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NHS Principial Chester Tells Registration Time

Nyssa high school student registration dates for the 1967-68 school year will be August 22, 23 and 24 in the high school building, it is announced by Principal Gene Chester. All students are urged to cooperate by observing the following schedule.

Tuesday, Aug. 22 seniors and juniors whose last names begin with letters A through D, between the hours of 8 and 10 a.m.; those whose names begin E through I, 10 a.m. to 12 noon; M through P, 1 to 3 p.m.; Q through S, 3 to 5 p.m.

Wednesday, Aug. 23, seniors and juniors with last names beginning T through Z, 8 to 10 a.m.; sophomores whose last names begin with letters A through H, 10 a.m. to 12 noon; I through S, 1 to 3 p.m.; T through Z, 3 to 5 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 24, freshmen with last names beginning A through M, 8 a.m. to 12 noon; N through Z, 1 to 4 p.m.

Provisions will be made for families with a number of children desiring to register at one time. All students are asked not to wait until the first day of school to register, the principal added.

Opening day of school for all Nyssa students will be Tuesday, Sept. 5 with classes to convene during the morning hours only. The first full day of classes will be Wednesday, Sept. 6.

Freshmen are required to

have a physical examination before school starts. All doctors in Nyssa have the necessary forms for this examination, or they may be picked up at the high school office.

Physical examinations for scout camps and ets. will be sufficient, however, the forms must be completed and signed by a doctor.

Freshmen are also advised to check with their physical education teachers before purchasing their PE clothes.

According to NJHS Principal Dan Martin, junior high students may register anytime during the day on the same dates as those listed for the high school.

Someone from the Tupelo Staff will be in the halls during registration so that students may pay for next years annuals at that time.



An overall scene, showing over half of the display tables and Sunday afternoon visitors at the 1967 rock exhibit staged in the Nyssa school cafeteria during Thundersregg Days. In addition to the many specimens on display, there were also rock dealers on hand with items for sale. They can be seen at the rear of the building, with the ceramic section on the left hand side of the photo. Visitors entered from two doors leading into the cafeteria, however, registrations were made at only one. That list of visitors during the three-day show totaled 2,044. —Staff Photo.

COUNTY VALUES \$200 MILLION FOR FIRST TIME

The total assessed valuation in Malheur county has reached an all-time high of over \$50 million, according to County Assessor John Koopman. This is an increase of almost \$2 million over the previous year. This means that the true value of taxable property in the county exceeds \$200 million as the assessed value is only one fourth of true value.

Koopman said real property went to \$36,180,760 for a net gain of \$1,679,448; personal property dropped to \$8,370,809 for a loss of \$54,703 while utilities increased \$160,325 to a \$5,722,396 total.

These totals are net and do not include exemptions, the assessor noted.

Ontario and vicinity accounted for a great portion of the gain through industrial, commercial and home building, according to Koopman. He said he would have a complete breakdown by districts later this month.

New Insurance Law Hits Farmers Jan. 1

All farmers and ranchers with a payroll of \$1,500 or more for the year will be required to carry workmen's compensation insurance on their employes, beginning January 1, 1968.

The penalties under Oregon law are rather stiff for those not complying with the Act on and after January 1, 1968, warns John Hayward, general manager of the Oregon Farm Bureau Insurance company.

The severest penalty, Hayward pointed out, is that an injured workman can have all the benefits of the act, and at the same time, bring legal action for injuries against any non-complying farmer or rancher.

Workman's compensation insurance protects the employee during the course of his employment for medical and disability benefits. It also provides employer protection against any liability from the employee.

"Thus," said Hayward, "the farmer or rancher protects himself by purchasing workmen's compensation bill was passed by the 1965 Oregon legislature.

Williams said Farm Bureau has talked to several individual companies and the State Workmen's Compensation department was the only one which

could give the Farm Bureau a group plan with a special group rating for general farming.

Although final details remain to be ironed out, Hayward said a group plan will provide membership with a better rate. Oregon Farm Bureau Insurance company agents will be working directly with Farm Bureau members on the new program.

Hayward said the Farm Bureau insurance sales force will work with the State Compensation Department, handling the selling, auditing and engineering, while the SCD is to process claims.

The Farm Bureau is going all-out to alert farmers and ranchers of the important law changes so no one will get hurt.

