

SUNSET VALLEY ACTIVITIES

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SUNSET VALLEY - Mr. and Mrs. Ken Lorenson and Harriet and Gloria left on Friday November 10, for Yakima, Seattle, Bremerton and Tacoma area for a visit with friends and relatives. Saturday was spent with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eklund at Wapata Washington. Sightseeing included Space Center, Monorail, Science Center, at Seattle and a ferry ride to Bremerton where they were overnight guests at the John Taylor home Sunday. Monday morning was spent sight-seeing at the Bremerton Navy Yard where there were many War-ships at Anchor including the heavy cruiser "Missouri" on which the Japanese Peace Treaty was signed in Tokyo Bay. They toured that with a guide. Monday and Tuesday was spent at the home of Mrs. E.H. Hart in South Seattle and they visited W.M. and Mrs. Jess Asumendi.

Hart Tuesday evening at the Veterans' Hospital where Harriet and Gloria presented a musical program in the recreation room. On the return home they visited the Ken Abbes' in Mt. Vernon Wednesday evening.

Dry roads and clear weather prevailed, throughout the entire trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Price were dinner guests Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Price in Ridgeview. After dinner all went to Homedale to attend the Honor Band and Choir Concert, which was held at the high school gym.

Mr. and Mrs. S.J. Neal and daughter Patty and son Kevin of Lostine, Oregon, Mrs. Junior Belveal, Frank, Christine and Tony Asumendi were guests for dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Asumendi.

Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Ekaner were weekend guests November 12-13 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cleaver in Pocatello, Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Astoreca and Carmen were among those attending the Honor Band concert at Homedale Saturday evening. Audrie Astoreca was a participant in the choir.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lorenson, Mrs. Harriet Turner of Owyhee and Gloria, Harriet Lorenson were guests at the Twilight in Vale on Election Day where they honored the birthday of Mrs. Lorenson. Mrs. Lorenson remembers when Woodrow Wilson was elected president on her birthday. It was during war-time pressures.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Routh of Seattle who have been visiting at the Ira Price home left Friday for Arizona where they expect to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Price attended a Pomona Grange meeting at the Big Bend Grange hall Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Hoaglund of Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Lorenson were dinner guests at the Palomino in Ontario Friday, honoring the birthday of Mr. Hoaglund. Lorenson and Hoaglund were school pals during the earlier years while living in Nebraska.

Harley Wilson, Bill Wilson of Roswell, George Wilson and Mrs. Lester Zurcher of Roswell were among those who attended the memorial services held Friday at Moses Lake, Wash. for Pete Wilson a relative and former resident of Sunset Valley. The family is well known here and we sincerely extend our sympathy.

Rev. Kenneth Himple of the Twin Falls Baptist Church and a former pastor of the Owyhee Community Church officiated at

the memorial services which were held Friday at Moses Lake, Wash.

Tri-Valley Extension meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Culbertson with Mrs. Gary Nielsen as co-hostess. The lesson on "Fondue Cooking" was demonstrated by Mrs. Nielsen. Approximately eight members were among the attendance.

Pat Smith was a Sunday visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wood attended a banquet at the Eastside, Saturday honoring A.L. Baker who this summer retired from the employment with the North Board of Control of the Owyhee Irrigation District after serving 37 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hite and daughter, Tammy are visiting this week at the home of Mrs. John Reflett.

death of Pete Wilson, a former early settler of this area. Mr. Wilson and family moved to Washington area, and has since resided there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Asumendi attended the concert at Homedale Saturday night of honor bands and choirs. Curtis, Frank and Louis were among the Adrian students who participated in the program. Larry Price was also an Adrian member of the band or choir.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mitchell and Mrs. Walter Hillis were guests at Shakey's for Sunday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Ike Mitchell were Sunday evening visitors at the Denton and Henry Mitchell homes.

Mrs. Floyd Derrick was a visitor the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wood.

NU ACRES HAPPENINGS

NU ACRES - Mrs. Daylene Peterson from the Extension office in Payette County gave a "Men's Knit Pants" workshop Tuesday afternoon. She gave the second lesson Tuesday the 21. There were 12 women in attendance. Mrs. Ben Payne served cookies and coffee, also punch.

Mr. and Mrs. Syl Woodland from Arena Valley visited the Ben Paynes Tuesday evening and played pinocle.

