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TVCC's Phenomenal Growth Since '62 Indicates Need Existed in the Area For Combination-Type Junior College

Full-Time Students Go From 40 in Sept. '62 To 308 Enrolled for Winter Term of 1965

Treasure Valley Community college at Ontario has made a phenomenal growth since the first class opened Sept. 24, 1962. The number of full-time students has grown from 40 to 308, part-time students from 120 to 132.

The teaching staff and courses offered have kept pace with the student growth. In the 1962 fall term six full-time and six part-time instructors (including the president and registrar) did all the teaching, while now the college employs 21 full-time instructors and 40 part-time are used.

Stork Shop Sale Marks Retirement Of Mrs. R. Larson

Mrs. Raymond G. Larson, Sr., is starting a close-out sale of the Stork Shop today, after 13 continuous years of operation.

She told a Journal reporter Wednesday that she has enjoyed the work immensely, had made many new friends and wished to thank everyone for past patronage, but she felt it was time to retire.

Mrs. Larson opened the children's ready-to-wear shop, serving "Tots to Teens," in 1949 in the Heldt building where the Laundromat is now located. Later she moved to the Main building at 313 Main street and in March 1961 moved to the present location.

The family moved to Nyssa in 1939 when Mr. Larson became manager of the Nyssa-Nampa districts for Amalgamated Sugar company. Mr. Larson succumbed in 1951.

Plans call for a period of rest, visiting relatives and enjoying her grandchildren, and to "keep her home in Nyssa."

Adrian School District Bond Election Slated; Levy Increase Noted

During the Jan. 14 meeting of the Adrian PTA chapter, patrons responded favorably to increasing amount of the bond levy for School District 61, according to Superintendent Glenn Ward.

Board members held a special meeting Jan. 15 at which time they approved the increase from \$123,000 to \$135,000 for the Feb. 8 bond election. Ward explained the increase is necessary due to price changes over a year ago.

The levy money is needed to provide additional space and install a heating system, plus remodeling and repairing of present facilities at the elementary school, the superintendent said.

A copy of the proposed building plan is on display at the Adrian high school building. Ward stated, and interested patrons are invited to view the plan. For more information regarding the construction program, they may contact Robert Patterson, grade school principal, or Superintendent Ward.

A bond election will be held Feb. 28 between the hours of 2 and 8 p.m. in the Adrian elementary school building.

Area Girl Scouts, Fathers to Attend February 1 Banquet

The dinner for Brownies, Junior and Cadette Scouts will be prepared and served by Nyssa The annual father-daughter and Parma parents of delegates selected to attend the International Roundup to be held next summer at Farragut, Idaho.

A minimum charge will be made for the meal. In past years, the food has been furnished by Girl Scouts and their mothers.

Members of each troop will provide entertainment, and girls whose fathers are unable to attend the banquet are urged to take a family friend or older brother.

Research Roundup in Eastern Oregon Planned at Pendleton Feb. 6 by OSU

The campus will move to the country Feb. 6 when Oregon State university agricultural scientists combine a round-up of research results from three branch experiment stations with reports from meat industry representatives.

The all-day program is aimed at giving Eastern Oregon producers up-to-date information on breeding, feeding and marketing livestock.

Scheduled at Pendleton high school, the program will feature reports of research results from the Union and Hermiton Branch Experiment stations and the Blue Mountain feed yard. According to J. C. Miller, head of the OSU Department of Animal Science, the morning program will be split into three sections for producers of beef, sheep and swine.

The beef section will include discussions by OSU experiment station personnel on cow herd management, effect of wintering levels of feeder steer calves on their subsequent feedlot performance, production and meat characteristics of bulls, steers and heifers, and the use of wheat in beef cattle rations.

Growers attending the sheep section will hear a report on gross returns from sheep enterprises.

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New Councilmen Installed



FOUR OF THESE NYSSA COUNCILMEN were installed by City Attorney Harold Henigson on the evening of Jan. 12 when they met for their first 1965 session at the city hall. The officials are (seated, left to right) Walt Ford and Grant Rinehart. Standing are Cecil Morrison, Jr., Ken Pond, Bill Fitzsimmons and Lee Dail. Ford, Fitzsimmons and Dail were elected to office in November and together with Rinehart who was re-elected at that time, were installed into office at the Jan. 12 meeting. Morrison and Pond are hold-over councilmen. Rinehart was selected by the group to serve again as mayor. Another past councilman, who is still serving, is Don Engstrom who was not present when this photo was snapped by a Journal photographer.

Sen. Anthony Yturri Discusses Issues Facing Oregon Legislators at Salem

By STATE SENATOR ANTHONY YTURRI

The 53rd Legislative session of the Oregon Legislature has commenced with less than the anticipated political furor. Harry Boivin of Klamath Falls was elected president of the Senate by a vote of 17 to 13. Six conservative-minded Democrats joined the 11 Republicans to elect Senator Boivin as president.

