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### Annual 70's Banquet Jan. 21

The Annual 70's Missionary Fund Raising Banquet will be held Friday, January 21, at the Nyssa LDS Stake House at 7 p.m. Ham, baked potatoes and all the trimmings, are on the menu for \$5.00 per plate, and you can go back for seconds. There will also be a program and door prizes. Everyone is invited to attend and help this very worthwhile fund raising project.

### PASTORAL FAMILIES

#### MEET AT MANLEYS

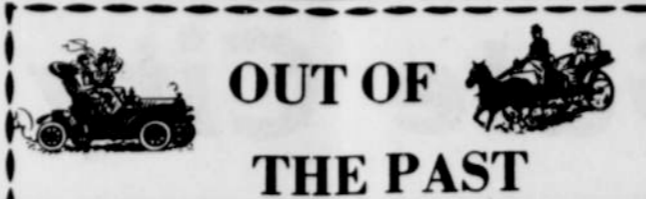
Local ministers and their wives spent Monday evening at the Nazarene parsonage with the Robert Manleys. A project of the local ministerial association, the gathering provided an opportunity for the pastoral families to become better acquainted and to share a meal and fellowship. Present in the group were the Bill Lewis's of Faith Lutheran Church, the Erlene Johnson's of First Christian Church, the Carl Lassiter's of the Pentecostal Church of Christ, the Fred Moxom's of Owyhee Community Church, along with the Manleys. Sickness and other schedules hindered more complete attendance from the families involved in pastoral responsibilities in the community.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday School, classes for all ages, 9:45 a.m.  
 Morning Worship Service, 11 a.m.  
 Sunday evening, CYF, for all Jr. and Sr. High youth, 6:30 p.m.  
 Sunday evening, 5th and 6th grade group, 6:30 p.m.  
 Sunday evening, Bible Study, (Special study now on the Devil) 7:30 p.m.  
 Wednesday, Choir practice, 7 p.m.  
 Wednesday, Bible Study, 8 p.m.  
 Friday, Good News Club, for children of all ages, 3:30 p.m.

### LETTER TO EDITOR

Editor, The Journal:  
 Hi! Dirick,  
 Thanks for sending us the Journal and please continue. We read it with the eagerness of two completely displaced "urchins."  
 We've tried skiing, basketball games, plays, symphonies, even Senior Citizens. It's fun watching our grandson 6' 7" play ball.  
 We're heading south tomorrow, but our daughter, Mary Lou will enjoy the Journal until we return.  
 Best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year.  
 Nelda Schenk  
 237 E. 200 So.  
 Orem, Utah 84057  
 P.S. Susan and Lon named the new one Angela Christine.



### 10 YEARS AGO

Marine Master Sgt. William L. Graham, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Wernick of Nyssa, was graduated in third place Dec. 8 from a six-week Recruiter's School at Marine Corps Recruit Depot at Parris, island S.C., according to a release from depot headquarters.

Thomas Clyde Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth T. Smith, will be honored Sunday, January 14, at a farewell testimonial service at Owyhee Ward of the LDS Church.

Comprised of 17 selected high school musicians, an "all-star" band was organized at the University of Nevada stage band clinic held last weekend in Reno.

Of the 17 selected students, seven of them were from the Nyssa band, according to Robert Q. Smith, instructor. Those placing were Roger Maulding, first alto saxophone; D.L. Fife, second tenor sax; Mike Jefferies, baritone sax; Dick McPartland, second trombone; Michael Off, third trombone; Judi Bingham, string bass and Sondra Holmes, vocalist.

### 20 YEARS AGO

Nyssa and vicinity contributed approximately \$1200 toward the March of Dimes Wednesday, with indications that the area will reach its goal of \$2500 by the end of campaign. Mrs. Bobby Burns, elderly Nyssa resident whose meager means of livelihood would not permit her contributing much to the March of Dimes has made a contribution that netted \$238 to this worth while cause.

Mrs. Burns, whose lot in life has not been filled with the luxuries, such as electrically heated blankets, contributed one of her prized possessions, a quilt made by her sister, to her beloved Rebekah Lodge for an auction.

Through arrangements made by Mrs. Walter Fox, Bill Lane agreed to sell the quilt at his Nyssa Livestock Commission Company sale. The quilt was "sold" 23 times, but the bidders were not given possession of the property. The name of each bidder was placed on a list and finally a drawing including 23 names was held. J.E. Brower of Nyssa received the quilt.

Little LaNor Hunter, four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rosel H. Hunter of Nyssa, is receiving treatment to reduce the effects of polio because in addition to her parents other people care enough to help. Mrs. Hunter said she and her husband feel fortunate in that out of three cases of polio in their family the only really bad effect was the crippling of LaNor's arm.

