

### Coach's Comments

By KINSEY KEVEREN, Nyssa High School Coach

I have been approached to write an article on BASEBALL. Of all sports, I believe that baseball is the most unpredictable. If any small school can come up with a "good pitcher, that team most like," can defeat almost any large school in the area.

I believe that baseball spectators show less sportsmanship at a baseball game than any other sport. It is considered bad taste for spectators to attempt to confuse a boy who is about to shoot a free-throw in a basketball contest and the referee may penalize the home team for doing so, but it seems all right to try to confuse a batter at the plate in a baseball game.

### Teachers Reveal Plans for Summer

(From the Nyssa High Bulldog)

Some students seem to think that the teachers just love school so they can torture the poor little pupils, but contrary to popular belief this is not true. They, the teachers, are looking forward to vacation as much or more than the students.

The teachers were asked what they planned for this summer's recreation and here are some of the answers:

**Margery Nihart**—"Something interesting but I don't know just what yet."

**Donald Bates**—"Summer school at the University of Utah."

**Clyde Swisher**—"I haven't decided yet."

**Douglas Wilkerson**—"I am going to work for the BLM in Vale."

**Effie Ellen Smith**—"Nothing."

**Dale Wilkins**—"Be a fire control officer for the BLM."

**Alice Peterson**—"Go to San Francisco and attend school later in the summer."

**Joleen Reece**—"I have two workshops and I'm going to help my father paint farm buildings."

**Stanley Sisson**—"Two summer workshops, repair equipment for the shop and plan next year's work schedule."

**Frank Turner**—"Go to summer school in California."

**Gary Clawson**—"Go to summer school in Montana."

**Harry McGinley**—"I don't have any idea."

**Charles Quinowski**—"Work, work, work. I plan to camp out quite a bit and to fix up old houses."

**Mel Calhoun**—"Go to summer school on the NEA scholarship I received."

**George Fanning**—"Work on construction and take a correspondence course."

**Mrs. Don Engstrom**—"Help Mr. Quinowski paint and paper old houses."

**Ralph Aldrich**—"Go to summer school and work."

**Miss Primitiva Perez**—"I might go to Boulder, Colo., or stay and take courses at TVCC or teach at TVCC or just goof around."

**Mrs. Virginia Steffens**—"As little as possible."

**Jack Bowen**—"I plan to work with Bob Wilson at Wilson Department Store and coach the American Legion baseball team."

### JOB'S DAUGHTERS SLATE FRIDAY AUTOMOBILE WASH

Job's Daughters of Bethel 33 are sponsoring a car wash Friday, June 4, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. at Shell Service station, 101 North Main.

All area residents, with dirty autos, are urged to take their vehicles to the station where the girls will make them shiny clean. Two-car families should consider taking both vehicles.

Pick-up and delivery service may be obtained by dialing the station, 372-3990. Licensed operators will be on hand.

"The umpire has a glass eye!" "He (the batter) has a hole in his bat," and other uncomplimentary remarks are heard at basketball games.

Some of baseball's rules confuse me. Pinch hitters are allowed in baseball; why not pinch foul shooters in basketball games? About the only baseball games which interest me are the ones in which our own kids are playing. I can enjoy a football game or a track meet when I do not know any of the players of either side.

One year when I took my track team to Corvallis for the state meet, Oregon State was playing the University of Southern California the same afternoon. I wanted to see that game just for one reason: to see Jack Bowen bat.

I have seen Jack clout the ball out of the park so many times when he played on the Nyssa high school team. John Koopman, the county assessor, tells me that the longest hit ball in the Vale park was clobbered by Jack. It is still a record.

I did not see Jack bat once all during that college game. He came up to the plate at least five times, to the best of my memory in that game. Every time Jack came up to bat, the California pitcher would throw four easy tosses to the catcher, who had moved off to one side.

Now I ask you, baseball fans, "What is the sense in that?" What was the reason? I don't understand baseball.

I like to see our kids win, though . . . whether it is Baseball, Track, Basketball, Football or Tiddley Winks!

### NYSSANS RETURN HOME FROM TRIP TO MIDWEST

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Gann, their daughter, Mrs. Walt Looney and Jimmy returned home Saturday from a two-week trip to the midwest. Their first stop was at the Herb Cox residence in Monte Vista, Colo., where Mrs. Cox joined them and they went to Hugoton, Kan., to visit Gann's sister, Mrs. J. O. Cox.

