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## Nyssa Commencement-Baccalaureate Dated Sunday; Dean of NNC to Speak

Miss Helen G. Wilson, dean of women and director of the news bureau at Northwest Nazarene college in Nampa, will be speaker at the combined commencement-baccalaureate program at 8:15 p.m. Sunday, May 24, in the Nyssa high gym. "The Challenge of Inner Space" will be topic of her address. The speaker is a member of Phi Delta Lambda, national honor society; Phi Kappa Delta, national speech honorary; and the National Federation of Press Women. Miss Wilson was recently named to "Who's Who of American Women."



MISS HELEN WILSON  
... To Speak on "Inner Space"

She has been a keynote speaker for a number of gatherings in the Northwest, including the Idaho High School Student Officers' Association, commencements, baccalaureates and so on. She addressed NHS seniors earlier this year.

A free-lance writer, she has had several articles published and this year was co-author of a book about Northwest Nazarene College of Nampa, Idaho.

### Honor Students to Speak

Following the invocation by Father C. M. Kirkpatrick of St. Bridget's Catholic church, there will be traditional salutatorian and valedictorian speeches given by Lynn Jackson and Jim Benedict, respectively.

Mike Ott will play a sousaphone solo, accompanied by Virginia Lewis. Scripture reading from Luke 12:23-31 will be given by the Reverend Wallace Prowell, pastor of the First Christian Church of Nyssa.

Walter McPartland, superintendent of schools, will present the speaker, Miss Wilson. Following her speech, Charles Quinowski will present scholarships to several graduates.

### Chairman to Present Diplomas

Principal Gene Chester will present the graduating class and Gene Stunz, chairman of the board of directors, will present diplomas to them.

The Alma Mater, "Blue and White," will be sung by the audience. Then the benediction will be given by Bishop Howard Bair of the Nyssa Second Ward of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints.

Following the program, the PTA will hold a reception for seniors and their guests.

## Adrian Graduates To Hear Address By EOC President

Combined commencement and baccalaureate services will be held at 8 o'clock Sunday evening, May 24, in the gymnasium for the 24 graduating seniors at Adrian high school. Dr. Frank Bennett, president of Eastern Oregon college in La Grande, will be featured speaker.

Miss Effie Laan will deliver the valedictorian address and salutatory will be given by Miss Pauline Butler.

Class night will be Monday evening, May 25, when awards will be presented to all high school students.

Graduation exercises for the 36 eighth grade students will be at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, May 27, in the high school auditorium.

## 'Dollar Days' Scheduled for Weekend In Nyssa; Cartwheels Worth More

Nyssa Business Men's Promotion committee is sponsoring "Dollar Days" for Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week with an additional feature not ordinarily found. Silver dollars are worth \$1.20 in merchandise on these three days in any of the participating stores.

## Ore-Ida Foods, Inc. Declares Dividend

Ore-Ida Foods, Inc., of Ontario and Burley, Idaho, declared a two percent dividend payable June 24 to stockholders of record on June 1.

Second quarter earnings were 35 cents per share for the period ending April 19, giving a total of 50 cents for the first half of the year. Announcement was made Wednesday by Dale McLane, company official.

## HOOPER REMAINS CRITICAL

The condition of Delbert E. (Deb) Hooper remained critical at presstime late Wednesday, according to Malheur Memorial hospital authorities.

The garage owner suffered serious head injuries May 13 when a fork lift fell while he was repairing it.

