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Importance of Public Land Uses Told To Nyssa C of C Members Wednesday By State Representative Bob Smith

Government Agencies Control 75 Percent Of Land in Malheur County and 52 in State

Representative Robert F. Smith told the Nyssa Chamber of Commerce Wednesday noon of the importance of public lands to the economy of Malheur county, the state of Oregon, and all of the other western states.

He quoted figures showing that 75 percent of the land in the county is government-owned or controlled, 52 percent of the area in the state of Oregon and of all throughout the United States, 89 percent federally controlled is in the 13 western states.

Nyssa Electors Approve \$60,000 In Library Bonds

In a special election Tuesday, May 17, Nyssa electors approved a \$60,000 library bond issue 205 to 59—approximately a three and one-half to one majority.

Mayor Grant Rinehart said, "I am terribly happy, as this is a very good demonstration of what the people want."

This will allow purchase of the Taylor building at 319 Main street, plus providing funds for remodeling and purchase of some equipment and books.

The next steps will be preparing papers for the bonds, advertising for their sale, followed by advertising for bids on the remodeling and reconstruction. This will be handled by an architectural firm in ntario.

Mayor Rinehart says it will be at least two months before any physical work can get under way.

Grand Opening Event Scheduled Saturday For Brownie's Cafe

Saturday, May 21, 1966, is date set by Mrs. Tarzan (Iva) Johnson for her grand opening event at Brownie's cafe, located at 113 Main street.

Effective May 1, Mrs. Johnson became new owner-manager of the restaurant, formerly owned and operated by Mrs. Deane Kohl who has moved to Emmett, Idaho, and gone into business there.

In addition to numerous other entrees, the new owner will feature a chicken and noodle luncheon special on her grand opening day. Free coffee will be served from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and free orchid corsages will be given to the first 100 ladies entering the cafe, beginning at 12 noon.

Mrs. Johnson is not new to the business, nor to Brownie's cafe, as she has been employed there for a number of years.

Representative Smith is Oregon's delegate to the Public Land Laws Review commission, set up by the federal government to determine "if public lands shall be retained and managed or be disposed of, all in the manner to provide the maximum benefit for the general public."

The commission is composed of 12 congressmen, six members-at-large appointed by the President, 25 advisory members representing industry and 50 liaison members appointed by the governors of the 50 states.

Need for Study Increases

Smith said the need for a long-term study was becoming more and more important with the increasing reduction of private land. The latter is due in large part to city expansion, more and wider highways and the population explosion bringing about the use for more home building and industrial expansion. And not to be ignored is the erosion of tillable land from improper care.

He stated that a California economist predicted that by the year 2000 there would be no private agricultural land available for crop production. Then only public lands would be remaining for farm uses, parks and recreation, and for a continuing expansion of homes and industry.

