



THIS LAD MAY NOT HAVE BEEN THE tallest or largest in the Nyssa rodeo parade but he was among the 'speediest' ones. In fact, the Journal photographer tried to take a shot of him and another youth driving a similar 'four-wheeler', but found that it just couldn't be done. The unidentified lads were stationed to 'bring up the rear' of the parade and it supposed that their 'speed-demon' noise might have frightened some of the numerous horses in the line-up. - Journal Photo.

### NEWS FROM BIG BEND

BY GOLDIE ROBERTS

**BIG BEND** - Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bennett and Janel Wood returned home Sunday evening from an outing to Fish Lake. They accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bob Webster of Adrian. Mrs. Jesse Higgins was pleasantly surprised Sunday evening by the arrival of two of her sisters. They are Mrs. Lois Grisham of Denver and Mrs. Elizabeth Martin of Los Angeles. They left for their homes last Thursday evening. Terrell and Ellis Teter, John, Ben, Joe and David Witty served as palbearers for their grandfather, William Teter. Judy Pickett and Shirlene Teter sang as a tribute to their grandfather. Frank Byers of Oregon Trail visited on the evening of July 9 with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Byers and sons. Jolly James met on the afternoon of July 10 at the home of Mrs. Darrell English. There were eight members present. Also in attendance was a guest, Mrs. Imogene Carpenter and daughter of Ontario. Erle and Mark Mausling took a brief vacation last week when they spent several days fishing on the North Fork of the Malheur river near the Prairie City guard station. Mr. and Mrs. Ricks Gale and children of Boise visited Sunday afternoon in the Chet Smith and Arthur Gale homes. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Byers and sons left on the morning of July 9 by plane for their home in Greenville, Mich. A family picnic was held in their honor on the previous day at the Jesse Higgins home. Among guests were Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Hall and sons of Payette, Mrs. Jim Hollingsworth and daughters of Boise, Mrs. Lois Grisham and Mrs. Elizabeth Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Joe King of Baker arrived recently to attend the William Teter funeral rites. King was one of the honorary bearers. The Kings also called on Mrs. Ted Avery. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cartwright received recent word of the July 1 death of Ed Abbl at McMinnville. Burial was made July 5 at Portland. The Abbl's lived, where the Arthur Gale's now reside, about 35 years ago. Gayle Clucas attended a recent junior church camp session at Warm Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bauman and sons of Nyssa were recent Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Van deWater. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Strong and family of Anaheim, Calif., visited recently with her niece, Mrs. Dick Bennett and former neighbors in this area. Friday evening they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chet Smith. Mrs. James McGinnis and Miss Helen Hatch visited Saturday afternoon with their sister, Mrs. Hazel Ferguson of Parma at Caldwell Memorial hospital. Mrs. Ferguson underwent surgery on July 9. Mrs. Ray Cartwright returned home recently from a two-week visit with her grandchildren in Longview, Wash.

Mrs. Boyce Van deWater. Mr. and Mrs. David Whitman and family of Seattle were recent two-day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chet Smith. The men are cousins. Mr. and Mrs. David Witty and Sarah left Friday for their home in Okanogan, Wash. Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Van deWater, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Clucas and family attended a July 14 Baptist Sunday school picnic at the Parma park. Mrs. Dyre Roberts and Mrs. Edythe Prosser attended recent funeral services for Doc Howard in Caldwell. Later Mrs. Roberts visited her mother, Mrs. Florence Henderlinder at Nampa. Mrs. Athol Sayre of Elgin, Ore., visited July 11 with Mrs. Dyre Roberts. Mr. and Mrs. David Witty and Sarah, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Witty, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Witty were recent evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Witty. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cartwright visited July 9 with Mrs. Naomi Wright in Nampa.

### "Not Quite So Simple" Title Of New Book By Senator Mark Hatfield

From the viewpoint of his own career which has taken him from political science professor, to Governor of Oregon, to U. S. Senator, Mark O. Hatfield, in his political autobiography cautions both politician and citizen against the dangers of the "easy answer." "Layman and political newcomer often misjudge the degree of difficulty in legislative problems and are inclined to overlook the hidden complexities and settle for the simple solution. "This same error of oversimplification may sometimes be found at the opposite end of the scale, in the very highest councils of government, not for lack of contact with the expert but sometimes wiser public," states Senator Hatfield in his book detailing his career. Titled "Not Quite So Simple," it was published on July 12 by Harper & Row. One of the first in political life to speak out against our involvement in Vietnam, Senator Hatfield believes that the war has been one of the areas which has been subjected to oversimplification. Not only was the Administration guilty of campaign misrepresentation, but they have consistently distorted the true nature of the conflict in Southeast Asia, says Senator Hatfield. Although Ho Chi Minh is a Communist, his primary thrust and appeal to the Vietnamese has been on the basis of nationalism. There is little convincing evidence to support the idea that Ho's forces were primarily motivated in their fight against the French, by a desire to spread Communism. More clearly the facts indicate that the Vietnam were motivated by a desire to rid Vietnam of foreign influence and to unify it under one government, writes the Senator. The current conflict was caused by the refusal of South Vietnamese leaders to provide the people with the kind of government they wanted. Because of this, the war was, and still remains basically a civil war. Even if Ho withdrew all his troops, today, and stopped sending supplies to the South, the social injustices which caused the South Vietnamese people to take up arms against their government would not have been eliminated. "The guerrilla war will continue until the government has militarily and permanently

