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Amalgamated to Erect Laboratory At Nyssa for Individual Sugar Tests

Designed to Handle 10,000 Samples Daily

The Amalgamated Sugar company will build a modern individual sugar tare laboratory at the company's Nyssa refinery, it was announced recently by Harry A. Elcock, vice president and general agriculturist. In making the announcement, Elcock said that engineering and designing of the new facility would be directed by Toledo Scale corporation, Western division, of Ogden, Utah.

Adrian Student Receives Degree As State Farmer

By DENNIS MARTIN
FFA Chapter President

Kal Farr, an Adrian senior, attended the 36th annual state convention of Future Farmers of America at Klamath Falls this year and received the degree of state farmer. There were 85 other boys receiving degrees at the same convention.

These boys are selected by state officers who interview them personally and select the top two percent of the total state membership.



KAL FARR
... Given FFA Honors

They are selected on knowledge of their projects and general knowledge of the FFA.

Farr started his supervised farming program with one sow and a litter of 10 pigs. During his sophomore year he had two fattening steers and a dairy cow for his project. He increased his project his third year to three fattening beef cattle, two dairy cows and six acres of barley.

The Adrian student has participated in many FFA activities in the past three years. He attended the Pacific Intermountain Livestock exhibition at Portland as a member of the judging team. He was also a member of the parliamentary team that participated at Nyssa in the district contest.

Members of the Adrian chapter are very proud to have Kal representing them as 1964 state farmer.

WEATHER . . .

Date	Max.	Min.
March 25	50	27
March 26	54	31
March 27	55	35
March 28	59	25
March 29	63	32
March 30	67	35
March 31	69	41

Owyhee Reservoir Storage
April 1, 1964 362,890 Acre Ft.
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Each week the Journal prints comparison figures for the present year and prior one. A rare occurrence this week is that the April 1 acre-foot reservoir storage totals are identically the same — 362,890. (Surely, it wouldn't be an April Fool joke.)

AFS 'Down Argentina Way' Program Set Friday Evening at Cafetorium



DANIEL CARULLO
... To Describe Home Country

The new Nyssa laboratory will be fully automated and will represent the most modern tare and sugar analysis facility in the United States. The laboratory will run individual sugar tests for Amalgamated's growers in the Nyssa and Nampa areas in accordance with the terms agreed to at the last contract meeting, according to Elcock. The new facility is designed to handle 10,000 sugar samples per day.

Completion date for the new installation is set for Oct. 1, 1964. However, Elcock pointed out that an initial delay in the project due to the late contract agreement date with Amalgamated growers may make it impossible to have the laboratory in operation before the 1965 campaign.

Editor's Note—When completed this new laboratory will enable the company to pay each individual grower for the sugar content in his own beets delivered to the factory. Thus those who work at increasing the sugar content, through following the recommendations sent out by Amalgamated, will be rewarded while those who go after tonnage only will not be subsidized through other growers. In prior seasons the total sugar produced was divided by the tonnage processed and all growers were paid alike on the average for the entire crop. Under the new plan it will be similar to the old cream buying stations where each bucket or can of cream was tested individually for butterfat content.

Conservation Contest Winners Announced By Sponsoring Group

Conservation essay and poster contests sponsored in the schools for the 11th consecutive year by ANK Garden club have been completed, according to Mrs. Maurice Judd, garden club member.

Mrs. Judd reports that the winning posters and essays have been forwarded to the state federation of garden clubs to be entered in state competition.

Ninety-six essays were received from seventh and eighth grade students. Mrs. Judd said the judges felt that more research had been done this year and a better set of essays resulted than ever before.