### 30 YEARS AGO

Five passenger car tires and four tubes and 19 truck and bus tires and 16 tubes have been allocated to Nyssa and vicinity under the automobile tire rationing program that has been launched throughout the United States, according to Walter M. Thompson, chairman of the board. The Nyssa rationing board consists of Mr. Thompson, Mrs. A.L. Fletcher and M.F. Solomon.

No applications for tires and tubes for passenger cars will be accepted by the board, except from those having priority ratings.

### Kitchen Planning Workshop Begins In Feb.

A kitchen planning workshop consisting of four evening meetings will begin in mid-February, announces Helen Conner, Malheur County Extension home economist. The series will be held in Ontario at the Treasure Valley Community College Campus.

The series sponsored by the Oregon State University Extension Service is for families planning to remodel existing homes or build new homes. Cabinet men, builders, architects, realtors, and others in the housing industry are also encouraged to attend.

The subjects covered at each meeting are as follows:  
 MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14-8 p.m. General kitchen planning and arrangement, space requirements, working heights, and equipment placements.  
 MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21-8 p.m. Storage requirements and devices. How to plan storage to fit the family's needs.

### 30 YEARS CONTINUED

Those having priorities are fire fighters, police officers, persons engaged in public health and safety work, persons disposing of garbage and those engaged in mail services.

Formal opening of the new Methodist Community Church was held Sunday, January 18 with Bishop Bruce Baxter of Portland as principal speaker.

Possibility of the rationing of sugar to consumers by the government to prevent hoarding was discussed in Washington D.C. this week.

Officials pointed out that there is no shortage in sugar, but that the rationing was being considered to prevent unfair and unequal distribution. Supplies will be sufficient to provide 100 pounds per person per year.

### 40 YEARS AGO

No black, rocky wall marks the end of Tunnel No. 1 on the Owyhee Irrigation Project. Since last night, when T.E. Connolly Co. tunneled into the completed excavation on the J.F. Shea Co. contract, there has been 3.5 miles of electrically lighted tunnel with no blockage of earth in between.

Connolly excavated the upper half, running from Owyhee Reservoir, and Shea completed boring of the lower half a week ago. It was reported today that the two sections were off but a thousandth of an inch. The contractors have been at work since April, 1930.

Prohibition is 12 years old. In celebration of the birthday of temperance law, the Nyssa W.C.T.U. gave a delightful chicken dinner Tuesday night complimentary to the teachers of the Nyssa school at the home of Mrs. Leon Higby, president. Members of the W.C.T.U. assisted. The dinner was delicious.

Postmaster Dean Smith is issuing the new George Washington stamps in honor of the 200th anniversary of the birth of the "Father of Our Country," being celebrated throughout the nation this year.

### 50 YEARS AGO

At a banquet held in the Hotel Western, Wednesday evening the business men of Nyssa met and after eating their well prepared dinner, got down to business and completed the organization of their Commercial Club. There were covers laid for thirty-five, but owing to the absence of a few men from town, there were only twenty-eight members signed up as charter members, and of these all but two or three paid their semi-annual dues in advance, and about \$48.50 rolled into the hands of the financial secretary and there will be more to come.

The club will hold meetings on the first Wednesday of the month and directors of the club will meet as often as called to transact business. The directors are: F.D. Hall, president; Chas Eder, vice-president; James Dement, Jr., secretary; Dr. E.A. Nixon, finance secretary; E.M. Blodgett and J.P. Dunaway.

### OBITUARIES

#### Suye Takami

Services for Mrs. Suye Takami, 81, a long-time resident of Nyssa who passed away Jan. 13 while visiting relatives at San Fernando, Calif. were held Jan. 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the West Los Angeles Buddhist Church. Concluding services and interment were at Yakima, Wash.

Survivors include five sons; Sonny Y. Takami, Nyssa, Harry Takami, Ontario, Ted Takami, Mission Hills, Calif., Jim Takami, Culver City, Calif., and Albert Takami, San Fernando, Calif.; three daughters; Mrs. Sally Oshinomi, Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. Yoshiye Taguchi, La Puente, Calif., and Mrs. Thelma Hamamura, Ontario; and 28 grandchildren.

#### Florencia Ocamica

CALDWELL—Florencia Ocamica, 77 of 510 Dearborn Street, died Saturday, January 15, at a Caldwell hospital.

Mass was celebrated at 10 a.m. Wednesday, January 19 at St. Mary's Catholic Church with the Rev. Fr. R. V. Echevarria, officiating. Rosary was Tuesday, January 18 at 8 p.m. at the Dakan Chapel in Caldwell. Burial was at Canyon Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Ocamica was born Sept. 22, 1894 in Ereno, Spain. She was raised in Spain and came to the United States in 1916. She married Guy Ocamica Aug. 7, 1916 in Boise. The couple farmed in the Big Bend community of Oregon until 1968. Mr. Ocamica died August 4, 1968, and Mrs. Ocamica moved to Caldwell where she had since resided. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church.

