E. Bradshaw.

Mrs. Harvey Bennett entered Malheur Memorial hospital Saturday. She was able to return home Monday.

Mrs. Bill Van DeWater and Kent attended a picnic last Thursday evening sponsored by the Canyon County Association for Handicapped Children at Caldwell park.

Return to Washington

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Zielke and boys of Moses Lake, Wash., returned to their home Saturday after spending their vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Delno Brock and girls of Kingman Colony were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dyre Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Price accompanied their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Zielke and boys, to Vaie, Willowcreek, Brogan and Harper last Thursday to call on long-time friends and former classmates.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Douglas and Mrs. Florence Henderlinder visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dyre Roberts.

Weekend at McCall

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Clucas, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Slippy of Owyhee spent the weekend at McCall.

Miss Carol Clucas entertained last Thursday evening with a slumber party for 11 girls of the Roswell Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe King left Sunday for Granite, Ore. They plan to spend several days camping.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cartwright visited Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Naomi Wright in Nampa.

Mr. and Mrs. James McGinnis, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Davis and Steve fished Sunday at Antelope lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith spent the weekend with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Beguhl and family of Boise.

Host Hamburger Fry

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Price and boys entertained July 24 with a hamburger fry in honor of the birthday anniversaries of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Price. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Price and family, Mrs. Arizona Price of Ontario, Mr. and Mrs. Orland White and Lucille, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Zielke.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Keil and Earl of Caldwell visited July 24 with his aunt, Mrs. Letha Weir and cousins, Mary and Charles Weir and Helen Hatch.

Mrs. Tom Ferguson and Helen Hatch spent last Tuesday in Boise visiting Mrs. Grace Kerby.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Reed and girls of Nampa visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Van DeWater and Billie. They all went to Owyhee reservoir.

Visits From California

Mrs. Lulu Wright of Manhattan, Calif., is visiting her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. John Packwood. The two ladies were Saturday dinner guests of M. L. Parrott of Caldwell and visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Musgrove of Marsing.

Mrs. M. C. Seuell, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Seuell and family left Tuesday for their homes in Connell, Wash., after visiting in the Ernest Seuell home.

Miss Nancy Nelson of Ridgeview spent Monday and Tuesday with Miss Lois Seuell.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dolberg of Nampa were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Noel Tuppenny and Patty.

Visit in Huntington

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Avery were recent dinner guests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Walker and family of Huntington. In the afternoon they all went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Avery and went boating and water skiing. They also visited Mrs. L. W. Dierking at the Presbyterian nursing home in Ontario.

Mrs. Boyce Van DeWater, Mrs. Larry Bauman and son of Nyssa spent Friday in Nampa.

Ross English was a Friday overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dyre Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith and family of Boise spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chet Smith.

Suffers Arm Injury

Miss Denise Meusling was taken to Malheur Memorial hospital Friday evening to have three stitches taken in her arm following a bicycle accident.

Miss Eleanor English of Ontario recently returned to her home after spending a week in the Dyre Roberts residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Davis and Steve attended the 5-H Horse club rodeo Sunday evening at the Irvin Topliff ranch in Newell Heights.

Mrs. Dyre Roberts accompanied Happy Dozen card club members to Weiser Friday for a picnic dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Thomas.

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