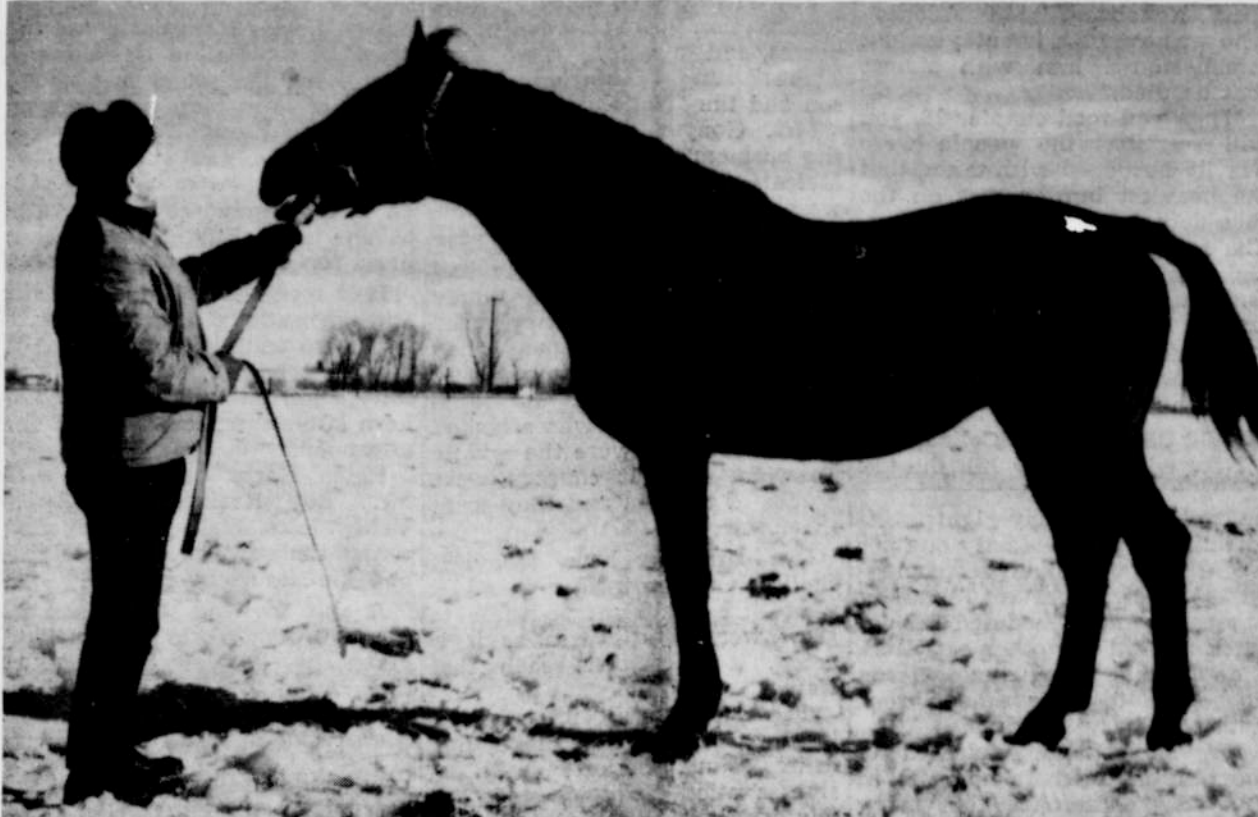
Top three winners announced are Cheryl Wilson, first; Nancy Boydell, second; and Lucille Bertram, third. Honorable mention went to Ried Saito, Doyle Riggs, Linda Ballou, Edith Anne Corfield, Janine Meyer and Deborah Kay Brower.

Posters were prepared and entered in the contest by pupils in the fifth and sixth grades. Mrs. Judd noted that simplicity and way the poster message stands out are important factors; therefore, the winner does not always mean it is the best artistic work.

Poster contest winners are Monty Howard, first; Janis Mae Takami, second; Lissa Nishitani, third. Students receiving honorable mention are Nancy Bale, Julie Elguezabal, Michael Hight and Ken Church.

"Down Argentina Way" will be held in the high school cafetorium Friday evening, April 3. An informative evening of entertainment has been planned. Activities will include a Chinese auction, music, dancing, films and a talk by Daniel Carullo, AFS exchange student. This is the third annual fiesta and it serves the purpose of informing the school and community of the food, folklore, customs, costumes, geography and products of the exchange student's home country. It also provides a way of raising funds for next year's program. Following the formal program, films made by the high school Mexican Alliance will be shown and each class will have a booth where food typical of Argentina will be sold. Appropriate decorations are being planned. Doors will open at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are now on sale by junior high students.

Last Round . . . Top Sire in State



PICTURED HERE with Neil Dimmick of rural Nyssa is Last Round, a thoroughbred stallion and leading money-winning sire in the state of Oregon for 1962-63. The veteran is owned jointly by Dimmick and his son-in-law, Harold Fyllingness of Portland. Last Round topped the list by producing 21 winners with 42 races won and three two-year winners, according to statistics published by Oregon Thoroughbred Breeders association. His offspring earned \$45,105 in 1963 and a total of \$104,136 in a five-year period. Dimmick reports many buyers for stock produced in this area.

Local Stallion Leading Money Winner Sire in State of Oregon for 1962, 1963

On Dimmick Ranch With 10 Racing Mares

Last Round, a thoroughbred stallion owned by Neil Dimmick and his son-in-law, Harold Fyllingness, has been listed as the leading money-winning sire in the state of Oregon for 1962 and 1963.

The statistics published by Oregon Thoroughbred Breeders association for the first time revealed that the stallion's get earned \$45,105 in 1963 and a total of \$104,136 in five years. The figures for 1962 were not listed.