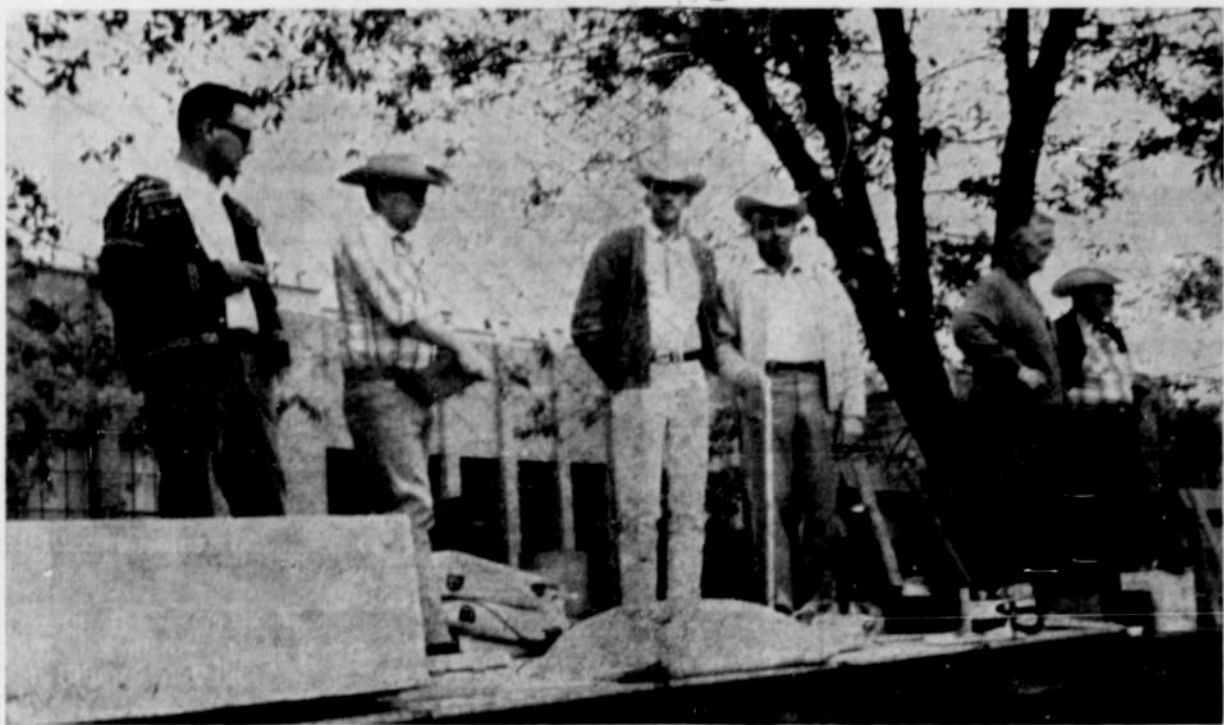
Problems Noted

Some of the problems listed by Smith were: (1) most of the land in question is in the west and most of the population is in the east—so the political problem arises as to what will please the most people. So many in the east, where conditions are so crowded, would like all the land set aside for parks and recreation.

(2) All states share in the division of income from timber and grazing lands of the west without the eastern areas having any problems about a base support for local government.

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Auctioneers Chant County-Wide OMSI Sale



THE AUCTIONEERS' STAND at the successful OMSI benefit sale held Saturday afternoon on the Nyssa elementary grade school campus. These men donated their time and services for the auction which netted approximately \$2,379. The men are (left to right) John W. Jones, Clerk John Ward, Col. Roger Baker, Col. Guy Sparks, OMSI Representative Clint Gruber and Col. Bert Anderson. When this photo was snapped, Gruber was giving a resume of the project to construct an

agricultural wing on the Oregon Museum of Science and Industry building in Portland. He introduced Col. Anderson, who in turn presented the others assisting with the auctioneering duties. Tom Jones, Malheur chairman of the sale to raise the county's \$2000 quota, said he was extremely pleased with the large number of donated items and with the number of buyers on hand. Another picture of the sale activities appears on page seven of this issue.—Journal Photo.

Top NHS Students Receive Honors; Individual Achievements Recognized

Recently released by Nyssa high school officials is a list of the leading 10 scholars for the senior class of 1966.

Activities of Lynda Cundall, valedictorian, and Victor Haburchak, salutatorian, are listed elsewhere.

Patty Urry has taken a very active part in student government and other school affairs. She was freshman vice president, sophomore president, junior student council representative and senior secretary.

Patty is a member of GAA, Pep Club, in which she was activity chairman this year; and chorus, in which she acted as president and pianist this year. She has been an AFS representative for four years and received the honor of being selected as Girls' State representative last year.

Currently, Miss Urry is serving as co-editor of the Bulldog staff and is a member of the stage band.

Lina Flake attended Rio Linda High School in California for her freshman and sophomore years. During this time she had the honor of being cheerleader, sophomore girl of the year and a member of the Topper's Honor Society. Lina has been active in Pep Club and Thespians at NHS. During her freshman year she was an officer in GAA.

As an active member of FHA, Toni Fife served as president of this organization. She was also active in band, chorus, Pep Club and GAA. Toni served on the GAA executive council for two years and as Pep Club sergeant-at-arms.

The honors she has received include a National Merit Scholarship and the DAR Good Citizen award. Miss Fife served as secretary of her class during her freshman year. This year she was selected as Football Homecoming Queen.

Four years as a member of the concert and marching bands of NHS head the list of activities for Judy Nedry. She served as band secretary her junior and senior years. Miss Nedry had the distinction of being in the SRV Honor Band during her sophomore year.

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Morrell Bunn Resigns As Local Manager At Dessert Seed Co.

Morrell Bunn, local manager of Dessert Seed company for five years, resigned effective May 15 to take over operation of a cafe in Garden City, Idaho.

He was replaced by John Studer of the home office in El Centro, Calif., who will move his family here the latter part of June. The new manager was graduated from Cal State Poly Tech at San Luis Obispo with a major in agriculture and has been a plant breeder for the company the past nine years.

During this period he has spent considerably time in the Nyssa area in the spring and summer months. His family consists of his wife and two daughters who will be introduced to Journal readers pictorially upon their moving to Nyssa.

FACILITIES CONSTRUCTED AT AHS ATHLETIC FIELD

The Adrian school board recently approved the construction of men's and women's outdoor rest rooms near the high school athletic field. The agriculture boys are constructing the buildings and report that the project is nearly complete.

HAIR STYLING PROGRAM PLANNED FOR JAY-C-ETTES

A meeting of the local Jay-C-ettes will be held at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, May 24, at the home of Mrs. Dick Walters, 17 North Sixth street.

Mrs. Gary Sant will present the program on hair styling and care.

Dr. Eugene Voris to Deliver Address At Baccalaureate-Commencement Services for 93 Graduating Seniors

Lynda Cundall, Victor Haburchak Earn Top Scholastic Honors for NHS Class of 1966

"Let's Be Different" is theme of the talk to be given by Dr. Eugene F. Voris Sunday evening, May 22, when he addresses the Nyssa high school graduating class of 1966 during combined baccalaureate-commencement exercises.

The evening program is scheduled to begin at 8:15 o'clock in the school gymnasium for 93 seniors.

