



GEORGE ROTH

George Roth recently returned to Nyssa from St. Paul, Minn., where he attended a three weeks' course on co-operative business management. He was sponsored by Nyssa Co-op Supply where he is employed. The intense course was conducted by Farmers Union Central Exchange and covered merchandising, accounting, business law, credit policies and general business management.

ONION ACREAGE DOWN

The Malheur County, Oregon-Southwestern Idaho shippers met at their regular weekly meeting in Ontario on Thursday, June 19. At this meeting the following onion acreages were reported for 1969 with a comparison of the onion acreages in 1968:

	1969	1968
Yellows	6,900 Acres	7,500 Acres
Whites	950 Acres	1,450 Acres
Reds	169 Acres	119 Acres
Transplants	92 Acres	70 Acres
TOTAL	8,111 Acres	9,139 Acres

This year's acreage for Malheur County, Oregon-Southwestern Idaho as reported by area shippers is approximately 1,000 acres less than for 1968



Recent visitors in the Howard Myrick home were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cruson of Ontario, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Coons of Juntura, Lucila Coons of Medford, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Myrick and Vicki of Pendleton. The Howard and Jerry Myrick families, Mr. and Mrs. Max Dane and daughter of Phoenix were July 2 evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gib Holmes and Jolene. The Dane family left Thursday to return home accompanied by Russel Myrick who plans to remain for an indefinite time in the Arizona city.

John, Susan and Ann Eldredge, children of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Eldredge, left Monday morning to return to their home at Arcadia, Calif., after a 10-day visit with their grandparents, Mrs. and Mrs. Tom Eldredge.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson and family returned home June 29 from a week's trip, via Yellowstone park, to Great Falls, Mont., where they visited their son-in-law and daughter, Airman and Mrs. Ray Erland. While there, the Nyssans toured Maelstrom Air Force Base where Wilson had been stationed for three years during World War II. They also visited many other places of interest as it had been 24 years since the Wilsons resided there.

Marilee remained with her sister during the July 4 weekend when she accompanied the Erlands and his parents, Mayor and Mrs. Walter Erland of Aurora, Ore., on a trip to Glacier park and Alberta, Canada. Marilee plans to return home this week, via jet.

An income is a sum of money it costs you more to live than.

Couple Submits Resume Of Trip

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kurtz report that the valley looks very beautiful to them after a three-month absence. No area that they have been in has the versified farming found in this community.

The Kurtz couple left Newell Heights March 22 for a warm spot in the south. They spent almost a month with their daughter, Joyce Leonard and family in Phoenix. Their home is on North Mountain, overlooking the city, with many vacant lots for the Kurtzes to park their trailer house on. The weather was warm at times, but for the most part was ideal.

After leaving Phoenix they spent two weeks in a trailer court out of Camp Verde enjoying country living. Petrified Forest and Painted Canyon National monuments were seen for the first time.

A long weekend visit with the Don Hanna family in Ganado was especially enjoyed. They had met the Hannas in Ethiopia when they visited their son and family in 1957-58.

The Presbyterian church established a mission in Ganado, among the Navajo Indians years ago and the church in Adrian has had some small part in helping with the work there. To visit Ganado and see the work of the church there has been a dream of Mrs. Kurtzes for years. Both Mr. and Mrs. Hanna have worked among the people there in the school, church and hospital before they went to Ethiopia and the last two years on their return to the states. The organization HOPE will be taking over the hospital the first of July. The church will continue with the high school which is a boarding school. Several little churches have been organized in outlying areas of the reservation. They are the responsibility of the church in Ganado.

Grand Canyon is a beautiful place to be in May, they reported. Camping was not crowded, and the weather was perfect, except they did call for campfires in the evenings. These travelers settled for a helicopter ride into the canyon some 3,000 below the rim, instead of the mule ride they always dreamed of taking. Church services are conducted each Sunday at several different times and places to accommodate the crowds that come to the Grand Canyon. Three million people visit this magnificent canyon per year and during the summer some ten seminary students come to help the protestant minister. Many youth programs are in effect. The Catholic church and Latter-day Saints also hold services.

May 28 found the Kurtzes back in Oregon with their son, Bill and wife, Idamary. They attended the Commencement exercises at Merrill again this year as Bill had been invited to give the address for this class of seniors who had gone all the way through the grades under his principalship. Bill is principal of Altamont junior high school in Klamath Falls.

