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Easter Season Observances Planned By Churches of Nyssa-Adrian Area; Good Friday, Sunrise Services Slated

Church leaders of various denominations report schedules for special observances

Churches of the Nyssa-Adrian area have again this year tried to stress the true meaning of Easter and the holy season through special services, programs by young people and traditional observances of Christ's betrayal, trial, crucifixion and resurrection.

Good Friday services are planned tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in Park Avenue Baptist church. Several ministers will be participating in this union service.

School Accepts Sinclair's Bid For Fuel Supply

Nyssa school board members accepted the bid of Sinclair Refining company Monday night for gasoline requirements for the next school year. Sinclair was low with a bid of 20.6 cents per gallon, and there was less than 4/10ths of a cent difference in the figures of the six bidders.

Oil companies submitting bids were Shell, American, Texaco, Standard, Phillips and Sinclair, the present supplier. The price is a joint bid with the city of Nyssa, and this is the fourth year the two governmental units have requested the bid together. The present bid is 20.8 cents.

The school board also approved plans submitted by the Nyssa Lions club to construct a building on the east side of the football and track fields to house restrooms, a concession stand and broadcasting booth. This project is in the formative stage, and there will be more information from the Lions club later.

Teacher needs for next year were also discussed and the board has received resignations from Charles Holton, Dale Wilkins and Eva Chadwick. Clyde Swisher will be on a leave of absence next year, so at least four positions on the staff will require filling.

The board also reviewed efforts to initiate a vocational program with all county high schools participating, and Superintendent W. L. McPartland told of the migrant day care program proposed under the Economic Opportunity act. Application is being made, and if approved by the government the program will be initiated this summer.

Charity Dance Nets \$166 for Cancer Fund

Mrs. Lyle (Butch) Reece, overall chairman for the charity ball staged Saturday night at the Eagles hall, announces that to date she has turned in \$166.25 to the American Cancer society.

She reports a good attendance and has asked the Journal to express her appreciation to all news media of the area, as well as to those who worked with her on the project and those who purchased tickets and attended the dance.

Denny Bartron was winner of the electric rotisserie, given as a door prize.

Bills on Meat Labeling, Thunderegg State Rock Signed by Acting Governor

By STATE SENATOR ANTHONY YTURRI and REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT F. SMITH

This week has been a significant one for Eastern Oregon. Two important measures were signed by Acting Governor Harry D. Boivin, who is better known as president of the Senate. When Governor Mark Hatfield is called out of the state, the Senate president becomes acting governor in his absence.

The acting governor signed the Meat Labeling bill into law, which culminated our efforts in Salem to allow Oregonians to know exactly the source of all meats purchased.

Acting Governor Boivin also signed into law April 8 the bill providing that the thunderegg shall be the state rock.

Harney and Malheur counties have much attraction to traveling tourists for one of its most important attributes is the quantity of thundereggs available. The Thunderegg room in Vale houses

Postmaster Reports Latest Cancellation Time for Tax Returns

Postmaster Lee Dail has announced that the latest cancellation time for tax returns mailed from the Nyssa office will be 6 o'clock this evening.

Dail states that, prior to that time, a special effort will be made by postal employees to cancel all mail picked up from drop boxes at various locations in town and also at the main office.

Area Ministers Plan Easter Activities



THESE MEN ARE ALL MEMBERS of the Nyssa-Adrian Ministerial association and are pastors of various area churches. When this picture was taken April 7, they were meeting in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. John Bullock to plan this year's Union Good Friday and Easter Sunrise Services. The ministers are (seated, left to right) Marlow Thompson, Adrian Free Methodist church; John Bullock, Nyssa Church of the Nazarene; Elmer Rosenkilde, Adrian Community church. Standing are Wallace Prowell, Nyssa First Christian; Ralph A. Lawrence, Nyssa Methodist; John Milbrath, Faith Lutheran; and Delbert Smith, Park Avenue Baptist church. Other pastors who are active in the association but were

Area Children to Search for Eggs Saturday Afternoon in Nyssa Park

Nyssa Jaycees, their wives and members of the newly organized Jay-C-Ette group will meet at 8 o'clock this evening in the Ray Tarter home at 513 Ehrgood avenue to wrap eggs for the annual Easter egg hunt.

The wrapping party was originally slated at the community hall, but the place had to be changed due to other scheduled activities at that location.