F. F. "Monte" Montgomery, a Eugene Republican, was elected as speaker of the House by a vote of 56 to 4. This is the first time in 10 years that a Republican has been speaker. The House election occurred without incident except that a lady representative, Beulah Hand of Clackamas county, in a speech on the floor referred to the chief clerk, a Republican, as being "personally obnoxious" to her and made other unkind remarks about the chief clerk.

Principal speaker will be Oscar Hagg, dairy marketing specialist from Oregon State university in Corvallis.

All dairymen of the county are welcome to attend this annual meeting.

NYSSAN ON HONOR ROLL University of Oregon's honor roll for the 1964 fall term listed 416 students who made grade point averages of 3.50 or higher with 53 earning 4.00 perfect scores.

Among the honor students is Bobby Joe Hendricks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hendricks of Nyssa.

NHS Senior Earns 'Good Citizen' Honors in DAR District Competition

Miss Nadine Spitzke has been selected district winner in the "Good Citizen" contest held annually among senior girls of area schools and sponsored by Malheur chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Students in each senior class selected three girls possessing such qualities as dependability, service, leadership and patriotism. From these three, faculty members named one to become the good citizen of her school.

Miss Spitzke, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Spitzke of the Arcadia community, will receive a \$25 series E government bond and is now eligible for state competition.

Nadine is the second NHS senior girl to win these honors since the annual contests began, according to Mrs. J. I. Brady, DAR chairman. Last year's winner was Miss Lynn Jackson, daughter of Nyssans Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Jackson.

Miss Marilyn Nishihara of Adrian high school was first runner-up in the contest and is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Masa Nishihara of the Ridgeview area. Other contestants were Kay Van Patten of Ontario, Carol Blackburn of Vale and Christine Winters of Harper.

The girls were each required to complete a questionnaire and write a brief history of her life. They will be honored by members of the DAR chapter with a dinner on Jan. 25 at Four Seasons cafe in Ontario.

MISS MARILYN NISHIHARA Earns Runner-up Honors

There will be no surprising departure from the issues that were anticipated. Among the problems that will consume more than 110 days of legislative exercise will be these:

(1) The size of the General Fund budget. The governor proposed a budget of approximately \$465 million, which is about \$96 million more than the 1963-65 operating budget.

(2) The amount of appropriation for Basic School Support. This is most important since it is at this level that local property tax relief can be provided.

(3) Legislative enactment of the

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Captain Reported Safe After Feared Missing on Flight

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ferguson of the Apple Valley community learned on Wednesday evening of last week that their son, Capt. Charles Ferguson, was alive and safe. They had been notified earlier in the day that he had been shot down during an Air Force flight over Laos and was feared missing.

The good news first came to them from their daughter-in-law, wife of Capt. Ferguson, when she telephoned the parents from Clovis, N.M., to say that she had received a direct phone call from her husband, and even though the connections were bad, heard his voice telling her that he was all right.

The Apple Valley couple later received an official telegram from the commanding officer at Clovis AFB telling them of their son's safety.

Capt. Ferguson, a 10-year Air Force veteran, left Cannon Air Force base near Clovis about a month ago for duty in the Far East. He had been stationed at the New Mexico base since August 1961.

His parents are long-time residents of Apple Valley. Mr. Ferguson has been custodian and bus driver at the community's school for a number of years. His wife is first grade instructor, having taught in the school for approximately 20 years.

Elvina Bell Named NHS Correspondent For Co-ed Magazine

Miss Elvina Bell has been named Co-ed correspondent for the 1964-65 school year, according to Miss Margaret Hauser, editor of the publication. The NHS junior student is a daughter of Mrs. Joy Bell. Her appointment was made by Mrs. Virginia Steffens, NHS home economics instructor.

Selected for qualities of leadership and enthusiasm for home economics, Miss Bell will serve as junior adviser to the editors of Co-ed, national magazine for teenage girls. She will keep them informed of activities at Nyssa high school. More than 4,000 correspondents throughout the United States and Canada report regularly.

Presentation of a special Co-ed pin and card will be made to Miss Bell at the Jan. 26 FHA meeting by Mrs. Steffens, FHA adviser.

MRS. B. WILSON NAMED SCHOLARSHIP CHAIRMAN

Mrs. Boyd Wilson was recently named chairman in charge of the scholarship award which is presented annually by Ontario Emblem club 192. Mrs. Wilson reports that any senior boy or girl whose mother is an Emblem member in good standing is eligible to apply for the scholarship. Further information regarding this annual Emblem project may be obtained by contacting Mrs. Wilson at 372-3478.