Mrs. Tony Mell went to Seattle with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cole of Nampa. Mrs. Mell will be visiting her son and his family, the Larry Tuckers.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Keck went to Caldwell and Boise, Wednesday. Mrs. Lou McDroe has sold

her farm to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Benson and three children formerly of northern California. They have been living in Payette. Their three children are going to school at Fruitland.

Mrs. McDroe bought a small acreage over on highway 52 on the other side of New Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Jenkins and children of Huntsville, Utah visited his mother Mr. and Mrs. George Pulspher last week.

Mrs. Carroll Shodeen and Mrs. Robert Shaw visited Phyllis Shaw at the St. Alphonsus hospital Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shaw had Sunday dinner in Ontario with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Anderson.

OUT OF THE PAST

10 YEARS AGO

Checks totaling \$2,459,000 will be mailed Friday by the Nyssa office of Amalgamated Sugar Company to beet growers of the area. This amount covers the initial payment for beets harvested from Nov. 1 to 15, inclusive, with 470 growers as beneficiaries. With the \$3,785,000 mailed Nov. 14 the company has released \$6,244,000 to farmers of the area within a 10-day period.

Mrs. Alf Daniels was winner of a probable sewing machine given Nov. 13 by the New Home Company at the Merc Store in Nyssa.

20 YEARS AGO

This week's Gate City Journal is published with newly purchased equipment installed last week as part of the newspaper's expansion program in keeping with the growing community it serves.

A four-page newspaper press has been installed to replace a two-page press that has been in the plant for many years. In addition to printing twice as many pages in one operation, the newly installed machine has a speed approximately 50 percent greater than that of the old press.

A folding machine also has been added to fold papers as soon as they come off the press to speed up the output many times. Heretofore, all folding operations have been done by hand with as many as 35-man hours required for one week's issue of the newspaper. The new machine can do the operation in approximately two hours time with two persons operating the folder for a total of only four-man hours.

"Hillcrest Cemetery" is the new name selected for Nyssa's long unnamed burial place by a special committee of the Women's Civic Club it was announced at the organizations regular meeting Wednesday.

Mrs. H.R. Sherwood, who with Mrs. Campbell Baer and Mrs. C.W. Buchner made up the committee, stated that 28 different persons submitted proposals for the cemetery's name and that four of the suggestions were for Hillcrest.

30 YEARS AGO

The question of whether the nation should have a manpower dictator was discussed at the weekly luncheon of the Lions Club Monday noon.

One member opened the discussion by saying that the government drawing men into the armed services and defense industries attracting more men had "gutted" the farms of manpower.

The farmers are unable to get men to replace those who have been called and cannot satisfactorily do all the work that is to be done. Malheur county has been particularly hard hit.

Farmers in this vicinity, the Lions believe, will reduce their acreages next year unless they see some signs of getting labor.

40 YEARS AGO

With a big dance and dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks Van Twisk Monday, friends complimented Mr. and Mrs. Dick Voys on their 25th wedding anniversary. They were delighted with a wide array of gifts. Attending the party were Mr. and Mrs. Klaas Laan, C. Van Zelf family, C. Bloker, Klaas Stam, Annie and John Stam of Nyssa, Conrad Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vendal, Mr. and Mrs. John McDonough and the Nick Smit family of Arcadia. Mr. and Mrs. Artie Smith and children and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Katt of Vale and Mr. and Mrs. Luit Stam of Big Bend.

Everyone who attended the operetta "Polished Pebbles," at the Methodist Community Church Friday night was agreeably surprised by its excellence. Youthful leads were splendid, soloists unusually good. No little new talent displayed and the cast was well trained.

50 YEARS AGO

Application blanks for 1923 licenses have been mailed by the secretary of state to all motor vehicle owners in Oregon, so as to permit them to apply for and receive such licenses before January 1, 1923. Motor vehicle owners will avoid much trouble, annoyance and

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KINGMAN KOLONY - Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Peterson and family of Homedale were Sunday evening visitors at the Herschel Thompson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Thompson went to Boise Sunday and were guests at a birthday dinner at the Rex Walter's home honoring Mrs. Herschel Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Herb Andrews and family of Everett Washington were also dinner guests.

The Pollyanna Club will have their Christmas pot luck dinner and gift exchange Thursday, December 7th at the home of Mrs. Donna Wedd in Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. Klaas Laan left last Thursday for Holland where they will visit their parents, brothers and sisters and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitch Anderson and boys of Ontario and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Conant and Janet were Sunday dinner guests at the Willis Conant home.