The annual egg hunt will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, April 17, in Nyssa south park. Preschoolers and children in first, second and third grades will be permitted to participate.

The youngsters will be divided into groups for the search. Some of the eggs will be wrapped to contain slips of paper with names of Nyssa firms printed on them. When one of these eggs is found, the slip should be taken to the store and the prize may be claimed.

Chairman for the egg hunt project is Harvey Easton, who is being assisted by Ken Rosecrans. A brief business meeting will be held at this evening's session and all prospective Jaycees and Jay-C-Ettes are invited to join the group to assist with the wrapping project and an evening of get-acquainted fun.

NHS Musical Groups Earn High Ratings At Meridian Festival

Idaho district three music festival was held April 9-10 at Meridian with bands, choruses and orchestras from area schools participating, according to Frank Turner, NHS music instructor.

The high school band received a superior rating and the chorus was rated as excellent. A girls' trio comprised of Karel Obenchain, Carol Haney and Sue Tramel earned an excellent rating with their vocal selection.

Excellent ratings also went to Lynda Cundall and Susan Schenk for piano solos; Carol Pond and Joan Stunz, flute solos; Linda Ballou, alto saxophone solo; Glenda Hoffman and Stewart Henigson, drum solos.

Drummers Rated Excellent
A drum quintet, with Glenda Hoffman, Stewart Henigson, Diane Wilson, Wayne Takami and Lucille Bertram, also was rated as excellent. A vocal solo presented by Karel Obenchain was rated as good.

According to Turner, none of the girls' chorus entries received superior ratings. He said that judging in all categories was quite demanding, considerably more than in past years, and that he and Gary Clawson were very proud of the students as competition was good.

The instructors state they feel the music department did a fine job of representing the Nyssa schools and community.

Adult Classes Slated At Various Locations By College Officials

Carl Devin, director of vocational - technical education at Treasure Valley Community college, announces that several new classes will soon be starting in adult education for the spring quarter.

In the Nyssa area, a course in farm records will begin April 19 at the NHS vocational agriculture building. Classes will be taught by Grant Rinehart and are being planned from 8 to 10 o'clock on Monday and Tuesday nights. Devin stated that the class deals with development and maintenance of an adequate farm or agricultural record keeping system for any particular agricultural situation.

Interested area residents should report to the vo-ag building Monday night or contact Rinehart in person.

A class for beginner and intermediate welders is scheduled to begin at 7 o'clock tomorrow evening, April 16, at the TVCC technical building in Ontario. Joe Gaddis will instruct the welding course.

DANCE STUDENTS SLATE APRIL 23 PERFORMANCE

Sixteenth annual dancing display by pupils of Betty Madge Wilson's School of Dancing will be staged at 8 p.m. Friday, April 23, in the school cafeteria.

The revue is sponsored annually by members of the Malheur Memorial hospital auxiliary.

FRIDAY BUDGET MEETING SET FOR ADRIAN FIRE AREA

A meeting of the Adrian Rural Fire district budget committee will be held at 8 p.m. tomorrow, April 16, in the Adrian grade school building.

At that time the budget message and document will be submitted to the committee for their consideration.

Adrian, Nyssa School District Patrons Vote on Budget Proposals Monday; Both Indicate No Increase in Millage

Expanded Aid From State Plus Assessment Growth to Bring Additional Funds Needed

Patrons of Nyssa and Adrian school districts will vote Monday, April 19, on school budgets for the 1965-66 school year. Voting hours will be from 2 to 8 p.m. for both. Nyssa's balloting place will be the little theater and Adrian's the grade school building.

Both are asking for dollar increases over the current year but both are staying within the present mill levy, and possibly lower if the total assessed valuation should be appreciably higher than at the present time.

Voters will be asked to approve the amount above six percent limitation — in Adrian district, \$163,110.77, and in Nyssa, \$38,032. Adrian has no tax base.

Nyssa Adding New Programs
Three new programs, to be financed by additional state and federal money, are included for the Nyssa schools.

It is proposed that the older mentally retarded children now in the elementary school be moved to the junior high school. This will place them in an environment at their own age level and allow them to participate in physical education.

An elementary resource center providing library facilities, books, teacher aids and visual education is proposed to assist elementary teachers.

An additional teacher is planned for the high school to teach commercial subjects.

The budget is the unanimous decision of the 14 men who make up the budget board. They represent all sections of the district.