They then went to Sayre, Okla., where Mrs. Cox remained to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gearald Cox, while the Nyssans continued on to Lookeba, Okla., to visit cousins. The Ganns also visited a former schoolmate who now resides at Blanchard.

### VISITORS IN LEWIS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Lewis of Marysville, Calif., were Memorial weekend guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Lewis. Other potluck dinner guests in the Lewis residence were Mr. and Mrs. Mural C. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lewis, Merlene and Vicky, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Mitchell, LaRae, David and Wayne.

### STUDENTS ARRIVE HOME

The Misses Gail Flinders and Sue Olsen arrived home by airplane last Thursday afternoon from Brigham Young university in Provo. After a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Elwood Flinders, Gail left Monday evening for Boise where she will be employed this summer.

### SELLS HAVE GRANDCHILD

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sells have received word of the arrival of their first grandchild, born early Tuesday morning to their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Edward Sells.

The tiny Miss weighed 5 pounds, 4 ounces; was named Sheri Jean and was born in a hospital at Virginia Beach, Va.

Her father was aboard a submarine at sea and was to be notified by cablegram of her birth.

### GIRL SCOUTS PRACTICE SKILLS ON CAMPING TRIP

Mmes. Bill Wahlert, Hal Henigson, Tom Morrow and Wilton Jackson accompanied 17 members of the Cadette Girl Scouts to the Old Fort Boise site last Thursday for an overnight camping trip.

The girls pitched tents and set up camp as a practice for the National Scouting Roundup this summer at Farragut. The group also played a "wide" game in which they reviewed first aid lessons.

Troop members had just completed a 16-hour course in first aid taught by Officer Charles Dougherty of the Oregon State Police department at Ontario.

Classifieds Bring Results!

### Saddle Club Playday Scheduled Saturday At Vale Rodeo Arena

The annual 4-H Saddle club playday will be held at the Vale Rodeo grounds on Saturday, June 5, according to E. M. Hauser, county extension agent. All 4-H Saddle club members in Malheur county are eligible to participate.

Mrs. Vi Townley and Mrs. Bonnie Johnson of Vale are co-chairmen and have worked up a schedule of events for both junior and senior contestants.

The program will start at 9:30 a.m. with a potato race, followed by a water race. Both of these will be for three-man teams. Other events include Texas bar-

### SPECIAL ACTIVITIES SET AT EAGLES HALL IN NYSSA

Officer installation ceremonies and dancing to live music, by Bill Rodenbaugh and his orchestra, will highlight activities Saturday evening, June 5, at the Nyssa Eagles hall.

The dance will begin at approximately 10 o'clock, immediately following the installation rites, beginning at 9 p.m. All participants are requested to be there at approximately 8:30.

rels, scurry, pole and flag race and will be divided into junior and senior classes. The only non-mounted event will be a knot race for members who have not won a place in any previous event.

### Nyssa Births . . .

May 26—To Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mefford of Parma, a 7-pound, 6-ounce girl, June Elizabeth.

May 26—To Mr. and Mrs. Joe Castro of Nyssa, a 6-pound, 4-ounce boy, Roy.

May 27—To Mr. and Mrs. Keith Thompson of Parma, a 7-pound, 5-ounce girl, Ginger.

May 31—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Storey of Parma, a 5-pound, 12 1/4-ounce girl, unnamed.

### VISITORS FROM SEATTLE

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Keyser of Seattle were Friday overnight guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Bybee. The Keyseres are former Nyssa residents, having moved from here several years ago.

### PAUL VOELLER INJURED IN SKATEBOARD MISHAP

Paul Voeller, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Voeller, suffered a concussion and fractured left arm when he fell Sunday while riding a skateboard.

The lad was treated at Malheur Memorial hospital and released. His mother reports that he is making a nice recovery, although he is still a little "shaky" from his head injury.

### FORMER NYSSANS VISIT

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones were former Nyssans, Mr. and Mrs. Ham Chadderden and Lionel of Mountain Home. Chadderden is employed at a department store in the Idaho city.

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