She is survived by one son, Tony, of Parma; two daughters, Virginia Corn, of Parma and Regina Ocamica, Caldwell; two brothers, Ernest Arrizabala, Emmett and Ponciano Arrizabala, Hometown; one sister, Carmen Churrua, Marsing. There are also two sisters in Spain, Paula and Agueda, and four grandchildren.

#### Mrs. B. Lauritzen

Word has been received that Mrs. Bill Lauritzen of Eugene passed away recently. Funeral services were conducted January 7 in Eugene. Mrs. Lauritzen is a former resident of Nyssa. She is survived by her husband Bill, who at one time was manager of Eder Lumber Yard in Nyssa.

### FIRST WARD RELIEF SOCIETY

The Nyssa First Ward Relief Society will hold their Cultural Refinement lesson, Wednesday, January 26, at 10 a.m. The lesson will be presented by Becky Bates, entitled "I Will

### ATTEND CHURCH

#### FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH NOTES

Newly elected officers of Faith Lutheran Church Council and Faith congregational officers are: Joe Martin, chairman; Mrs. Robert Fungen, 1st vice-chairman (nurture); Harold Kassman, 2nd vice-chairman (operations); Dr. K.A. Danford, 3rd vice-chairman (outreach); Mrs. Walter Looney, secretary; Mrs. Joe Martin, treasurer; Mrs. Harold Kassman, financial secretary. They were elected at the Church Council meeting January 12. Congratulations.

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
 Morning Worship, 11 a.m. with installation of officers and Sunday School staff.  
 Bible Study, Revelation 7, at the parsonage, 8 p.m.

The Luther League of Faith Lutheran Church of Nyssa and Grace Lutheran Church of Vale will meet at the church in Nyssa Wednesday, Jan. 26 at 7:30 p.m. This will be a study meeting continuing with a survey of the teaching and beliefs of different denominations. All interested youth (grades 8-12) are invited to attend.  
 Faith Lutheran is located on the corner of 5th St. and Park Ave. William Lewis, pastor.

#### CONSERVATIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

The annual business meeting and election of officers of the Nyssa Conservative Baptist Church was conducted last week. Encouraging reports were given by every department of the church showing increased attendance, participation and giving.

Newly elected officers included Chet Brown, deacon; Dee Stam, deaconess; Larry Bauman, Sunday School superintendent; Clarence Page, assistant superintendent; Patty Imada, Sunday School secretary; Jim Robinson, treasurer; Otto Bauman, head usher; Dee Stam, church clerk; Harlan Meyer, financial secretary; and Lois Page, historian.

Important plans announced for the near future included the ordering of rock for veneer on portions of the south and west ends of building and participation in the Eastern Oregon CBA Men's Fellowship Crab Feed at Baker on January 28. The speaker at the Fellowship meeting will be a Christian business executive from Salem.

Fear No Evil for Thou Art With Me." The objective, to arm ourselves against the forces of fear and hatred with the joyful assurance that God is our refuge and strength. A baby sitter will be provided.

#### ADRIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH

NEWELL HEIGHTS—The Women's Association met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Verl Bishop in Big Bend. There were 16 women present. Mrs. Bishop had the devotionals. Mrs. Raymond Wilson installed officers for 1972. Roll call was answered by the friendship calls made during the past month. Mrs. Bill Toomb presented the program.

Tea towels and pillow cases were passed out to be embroidered for the bazaar next winter. A dish for the least coin was passed. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Edna DeHaven February 10.

On Wednesday evening, a nice crowd attended the potluck supper followed by the congregational meeting. It was held at the school cafeteria. Reports of the past year were distributed and election of officers was held.

#### NAZARENE CHURCH NOTES

The Sunday School will enjoy its monthly special feature at the close of the study hour next Sunday. Superintendent Janice Wilson will be giving an illustrated lesson at that time, and will also explain details of a three Sunday attendance booster emphasis. The picture she will draw next Sunday will be given away at the close of the period, on February 13.

A brief church business meeting will be conducted during the morning service next Sunday morning providing opportunity for the members of the church to vote regarding the renewal call for Pastor Manley to serve the local congregation beyond the close of the present church year. This is a periodic responsibility of the church, this time coming at the end of a two year call, making a total of five years of ministry here for Rev. Manley. The church is preparing for a series of special services to begin on January 30, continuing through Sunday, February 6. The special speaker for this series is to be Rev. Lawrence Bone from Alhambra, Calif. Rev. Robert Manley.

#### SECOND WARD RELIEF SOCIETY

The Second Ward Relief Society will meet Tuesday Jan. 25 at 10 a.m. Cultural Refinement lesson to be given by Cleo Williams, entitled "I Will Fear No Evil for Thou Art With Me." The objective is to arm ourselves against the forces of fear and hatred with the joyful assurance that God is our Refuge and Strength.

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