Second Election On TVCC Budget Dated April 28

Directors of Treasure Valley Community college, Ontario, voted Friday night to submit the same budget figures to voters in an April 28 election as was rejected by a 150-vote margin on April 6.

The \$546,190 proposed budget went down at the same time that electors of Ontario school district 8-C were defeating that budget by an overwhelming vote of 1,206 to 448. The budget of the latter was approximately \$1.5 million and represented an increase of \$178,271 over the present school year.

In resubmitting the budget, the college directors noted that the 1.62-mill increase, bringing the total local levy to 4.94 mills, was necessary due to rapidly increasing enrollment. And since the college has no established tax base the entire amount must be submitted to the voters.

In the April 6 vote Ontario electors rejected the budget by 92 votes—the first time they have disapproved it at the home location. But it was the first time in many years that the local school budget had been rejected and it has been suggested that the large "No" vote carried over to the college rejection.

City Services To Be Extended To Amalgamated

At the regular monthly meeting Tuesday night of this week the city council voted to extend water and sewer services to Amalgamated Sugar company; to cooperate in police communications systems with Vale, Ontario and the sheriff's office; and to accept a new contract with Idaho Power company.

Rates to be charged the sugar company would be based on a study previously made by the city manager. He and the city attorney were instructed to prepare the necessary documents.

It was noted that cooperating with the sheriff's department and the other two towns would not add to the present cost and would make for better efficiency of all concerned. The city manager was instructed to work out details with others involved.

Ken Renstrom appeared in the audience and was heard on a proposal for the city to furnish parking to tourists using campers. The plan would call for a 12-foot cut along about 300 feet on the north side of south park. The area would be paved and curbing replaced. This was tabled for further discussion with an advisory board appointed to study the use of parks for future development.

Renstrom noted the growth in the tourist industry and the distance between points along highways 20-26 where shade, grass and water were available. He felt the investment would be more than offset by additional revenue to the community.

It was also voted to join the school in accepting Sinclair Refining company's low bid of 20.6 cents per gallon for regular gasoline.

In the absence of Mayor Grant Rinehart, Ken Pond was elected to serve as acting chairman for the meeting.

Special Meeting Held April 9

At a special meeting at Brownie's cafe Friday, April 9, the council instructed the city attorney to negotiate with the Seward family for use of land required for a new well on the Idaho side of Snake river.

It was also voted to prepare invitations for bids on a new police car in the near future. Transfer of \$5,725 from the street sweeper account to be used as the city's portion of the cost of a paving overlay on King avenue was approved.

Clean-Up Program Started by City Continued by Merchants, Residents

City Manager Fred Koch said Tuesday that the city crew was about to finish with "Clean-Up Week" that started three weeks ago. With the aid of a few welfare workers an unbelievable amount of rubbish has been removed and streets, alleys and some vacant lots have an entirely different appearance.

Now that the city has completed its work, Koch said he would like to remind the citizens that it is their business to keep it clean. He said the city has ordinances on the books to enforce laws pertaining to this, but he much preferred that it be voluntary as a matter of civic pride.

Among the items listed as violations of ordinances, constituting misdemeanors and punishable by fines are: (a) garbage cans that are not "fly-tight," (b) placing or dumping garbage or rubbish on vacant lots, streets or alleys, (c) losing rubbish on way to the dump, (d) creating obnoxious odors by burning garbage.

Alleys Should Be Clear

He further stated that the street department would be able to do a better job if alleyways were kept free of obstacles, enabling the grader to get through without stopping for removal of such objects.

City officials and workers were commended last week by the board of Nyssa Chamber of Commerce for the fine job they had done on the Clean-Up project. April was designated as Clean-Up, Paint-Up and Fix-Up month.

Sunrise Service Set For Easter Morning By Ministers of Area

An Easter Sunrise service will be held at 6 o'clock Sunday morning on cemetery hill, according to members of the ministerial association, sponsoring organization.

Young people of the various churches will have charge of the service.

The program will consist of group singing and members of several of the churches will present special selections.

Easter Message



As we celebrate another glorious Easter, we take this opportunity to greet you and your family with every good wish for your happiness at this Holy season. Our earnest hope is that the glad tidings of Easter may guide and strengthen all of us, helping us to envision deep spiritual goals and to recognize the greater truths that go beyond our everyday life.