Amalgamated Nyssa Plant Completes 80 Percent of 1964 Crop Processing; Temporary Closing Date Set Feb. 12

ASC County Allotment of Beet Acreage Due Soon; Contract Negotiations to Follow

Amalgamated's Nyssa factory has processed more than 80 percent of the 1964 beet crop and has set a tentative closing date of Feb. 12, according to District Manager Ray Larson.

To date, 745,000 tons have been completed, at a rate in excess of 6,600 tons per day, and work is on schedule, the manager said. Some spoilage is found in some dumps but as a whole the beets are keeping very well for this time of year. Cold weather is hoped for during the next 10 days to two weeks to keep this factor low.

Flooding in Oregon and Idaho necessitating changes in the operation of trains on the Union Pacific required alterations in plans for a source of beets for a short time but did not slow down operations at any time, Larson noted.

Acreage Allotment Due Soon

Jan. 15 was the deadline for applicants wishing to grow beets to sign at the ASC office in Ontario. No record is available as to the total but it is known that there was an increase in the requests over the number of acres grown in 1964. This included former growers plus applications from those wishing to grow for the first time.

The allotment has not been set for Malheur county by the state ASC office but is expected soon as Idaho counties have had their quotas set for about 10 days. Acreage cuts from the 1964 crop are still expected to be about 10 percent.

Contract negotiations between growers and the company will have to be completed before sign-ups will start. This is usually the latter part of January. Normally planting will start about March 1 in the sandy soil areas.

Adrian Women Hurt In Falls on Sidewalk

Mrs. Elmer Rosenkilde, wife of the Adrian Community church pastor, suffered a broken hip when she fell Sunday morning on an icy sidewalk near her home.

Also injured was Mrs. Carl Begeman who sustained a broken arm while attempting to help Mrs. Rosenkilde.

The minister's wife had left the parsonage and started up an incline to the church when the mishap occurred. Mr. and Mrs. Begeman had just arrived and parked their car when the latter saw Mrs. Rosenkilde fall and then start to crawl to the steps of her home, aided by Mrs. Bill Looney who was also at the scene.

Mrs. Begeman started down the walk, turned to summon her husband and then fell, breaking the large bone in her lower arm, near the wrist. She was taken to Malheur Memorial hospital in Nyssa where the bone was set and her arm placed in a cast. She was released that afternoon.

Mrs. Rosenkilde waited for some time for an ambulance and upon its arrival was taken to Holy Rosary hospital in Ontario. Her hip bone was set Monday and she is still a patient there. She is reported to be getting along as well as can be expected after suffering that type of injury.

ENTERTAIN AT BANQUET Mary and Carol Pond, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Pond, provided special musical selections during the recent charter night banquet of the Payette Lions club. The girls sang folk song numbers with guitar accompaniment.

Silver Sage Council to Entertain Japanese Girl Scouts at July Roundup

Mrs. Rupert Kent, president of the Silver Sage Girl Scout council, has been notified by the national office that the council has been selected to host two Japanese Girl Scouts who will represent their country at the July International Girl Scout Roundup to be held in northern Idaho.

The Oriental Scouts will be guests of the council for three weeks prior to the event and will go to the Roundup as part of the Silver Sage contingent, camping in a patrol with local girls.

Hostess Committee Chosen A hostess committee for the visitors has been formed from representatives of various groups within the council. Mrs. John Peterson of Boise has been named chairman and will be assisted by Mrs. T. V. Spangler of Boise, program committee; Mrs. L. W. McShane of Nampa, public relations; Mrs. Max Becker of Caldwell, Roundup training coordinator; Miss Louise Shaddock of Boise, Department of Commerce and Development for the state of Idaho; Mrs. E. W. Ewing of Boise, consultant; Miss Christine Peter-

son of Boise, Senior Girl Scout committee secretary.

Also helping will be the Round-up trainers, Mrs. Calvin Hill and Miss Rita Lindberg of Pocatello, Mrs. Ivan Stone of Jerome and Mrs. Alvin Ward of Baker, Ore. Roundup patrol leaders will be Marcia Nye of Pocatello, Margaret Davis of Nampa, Karen Ward of Baker, Linda Hower of Nampa. Assistant patrol leader of the International patrol and alternate Roundup selectee is Annette Jefferson of Boise.

First meeting of the committee was held recently at the home of Mrs. Becker in Caldwell.

WEATHER . . .

Date	Max.	Min.
Jan. 13	31	16
Jan. 14	32	18
Jan. 15	30	18
Jan. 16	28	25
Jan. 17	28	24
Jan. 18	31	25
Jan. 19	29	26
Jan. 20	—	27

Owyhee Reservoir Storage

Jan. 20, 1965 . . . 651,040 Acre Ft.

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