Dr. Voris' teaching experiences have been numerous and he has served as president of Treasure Valley Community college for the past three years.

Miss Lynda Cundall has earned honors as valedictorian with a 3.90 grade point average. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cundall. During her junior year, Lynda was an officer in Pep club and presently she is secretary of the chorus.

Victor Haburchak, with a 3.88 GPA, will give the salutatory address. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Haburchak and has been active in high school work. This year he received a Bausch & Lomb honorary award and a bronze medal for this will be presented to him at graduation.

Invocation will be given by Bishop Frell Blair of the Nyssa



DR. EUGENE F. VORIS ... Varied Teaching Experience



LYNDA CUNDALL ... Graduates With 3.90 GPA



VICTOR HABURCHAK ... To Give Salutatory Speech

LDS First Ward. It will be followed by the traditional salutatorian and valedictorian speeches, given by Victor Haburchak and Lynda Cundall, respectively.

A quartet, comprised of Susan Schenk, Marilyn Lewis, Lina Flake and Toni Fife, will sing "May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You" and "Graduation Day." They will be accompanied by Patty Urry. An instrumental solo will be performed by David Nishitani.

Walter McPartland, superintendent of schools, will introduce Dr. Voris. Following his address, Charles Quinowski, class adviser, will award scholarships to several graduates.

Principal To Introduce Class

Principal Gene Chester will introduce the graduating class and Ray Larson, chairman of the school board, will present diplomas to the graduates.

The Alma Mater, "Hail, Blue and White," will be sung by the audience. Then the benediction will be given by the Rev. Ralph

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Three Teachers Sign For Adrian Positions; Two Vacancies Listed

Glenn Ward, Adrian school superintendent, reports that three teachers were recently hired for the 1966-67 school year. Norman Shire of Richmond, Kan., will instruct commercial subjects in the high school. Carol Schultz of Wilder has been secured as girls' physical education teacher and Edward Undorf of Ashland, Ore., has signed to teach fourth grade. Ward stated that instructors are still needed for third and eighth grades.

SENIOR CITIZENS CHANGE HOUR OF BUSINESS SESSION

Members of the Senior Citizens' club met Friday at the Methodist church in Nyssa. The group voted to change the business meeting time to the morning hours instead of during the afternoon when it had been held previously. Next meeting of the club will be May 27, with place to be announced later.

FHA Students Stage Annual Fashion Display in 'Misty Moonlight' Setting

In a "misty moonlight" setting, FHA members of Nyssa high school staged their "Fashion Mardi Gras" Tuesday evening, May 10, in the multipurpose room of the primary building. The program was under direction of Mrs. Virginia Stefens, organization adviser.

Narrators and script coordinators for the annual fashion display were Laurel Beck and Caren Jackson, with Patty Urry, Marcia Wyckoff and Barbara Fangen providing background music. Jim Ableman and Tom Stringer served as ushers.

An FHA business meeting was conducted during the program with President Cindy Bratton in charge. In addition to regular chapter business, the girls voted to donate \$15 to Lions club members for their concession stand project at the high school athletic field.

Miss Linda Ballou sang "In the Misty Moonlight," accompanied by Lorraine Wilson at the piano. A quartet comprised of Susan Schenk, Marilyn Lewis, Lina Flake and Toni Fife vocalized "If I Loved You," with Patty Urry as accompanist. A piano solo was presented by Vicki Peterson.

Awards Presented to Members

During the awards program, JoAnn Durfee was presented the junior homemaker's degree. Recipients of pin and guard jewelry

PLAYERS TO SIGN MONDAY FOR PEE-WEE BASEBALL

Young boys of the Nyssa area who are interested in playing Pee-Wee baseball during the summer are asked to sign up at 6:30 Monday evening, May 23, at Nyssa south park. Coach Gerald Simantel stated that boys age 8 through 10 are eligible for this league.

Proud TV Winner . . .



MRS. ANGIE COOK, a native of Malheur county and a 55-year resident of Nyssa, was winner of the color television set given away Saturday afternoon by eight downtown Nyssa firms. The Journal publishers join with many others who have remarked that the prize went to a most deserving Nyssan. Not only has she been a longtime Nyssa resident, but she has been an active worker in various local organizations and community affairs. Her deceased husband, A. V. Cook, served 18½ years as Nyssa police chief and her four children attended local schools and were graduated from Nyssa high school. The drawing was held immediately following the Thunderegg Mall dedication ceremonies by City Manager Fred Koch. Also on the program were selections by the NHS Pep band, under direction of Frank Turner. Performing with the musicians were Susan Hartley and Jo Strickland, twirlers of flaming batons. The sponsoring merchants have stated that they were well-pleased with the large crowd present for the dedication rites and that reception of the new parking mall by area residents has been most gratifying.—Journal Photo.

Nyssa Weather . . .

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.
May 11	71	46	—
May 12	73	43	—
May 13	68	45	—
May 14	58	39	.07
May 15	67	36	—
May 16	70	41	.04

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