Orientation Session Slated This Evening For Eighth Graders

High school orientation night for next year's freshmen and their parents will be held this evening, April 2.

Principal Gene Chester will discuss the high school course of study and graduation requirements. Mrs. Harriet Brumbach will outline college entrance possibilities and Mrs. Lois Peterson of the Oregon Employment service will discuss employment possibilities.

The meeting will be from 8 to 9:30 p.m. in the high school cafetorium. All eighth graders and their parents are urged to attend.

SERVICE OFFICER TELLS NEW SCHEDULE OF HOURS

Joe Maughan, Malheur county veterans' service officer, announces a new schedule of office hours.

From 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. each Monday he will be in Vale at the county courthouse. During the same hours on Tuesdays, he will be at his home in Nyssa and on Wednesdays at the Social Security office in Ontario.

He also topped the list of winners with 21, the most races won with 42 and the most two-year winners with three.

The veteran stallion is stationed on the Neil Dimmick farm southwest of Nyssa along with 10 other head of racing stock, including blooded brood mares.

Fyllingness is a native of this area, was graduated from Nyssa high in 1943 and got into the racing game, in a small way, in 1956 when he and R. G. Pierce of Klamath Falls, Ore., became owners of Last Round.

At that time they also acquired the mare, Nobargin, a daughter of triple-crown winner, Omaha. Both animals were stationed at the Dimmick ranch in 1957 and have been there since. This mare was the leading brood mare in Oregon during 1963. Her colts had earned \$113,000 to January 1964.

Dimmick purchased Pierce's interest in the stallion in 1961 and he and his son-in-law have been adding to their band of mares (Continued on Page 12)

Contest Assured For School Board Positions May 4

Nominating petitions have been received from three prospective candidates for positions on the board of School District No. 28, according to Dirick Nedry, district clerk. Legal voters of the district will vote May 4 to elect two members to the board for five-year terms.

Incumbents Warren Farmer and Mark Hartley have filed for reelection, and Robert Meisinger, 417 King avenue, is seeking election to the board for the first time.

Nedry reminded any prospective candidate that he has until Friday, April 3, at 5 p.m. to file a petition for the school board position.

Mental Health Topic Set for Discussion At Tuesday Meeting

An informative panel discussion concerning mental health problems in Malheur county will be held at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, April 7, according to Betty T. Rinehart, chairman for the Nyssa-Adrian area.

The meeting will be held in the multi-purpose room of the primary building in Nyssa. Panel members will be Judge Ellis A. White, Gene Stunz and Glenn Ward.

Purpose of the meeting is to discuss mental health problems and possible ways of facing them, Mrs. Rinehart said.

Interested residents and organization heads are invited and urged to attend, Mrs. Rinehart concluded.

Goldwater Coming to Ontario May 4 For Major Address; Campaign Head, Ontario Chamber Work on Details

Preliminary Plans Call for Appearance At High School Stadium; No Breakfast

Senator Barry Goldwater, leading candidate for the Republican nomination for president of the United States, will make a major political address in Ontario the morning of May 4. Dr. Edward Durno, state chairman of the Goldwater for President committee and former Oregon congressman, met with representatives of the Ontario Chamber of Commerce, members of the County Republican committee and the press at a noon luncheon in Moore hotel yesterday (Wednesday) noon.

Durno said that he had no specific recommendations for the appearance—that it should be arranged locally to give as many people an opportunity to be exposed to Goldwater's philosophy as possible in the short time he would be here.

He said that he would have to verify the time but felt that the candidate would be present for a 7:30 a.m. appearance and would have approximately two hours here before leaving for Baker, La Grande, Pendleton and other towns of Eastern Oregon.

The Goldwater appearance, like that of Rockefeller Monday morning of this week, is being sponsored by the Ontario Chamber of Commerce on a non-partisan basis.

Ben Cook, KSRV newsmen, volunteered to serve as chairman of a chamber committee to make all arrangements. He was previously committed to talk to the Nyssa Chamber of Commerce and was represented by Bob Humphreys, manager of the local station.

Humphreys said Cook had appointed various committees to aid him and said their plans would conform to the desires of the local Goldwater committee.

An open meeting of county Republicans has been set for Tuesday night, April 7, at 8 o'clock in the Goldwater headquarters on Oregon street in Ontario to decide on plans.

The possibility of having Goldwater make a Nyssa appearance was brought up by Mrs. Harold Brendle. No decision was made as some felt it would be better to eliminate any breakfast appearance and have one major address at the stadium where it would be covered by national news media and furnish room for all who desired to see and hear Senator Goldwater. In case of inclement weather the address could be held in the high school gym where about 3000 could be seated.

Dr. Durno said there would be quite a delegation in attendance from Burns and that there was no reason it should not be open to all those from Idaho who wished to attend.