## Malheur Woman Realtors Present Business Scholarship to Nyssa Senior

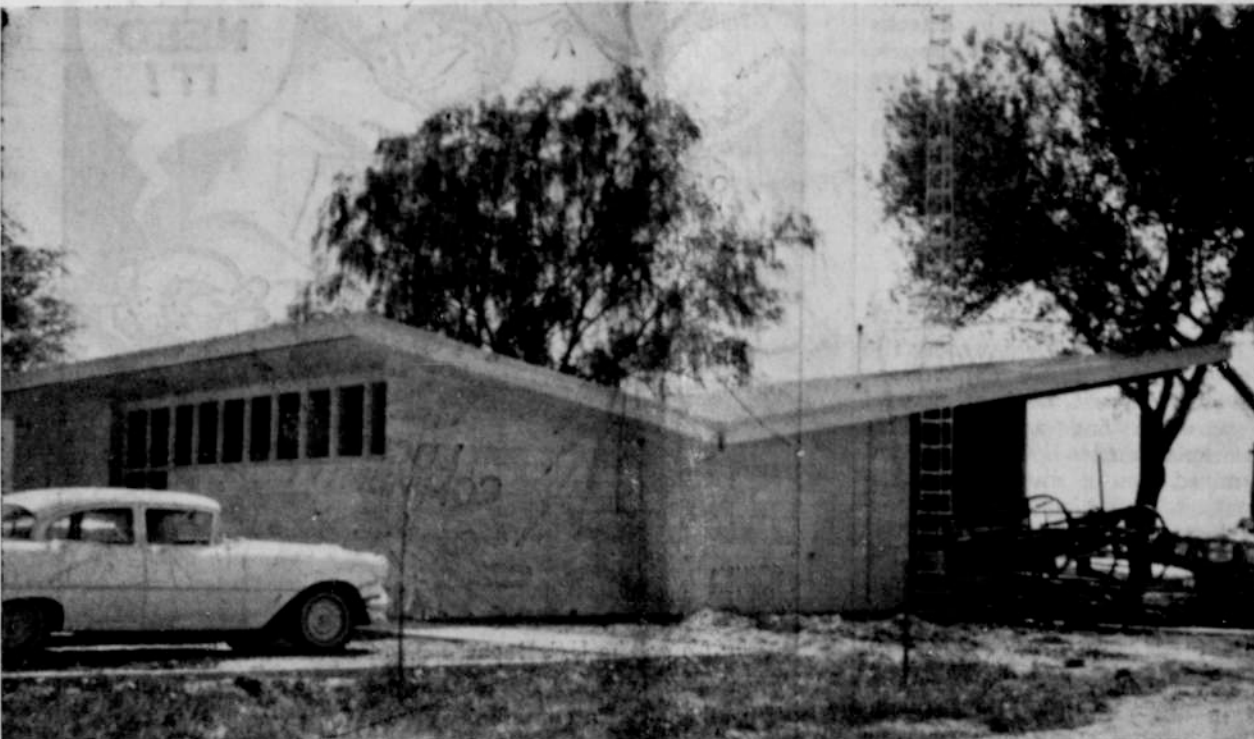
Miss Gloria Henderson has been chosen to receive this year's \$150 business scholarship awarded annually by Malheur county chapter of Women's Council of the National Association of Real Estate Boards.

The student is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Henderson of route 2, Nyssa, and is a member of the NHS 1964 graduating class. She plans to attend Kinman's School of Business in Spokane and will also receive a matching scholarship from the school.

## Tuesday Sign-Up Set For Pee-Wee Leagues

All boys, ages 7-9, interested in playing Pee-Wee baseball this summer are asked to report at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 26, at Nyssa south park, according to Dick Wilson, member of the "Baseball for Kids" committee. Lads who turned out for Little league spring training and were instructed to report for Pee-Wee league play, are also asked to be present. Fathers of these boys are urged to consider helping with this league, Wilson said.

## Modern Structure on Alberta Avenue



FOR THIS PHOTO the Journal camera was aimed toward the northwest corner of the newly erected Treasure Valley Animal hospital located on Alberta avenue, west of Nyssa. The modern, one-story structure has natural-colored pumice outer walls and inverted gravel roof. It houses a small animal section for treatment, hospitalization, grooming and boarding of pets. This section is complete, with only a few additions to be made

at a later date. The large animal section still lacks a loading chute, outside stalls and corrals for housing large domestic animals. These will be added in the near future. Visitors will be welcomed and escorted through the all-new clinic Sunday, May 24, between the hours of 2 and 6 p.m. Refreshments will be served during the visiting hours by Mrs. Dwight Mason and Mrs. Bert Ross, wives of the veterinarians.

## Malheur County Red Cross Drive Nets \$2772 Total

A report of the recent Red Cross drive in Malheur county has been submitted for publication by Hugh Baker, chairman.

Total raised in the county amounted to \$2,772.26. Residents of the Juntura community gave \$111.55 or 56 cents per capita; Harper, \$65.80, 33 cents per capita; Ontario, \$1,676.17, 32 cents; Nyssa, \$691.23, 25 cents; Vale, \$227.46, 13 cents per capita.

Baker has asked the Journal to express his appreciation to all who participated in the drive, including the many county residents who assisted with solicitations and also those who donated.

The chairman reports that Red Cross funds are used locally in times of disaster, for first aid instruction, water safety training, blood program, home service (service to military personnel) and grey ladies' organization.