policy on the war the Senator states, "Those who question the loyalty of the dissenters often subscribe to a perverted patriotism based on a commitment to 'my country right or wrong.' I would caution these people not to confuse patriotism with blind endorsement of bad policy. . . . I am sure that among the responsible dissenters there is none who would not prefer to be supporting our President's policies in a time of national crisis. We don't enjoy being forced to conclude that our government is not being honest with its citizens." Having come to politics from the academic world, the Senator was soon made aware of the contrast between the abstract solution and practical application. Relating in his book the variety of issues and problems which have confronted him throughout his years in politics, Senator Hatfield continually stresses the importance of understanding every aspect of a problem and for refusing compromises born of political expediency. - Harper & Row Publishers.

### Garden Club Women Slate McCall Tour

ANK garden club women held their July breakfast meeting at the home of Mrs. Arie Bakker, with Mrs. Tom Nishitani as assisting hostess. Mrs. Bakker, president, was in charge of the business session during which a discussion was held concerning the patio project for the nursing home wing at Malheur Memorial hospital. Planning was begun for the club's booth at this year's Malheur county fair. ANK women will be in charge of flower division registration at the 1968 fair. After the business meeting, Mrs. Carl Powers gave a program entitled, "Border of Mass Planting". Next meeting of the group will be a field trip to McCall on Tuesday, August 6; and the women will leave at 8 a.m. from M and W market's parking lot. A luncheon will be served at McCall's Shore Lodge. Senior Citizens of the area held their regular meeting July 11 on the lawn at the home of Dr. and Mrs. John E. Long. During the business session, a note of thanks to the Longs was read. It expressed appreciation from the group for kindness and consideration of the host and hostess who invited members and their friends to hold their summer meetings on the beautiful grounds at their home. Next meeting will be at 10:30 a.m. July 25 at the Longs' home, and those attending are asked to take sack lunches. Those not having transportation may call the member who usually takes them and let them know they are planning to attend. - Lois Council, reporter.

### GEM CLUB MEETING

Members of the Treasure Valley Rock and Gem club will hold their regular monthly meeting at 7 p.m. Friday, July 19 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Corey. This will be a potluck picnic, with each one attending asked to take own table service.

### Rebekah News

District meeting of the Vale, Ontario and Nyssa Rebekah lodges will be held Thursday, July 18, with registration beginning at noon. The session will start at 1 p.m. in the Nyssa IOOF hall. Mrs. Theron Wheeler is district meeting chairman. Rebekah Assembly President Blanche Imel of Portland, will make her official visitation to Nyssa's Yellow Rose Lodge # 202 at 8 p.m. Thursday evening, July 18 in the Nyssa IOOF hall.



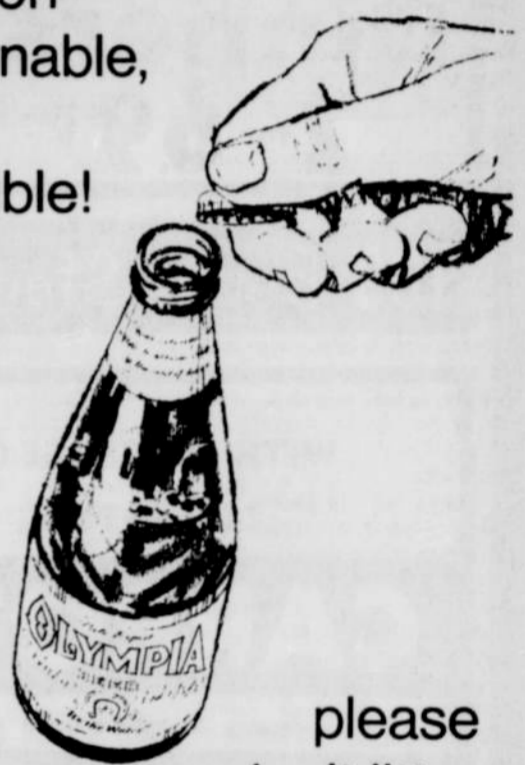
### At Malheur Memorial

JULY 11 - To Mr. and Mrs. Gonzalo Mendoza of Ontario, a seven-pound, fourteen-ounce girl, Maria Luisa. JULY 12 - To Mr. and Mrs. Max Whitaker of Vale, a seven-pound, fourteen and one-half-ounce boy. JULY 12 - To Mr. and Mrs. Mersed Guardiola of Nyssa, a seven-pound, eleven and one-half-ounce girl, Raquel. JULY 15 - To Mr. and Mrs. Panfilo Rios of Nyssa, an eight-pound girl, Michele Rene. JULY 15 - To Mr. and Mrs. Julian Laca of Parma, a girl. JULY 16 - To Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Lacy of Nyssa, a girl. JULY 16 - To Mr. and Mrs. William Keeney of Nyssa, a girl.

### At Holy Rosary

JULY 14 - To Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Hendricks of Nyssa, a girl.

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