64 PERSONS DIE ON STATE ROADS DURING JULY '67

Sixty-four persons lost their lives on Oregon's highways during July bringing this year's total to 366 dead, according to the Oregon Traffic Safety Commission.

Twenty-eight of the 64, or 44 per cent were killed during the four-day July 4th weekend. Last year, 13 were killed over the holiday which ran for three days.

Seven deaths occurred in Lane county. Jackson county listed six dead, and six persons were also reported killed in the Portland-Multnomah county area.

Nine of the accidents caused multiple deaths, and nine involved excessive speed. Twelve persons were thrown from their vehicles. Five of the sixty-four dead were pedestrians.

Has Eye Surgery

Miss Cookie Cole is undergoing surgery this morning (Thursday) at the eye clinic of the University of Oregon medical center in Portland, it was reported by her grandmother, Mrs. Pauline Church.

A picture of Cookie and her Idaho State Fair prize-winning sweater was published in a recent issue of the Gate City Journal.

Of the dead, 26 were under 25 years of age. Seventeen victims were in the 25-50 age group, and 21 were over 50.

Seventy-nine persons were killed during July last year. This was fifteen more than this year.

Nursing Wing Bid Openings Held In Nyssa

Pheral Dodson, Malheur Memorial hospital administrator, said Wednesday afternoon that the article carried in one of the area dailies was in error. It said the sprinkling system would add approximately \$30,000 to the cost of the proposed nursing wing, but this was provided for in the original specifications. The additional cost is due to the insistence of the State Fire Marshall that this be done in the old part of the hospital since it also figures in the remodeling program.

Bids for construction were to be opened at 8 p.m. last night (Wednesday) and the board has awaited this before discussing plans for financing any additional cost due to the ruling of the fire marshal.

Dodson said the information referred to above and carried in the daily was not given out by any of the hospital authorities.

MALHEUR EDUCATOR NAMED TVCC HEAD

The Treasure Valley Community college board of education appointed Doctor Emery J. Skinner to the presidency, in a regular board meeting Monday evening. Skinner succeeds E. F. Voris as the five-year-old institution's second president.

Doctor Skinner, known as Bud, is no stranger to Malheur county. He taught grades 7 and 8 and was principal of the Jordan Valley school from 1954 to 1957.



DR. EMERY SKINNER

For the next two years he was elementary and secondary supervisor for the Malheur county intermediate education district. And from 1959 to 1964 served as Malheur county superintendent of the intermediate district.

He will finish his dissertation this summer at the University of Oregon in Eugene to culminate doctoral studies, spanning the last three years.

Skinner attended Idaho Falls high school, graduating in 1945. He then earned a BA in 1951 at Idaho State college, Pocatello. His MA was earned at Colorado State college in Greeley.

His undergraduate and masters majors were speech and drama; his doctoral program has been in administration.

Doctor Skinner is finishing a case study dissertation entitled "Emerging Patterns of Development in Oregon's Community Colleges."

"Bud" and his wife Jeanie have three children; Chris, 13; Robert, 9; and Jon, 6.

Scouting has been Skinner's special interest as has fishing and woodworking. He is an active participant in civic organizations and he once served on the city council of Vale.

Family Of Former Nyssan Visits Area

Wednesday morning visitors at the Journal office were Mrs. Grover (Cleo) Brooks, Kyle and Cecile; Mrs. L. E. Bolt and Leland Jr. (Brownie) of San Diego, Calif.

They were in the area visiting the L. E. Bolts at Emmett. They are parents of Mrs. Bolt's husband.

The fivesome also planned to spend some time at McCall, and while in Nyssa called on Mr. and Mrs. Tom Eldredge. The elder Mrs. Bolt and Mrs. Eldredge are cousins.

Mrs. Brooks' husband, Grover (Cleo) is a former Nyssan and a son of John and Ruth Brooks. He, his six brothers and sisters attended Nyssa schools before the family moved to American Falls, Idaho a number of years ago.

The Brooks reside at 2735 Boundary St., San Diego, Calif. 92104.

Stationed In Japan

S/Sgt. Leonard Krause, formerly at Malstrom Air Force base in Great Falls, Mont., is now stationed at Yokota AFB near Tokyo, Japan.