He states that not one cent of salary is paid to anyone on the county level, but thousands of hours are donated to administer the above services to communities involved.

"The per capita payment is pretty low for the amount of service that has been rendered, and how long all these services can be continued is certainly a question," the chairman concluded.

## Treasure Valley Animal Hospital Open House Set for Sunday, May 24

Drs. Bert Ross and Dwight Mason announce they will hold open house Sunday afternoon at their new animal hospital on Alberta avenue, west of Malheur Memorial hospital.

Hours will be from 2 to 6 p.m. and the doctors and members of their staff will be on hand to escort visitors through the all-new, modern building with new furnishings.

The new structure has natural-colored pumice outer walls, is one-story and has an inverted gravel roof. The location furnishes ample off-street parking with some large shade trees around the unfinished lawn.

The interior is finished in birch paneling and pastel-shade paints. The flooring is tile throughout, with the exception of the large animal treatment room which is concrete.

### Inverted Roof Has Utility

Dr. Ross told a Journal reporter that he and Dr. Mason looked at 100 or more animal hospitals and hundreds of plans before starting construction. He said they finally made the plans fit their personal habits and ways of doing things. For instance, the inverted roof was used to permit the high door in the rear where trucks could back into the building for unloading large animals.

Isolation of the various types of work was kept in mind in the planning, he said.

Besides the reception room and office, there is a room for private office space for three doctors, laboratory and library. Adjoining this is the drug and clean-up room with the large animal room at the southwest corner.

In the central part of the building is the x-ray and dark room with the portion on the east used for small animals.

**Complete Small Animal Section**  
The small animal section is complete with examination and treatment room, grooming facilities. (Continued on Page 7)

## Parra to Study At Art School In Los Angeles

Carlos Parra, Nyssa's young artist, will soon be entering the Chouinard Art school in Los Angeles, Calif. The school is a branch of California Institute of Arts and is recognized as one of the outstanding art schools in the United States.

The teenage Nysson will enroll on June 15 for a summer course which will end Aug. 27. He will have classes in anatomy, fine arts, composition and the study of real life.

Carlos has asked this publication to express his thanks to the many area residents who have helped make this art course possible. These include members of the Nyssa Eagles auxiliary, Mrs. Harriet Brumbach of the Nyssa school system, Mrs. Virginia Brandt, his art instructor, and all those who have purchased his pictures so that proceeds may be added to the trust fund.

The young artist's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Parra, his brothers and sister have also assisted him.

Carlos will be staying with a brother, Vincent, who is working in Los Angeles.

Those who have followed his progress during the past five years say, "We wish you well, Carlos, and the best of luck."

## Rockefeller Victory in Oregon Upsets Predictions Favoring Lodge; Others Trail Badly; Goldwater Wins Here

Tiffany, Bond Winners in County Races; TVC College Tax Base Issue Still in Doubt

The primary election May 15 brought no upsets in Malheur county. Only two offices were contested (both Republican) in which unofficial tally showed incumbent treasurer "Pat" Bond winner over Mrs. Marie Van Horn by 129 votes and Margaret Tiffany by 850 votes over John Elfering as county clerk nominee.

In the November general election, county office contestants will be: county commissioner, Ameil Claude (R) vs. Jacob Fischer (D), incumbent; county clerk, Margaret V. Tiffany (R) vs. J. Homer Schnell (D), incumbent; county sheriff, Wilbur Atkins (R) vs. Robert C. Ingram (D), incumbent.

Robert F. Smith (R) of Burns, state representative for Malheur and Harney counties, had no opposition in the primary but will face opposition by a write-in candidate. Pat O'Loughlen, Adrian school teacher, was winner as a write-in in Malheur county but it is unknown if there was one in Harney county who might have received more votes than O'Loughlen.

State senator Anthony Yturri (R) will be opposed by Robert J. Stewart (D) of Baker and incumbent congressman Al Ullman (D) will be opposed by Robert J. Thoren (R) of Elgin, who defeated Cromwell in the primary.

### State Results Listed

State interest was centered on the race for President of the United States with six contestants on the Republican ticket. Voters upset state and national pollsters, who had seen Lodge the winner, by giving Gov. Nelson Rockefeller approximately one-third of the votes. Lodge was second, Goldwater third, Nixon fourth, trailed by Margaret Chase Smith and Gov. Scranton of Pennsylvania.