Graduation exercises at Central Point, Ore., with Elaine Kurtz was one of the seniors, found the grandparents present. A long weekend with this family then on to Portland where they again parked their trailer house in the back yard of the Dudley Kurtzes. Time was also spent with the Irene Kurtz family, not too far from their son's home. The rose parade, was under cloudy skies but no rain, was the highlight of the weekend. Seeing the inside of the ship, Sperry-mother ship to a destroyer unit added to their education on ships.

Janet Kurtz, a nurse in training and daughter of Bill and Idamary Kurtz, visited with them from College in Seattle and then returned for a job.

The desert is beautiful in its way, the mountains are so green and inspiring, but to farmers the valleys are devoted to supplying food for the world and are far the most interesting and "alive," they say. "Too, it is time to go fishing" so they left Monday for just such an outing.

The last of July the Kurtzes' son, Harold and family will be in Adrian and the valley as they were asked to take a short summertime furlough so it would not be necessary to train someone for his position the next few years. They arrived in New York on the 18th and will be visiting and speaking enroute west. September first will find them flying back from Portland to their work in Ethiopia.

NEWS FROM BIG BEND

BY GOLDIE ROBERTS

BIG BEND - Mrs. Darrell English and Mrs. Dyre Roberts visited the afternoon of June 27 in Emmett with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hutcheson and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blamire arrived June 24 for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Smith. Their three children returned home to Gooding with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bennett and Lori used their pickup recently to help Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jones and family move to Oregon City.

Mrs. Mary Auker is staying with Mrs. Lester Auker and family in Homedale, since her son has been hospitalized, following a June 22 airplane accident.

Mrs. Dyre Roberts and Mrs. Edythe Prosser visited June 25 with Mrs. Florence Henderlinder in Nampa. They also visited with Mrs. Ruth Shank, who had broken her leg.

Susanne Hill of Boise, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Varner Hopkins is ill and confined in bed at this time. She became ill while visiting her grandparents.

Larinda and Lauri Reed of Boise are staying with grand-

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Van de Water, while their parents are on a business trip to San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Riggs were June 25 evening visitors in the Dyre Roberts home.

Mrs. Ricks Gale and children of Boise and Kelly Slaybaugh of Emmett were June 29 visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Smith. Mrs. Gale brought her new son for grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gale, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Smith to see for the first time.

Several from this area attended the June 28 bridal shower for Miss Vicki DeHaven in Adrian.

Mrs. Dyre Roberts accompanied Mrs. Sharon Krause to Nampa, June 28 to see Mrs. Florence Henderlinder, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Douglas.

On June 23 Mrs. Alan Bennett entered the Caldwell Memorial hospital, where she underwent back surgery, June 24. She is improving nicely at this time.

Mrs. Dyre Roberts visited the evening of June 28 with Mrs. Earl Winn at the Mark Purcell home in Parma.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Blackburn of Nyssa were June 29

dinner guests of their granddaughter, Mrs. Dick Bennett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell English and Eleanor visited June 29 with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Don Boren in Nampa. They also saw the Borens' two new grandchildren, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Knutson and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Asselin.

Mrs. Mildred Beckley and her five children of Lind, Wash. arrived June 26 to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller and family spent the recent weekend at Burgdorf, Ida., where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Ted Holly.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Higgins and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Byers and sons attended a recent family picnic dinner at the Shorty Hall home. Mrs. Eudora Hollingsworth and family also attended making the Higgins family all present.

Roswell Baptist Mission Circle women met June 26 with Mrs. Lester Campbell. Mrs. Boyce Van de Water gave the lesson entitled, "A Hiding Place in the Day of Trouble".

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bennett and Danny returned the evening of June 26 from a week's fishing trip spent at North Fork of Malheur river.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Van de Water and daughters of Fruit-

land visited June 29 with Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Van de Water.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Higgins attended the June 29 evening golden wedding anniversary celebration of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Higgins in Nampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Riggs visited the evening of June 29 with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bennett.

A diet to reduce the risk of heart disease should include more meals of chicken, turkey, veal and fish, which are low in saturated fats, and no more than five meals a week of beef, lamb, pork or ham, says your Oregon Heart Association.

Mrs. Jesse Higgins was a June 28 afternoon visitor of Mrs. Bill Howe in Roswell.

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