He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Krause of Nyssa. His wife, Karen and family are presently residing in Caldwell and plan to join him in Japan as soon as he finds suitable housing.



ROBERTA MORROW, a 12-year-old Nyssa seventh-grade student and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Morrow, was winner of a bicycle given away Saturday afternoon during Nyssa's Back-To-School promotion. When asked what she thought when her name was called Roberta said, "I just couldn't believe it! My brother got a new bicycle not long ago, and of course I wanted one too. But mother said I would just have to wait awhile, and I know they are quite expensive." —Journal photo



MRS. VIRGIL (MARTHA) KRAUSE was lucky winner of a portable television set at Nyssa's Back-To-School drawing for prizes. Merchants in charge conducted the drawing on the Thundersregg parking mall Saturday afternoon at the southwest corner of the Main and First street intersection. On the wall above Martha's new TV set is a colorful oriental picture sent to her by a son, Jerry, while he was stationed in Japan. —Staff Photo



MARIAM KUNKEL (the bride) and KATHY SHELL, with the knot about to be tied by Kathy's marryin' canine, Lobo. This (sorta) attractive, and cute) trio took grand prize honors in Nyssa's Back-To-School parade staged Friday. They were also first-place winners in the costumes division. Kathy Kunkel and Judy Porter took the second

place award in this category, with Candy Bybee and Pamela Rhoades capturing third place honors. (This Journal reporter just discovered that Laila Ayyoub, David Lowe and company, Mary Ann and Jackie Chadwick were first, second and third place winners in the 'PETS' division instead of 'COSTUMES'. —Journal Photo.

Ore-Ida Plant Reports Major Command Shift

Frank Armour Jr., vice chairman of H. J. Heinz Co., was named chairman of the board and chief executive officer of Ore-Ida Foods, Inc., Monday, with responsibility for all Ore-Ida operations, Dale McLane, public relations chief, reported Monday. F. Neph Grigg, president of Ore-Ida Foods will serve as advisor for Armour.

Fundamental differences in operating policies have prompted a number of executive changes and R. Bert Gookin, president of the H. J. Heinz Co. Monday accepted the resignation of Golden Grigg, vice president of raw product procurement; Otis Williams, vice president of production; Vanessa Anderson, vice president of farm operations; Glenn E. Call, vice president and treasurer, and Ross E. Butler, secretary.

Continuing to serve in their present executive capacities will be F. E. Osborne, vice president of administration and David Berleson, vice president of marketing and sales.

Gookin stated that all marketing sales and field and factory operations in all company locations will continue as scheduled and any changes in organization responsibility will be at the direction of Armour and will be communicated to all Ore-Ida personnel.

Frank Armour was formerly president of the H. J. Heinz Co. and was elected vice president of the Heinz Board in 1966 with responsibility for coordination of the company's domestic subsidiaries including Ore-Ida. Heinz acquired Ore-Ida in 1965.

Back From Hawaii

Miss Lois Spitze returned this week after spending seven weeks in Hawaii.

She spent six of those weeks studying at the University, and visited points of interest on the islands.

Lois plans to spend two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Spitze in the Arcadia area. She will then go to Medford to attend the wedding of a friend, Georgia Hubbard.

The bride-to-be was named Oregon State Dairy Princess two years ago.

Miss Spitze will then go to Lake Oswego for her second year there as elementary school teacher.

THE WEATHER

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.
Aug. 2	95	64	—
Aug. 3	99	58	—
Aug. 4	97	62	—
Aug. 5	95	65	—
Aug. 6	93	60	—
Aug. 7	82	59	—
Aug. 8	89	51	—
Aug. 9	—	49	—

OWYHEE RESERVOIR STORAGE

August 9, 1967 442,360 Acre Ft.
August 9, 1966 365,720 Acre Ft.

ATTEND
THE COUNTY FAIR
AUGUST 16-19



CO-CHAIRMEN OF THE 1967 ROCK SHOW. They are Ed Prun (center) and E. L. Sumpter on right. This photo was snapped Sunday afternoon as they visited with Vaughn Hyde, a guest exhibitor from Nampa, formerly of Arco, Idaho. Both local residents and out-of-area visitors together with other members of the sponsoring Treasure Valley Rock and Gem club, are to be commended for a 'job well done'. —Journal photo