Rockefeller will get the 18 delegates on the first ballot at the Republican national convention, after which they may switch unless he carries 35 percent of the total vote. He was the only candidate campaigning actively in the state. Goldwater made a few brief appearances but spent most of his time in Washington caring for his senatorial duties and in working California where the state primary comes up June 2.

### Malheur Votes Conservative

Malheur county Republicans gave Goldwater 1019 votes, Lodge 826, Rockefeller 637 and Nixon 321. The Arizona senator's strength was largely in the rural sections and he carried all of Eastern Oregon.

Tom McCall won the Republican nomination over Dan Mosee for secretary of state, while Alfred H. Corbett was winning over two opponents on the Democratic ticket for the same office. Robert (Continued on Page 7)

## School Budget Is Resubmitted For Monday Vote

Nyssa school district patrons are reminded that on Monday, May 25, election will be held on the 1964-65 budget. The amount to be voted on is \$82,340 above the six percent limitation.

This is the same budget voted upon May 4 that was defeated by a five-vote margin. School board members have resubmitted the budget after determining that 84 voters did not mark the lower part of their ballots that referred to the budget.

There will be only one ballot to mark at this election, so there will not be the confusion that resulted from six different issues at the first election.

School officials point out that this budget is only \$24,800 above the current budget, and this is earmarked for needed roof repairs, an additional teacher at the high school for the 40 or 50 extra students that will be enrolled next year, a half-time teacher at the primary level to help in the fall and spring with the extra migrant children, and the balance for necessary supplies and equipment for the increased enrollment.

Polls are open from 2 to 8 p.m. Monday at the little theater in the high school. Election judges are Mabel Sallee, Lois Miner and Evelyn Kelley.

## Dairy Princess Candidates Plan Nyssa Visitation

Malheur Dairy Princess candidates will be guests of the Nyssa Chamber of Commerce during their May 27 noon luncheon meeting at Brownie's cafe, according to Mrs. Brig Olsen, committee member.

During the afternoon, the young ladies plan to serve milk on Main street in front of Wilson's and Bracken's department stores, if weather permits. In case of inclement weather, they will serve at Wilson's, M & W and Ray's grocery stores.

Mrs. Olsen reports that all candidates will be present and invite area residents to stop by, get acquainted and have a glass of fresh, cold milk.

## Jim Benedict, Lynn Jackson Named Top NHS Honor Students for 1963-64

Jim Benedict has been named valedictorian for this year with a GPA of 3.97 and Lynn Jackson, with a 3.92 GPA, will be salutatorian.

Benedict has received a Bausch and Lomb science award this year and last year was announced outstanding chemistry student.

He has been a member of Hi-Y for the past three years. As a junior he was vice president of the organization and this year he was secretary.

### Chosen for Class Offices

Also in his junior year Benedict was class representative. His classmates chose him as their president this year.

Benedict was on the Bulldog staff this year as a sports writer and became a member of Quill and Scroll.



LYNN JACKSON  
... Earns Salutatorian Honors

He has been a member of the Lettermen's Club for the past three years. He participated in football, basketball and baseball all four years and track the first three years of high school. Benedict was captain of the football team this year.

### Lynn's Activities Listed

Lynn has also been very active in high school. She was selected as DAR Good Citizen last fall and was presented a scholarship by the Ontario Elks lodge.

Lynn was chosen "Hootenanny Sweetheart" at the Hootenanny held at Nyssa in the fall. She was also selected for the job of city engineer on Government Day.

She attended Girls' State last year and was also UN alternate and FFA princess. (Continued on Page 7)



KAREN DENISE HELDT, Nyssa's Poppy Girl, is pictured here as she hands the first 1964 poppy to Joe Maughan, commander of American Legion post 79. Karen is the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Heldt of 516 Park avenue. Poppy day in Nyssa will be Saturday, May 23, under sponsorship of American Legion auxiliary ladies. They will be assisted by Nyssa youngsters, Carrol Greig, Maurice Smith, Vickie Vandewall, Marilee Wilson, Jo Ann Jefferies, Linda and Susan Clapp, Teresa and Renee DeMinck. Headquarters will be at Towne's garage and sales will begin at 8 o'clock in the morning. The auxiliary ladies submit this message. "Wearing a poppy on Poppy day will honor the more than one-half million Americans who died and the nearly one million wounded during both World Wars and the Korean conflict."—Staff Photo.



JIM BENEDICT  
... 1964 NHS Valedictorian