Details will be carried in the Journal after the local committees have met next week and their plans approved by the Portland headquarters.

MEETING SLATED TONIGHT

A meeting of the PTA executive board will be held this evening, according to Mrs. Leonard Hewett, publicity chairman. The session will begin at 7 o'clock in Mrs. Mildred Renstrom's room in the junior high wing of the high school building.

Bottles for Baseball

During the evenings of April 6-10, Jaycee members will call on Nyssa residents to collect any returnable bottles for donation to the "Bottles for Baseball" drive. All proceeds from sale of the bottles will be given to the "Baseball for Kids" summer recreation program.

Consolidation of TB, Health Groups To Be Voted Upon at April 7 Meeting

Annual meeting of the Malheur County Tuberculosis and Health association will be held Tuesday evening, April 7, at the Moore hotel. The meeting will be preceded by a no-host dinner in the Walnut room.

M. Donald Harman of the Oregon Tuberculosis association will explain to members how reorganization of the association by consolidation with other Eastern Oregon counties can bring about better use of Christmas Seal funds.

Members will vote on a resolution to dissolve articles of incorporation of the local association to prepare for a new organizational structure. In event that the resolution is defeated, the association will remain as it is.

New Officers to Be Elected
New officers will be elected to head the county council under a reorganized association or the local association if it remains the same.

Any contributor to the Christmas Seal campaign is considered a member of the association and is entitled to vote on the resolution. Reservations for the dinner may be made by calling the TB association office at 889-8721 between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Those who are unable to attend the dinner, but

Malheur Waters Receive 400,000 Rainbow Trout

More than 400,000 rainbow trout have been planted in the waters of Malheur county area since March 1, 1964, according to the Oregon Fish and Game department.

Places, number planted and dates are as follows:
Beulah reservoir, 100,000, March 4; Bully Creek reservoir, 50,000, March 31; Malheur river, 180,000, March 13 and 95,000 on March 19; Antelope reservoir, 25,000 on April 1.

All were two-inch fingerlings except 180,000 released on March 13 in the Malheur river at Harper southside diversion dam to Riverside—these were fry size.

County PTA Group Told of Elections Affecting Schools

Harriet Flanagan, president of the Malheur County PTA council, informed the group at their March 24 meeting that a new PTA unit is being formed in Ontario and will be known as the Alameda unit. The Conklin-Roberts unit will be dissolved at the end of this year and the May Roberts school will then have its own unit for the first time.

She also announced that all units, qualifying for awards, should submit their information to the state office immediately. Mrs. Flanagan advised all persons planning to attend the April 22-23 convention in Portland to study with their units the sales tax proposal submitted by the Benton county unit.

Mrs. Lloyd Johnson, county scholarship chairman, announced that she had been advised that to date 14 PTA scholarships have been received by students from Malheur county. At present there are two students in this scholarship program.

Clifford C. Norris, superintendent of School District 8-C, spoke to the group about voting dates within the next two months that are important to education.

The dates include, April 7, Treasure Valley Community col- (Continued on Page 6)



THESE ARE MEMBERS of the Nyssa Police force who were placed on permanent status effective April 1 when the term of probation on the reorganization of the force was terminated. They are (left to right) Senior Officer Alvin Allen, Chief F. E. Petrie, Patrolman Richard L. Van Zante and Sergeant Robert Welles Grover. Senior Officer Allen served two years as an Army military policeman and is a graduate of the Provost Marshal's school in Georgia. He was also a service officer for the Union Pacific Railroad. He joined the local police force in March 1963. Chief Petrie came to Nyssa as a sergeant in March 1961 and had served as acting chief for the past several months. He has had 18 years' experience in law enforcement and at one time was chief of police at McCall, Idaho. Patrolman Van Zante and Sergeant Grover both joined the force last September. The former is an ex-Marine and spent a part of his service years as a military policeman. Prior to coming to Nyssa, he was collection manager for a finance company in Twin Falls. Sgt. Grover spent three years in the Navy and four years in law enforcement work in Orange County, Calif., and was with the Albany, Ore., police department before coming to Nyssa. Another member of the force, not in the photo, is Darrell Zinn who is emergency officer and presently in training. He is a local man, served two years in the Army and is a member of the National Guard.

Area College Budget Election Set Tuesday

Voters will pass on the \$147,000 Treasure Valley Community college budget next Tuesday, April 7. This is an increase of \$38,000 over that of last year and will increase the tax levy about 2.5 mills.

Ontario ballots will vote on the high school budget the same day with other voters in the county having only this one issue to bring them to the polls.

Polling places for this area are Nyssa high school and the elementary building in Adrian. Voting hours are from 2 to 8 p.m.