Chuck Bowers of Hood River came Saturday evening to spend the Thanksgiving week with Mr. and Mrs. Chas Bowers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thiel and family of Boise were Saturday evening dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Fox.

Mrs. Myron Osborn, Mrs. J. Rosborn and Mrs. Bill Toomb attended the Home Extension meeting at the home of Mrs. Audrey Franklin in Adrian Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Piercy played cards in the Elsie Diven home in Nyssa Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arden Atkinson of Parma visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Piercy Saturday evening.

Mrs. Bill Toomb attended coffee Klutch at the home of Mrs. K.L. Peterson in Adrian Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Robb attended the Parade of Homes in Nyssa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ward visited Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Robb Sunday afternoon.

unnecessary delay by promptly applying for their 1923 licenses upon receipt of the application blanks. Deferring applying for licenses until about the first of the year only congests the work of the secretary of state's office and may result in the arrest of car owners by traffic officers for failure to have the 1923 licenses on their cars after January 1st next. Licenses plates will have a dark blue background and white figures and letters.

COMING EVENTS

SATURDAY, NOV. 25 - ANK Garden Club, Holiday arrangements, Parma Community Center, 1 p.m.

SUNDAY, NOV. 26 - ANK Garden Club, Holiday arrangements, Parma Community Center, 12 noon.

MONDAY, NOV. 27 - Hospital Auxiliary, hospital dining room, 2 p.m.

TUESDAY, NOV. 28 - TOPS #494, Adrian High School, 7:30 p.m.

Yellow Rose Rebekah Lodge, IOOF Hall, 8 p.m.

Messiah practice, school music room, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 29 - Arcadia Club, home of Mrs. Clyde Bowers

THURSDAY, NOV. 30 - Messiah practice, school music room, 7:30 p.m.



When an Ocean-Going Salmon Knows His Home Address, How Do You Get Him to Change It?

That's a good question except for an ichthyologist (who knows the answer already), but the question has been answered—on a grand scale—this year in Idaho. Perhaps you haven't noticed.

Since Idaho Power Company started building its Hells Canyon dams late in 1955, we have had the responsibility for conserving the salmon and steelhead runs arriving at the lowest dam-site. From the beginning we used the advice of experts, experimenting with fish traps and other devices—then arrived at a decision to attempt a unique solution.

We and the cooperating Idaho Fish and Game department would re-locate the annual runs of both species, transplanting them permanently from the Hells Canyon of the Snake to the watershed of the Salmon river—the spring Chinook salmon over the Seven Devils range of mountains 125 road miles to the Rapid river, a Salmon river tributary, and the steelhead across Idaho 500 road miles to the Pahsimeroi river, another tributary! All of this took some doing.

Idaho Power financed three hatcheries—at Oxbow in Hells Canyon, at Rapid river and on the Pahsimeroi—plus the modern rearing facility at the Niagara Springs in the Snake river canyon near Buhl, plus the tank trucks needed to haul fish on their trans-state and shorter journeys.

Idaho Power also pays for the program and contracts with the Idaho Fish and Game department for operating the hatching and rearing facilities, which are manned by the department's skilled personnel.

The game plan relied upon the natural instinct of anadromous fish to return to the place of their origin for spawning after a sojourn in the ocean of two or three years' duration.

It involved trapping the fish at the Hells Canyon dam-site, hatching their eggs and moving them many miles to new homes—salmon to the Circle C hatchery on the Rapid river near Riggins, steelhead to the Niagara Springs—where they would be nurtured and fed in rearing ponds. After achieving early growth, they would be released to Salmon river tributaries; the steelhead to travel another 225 miles in aerated tank

trucks to the Pahsimeroi river. These points of release became points of origin for the fish—the question was whether they would remember their new home addresses. It would require several years to find out.

They did remember. Since the first year of adult salmon return from the ocean in 1968, the Circle C hatchery has received more than 4,000 fish every year. In 1972, a record 13,000 salmon returned!

These salmon have provided some ten million eggs this year in excess of the hatchery's capacity to accommodate them. They were used by the Idaho Fish and Game department in their program to rehabilitate and enhance salmon runs in other parts of the state, notably in the watershed of the Clearwater river.

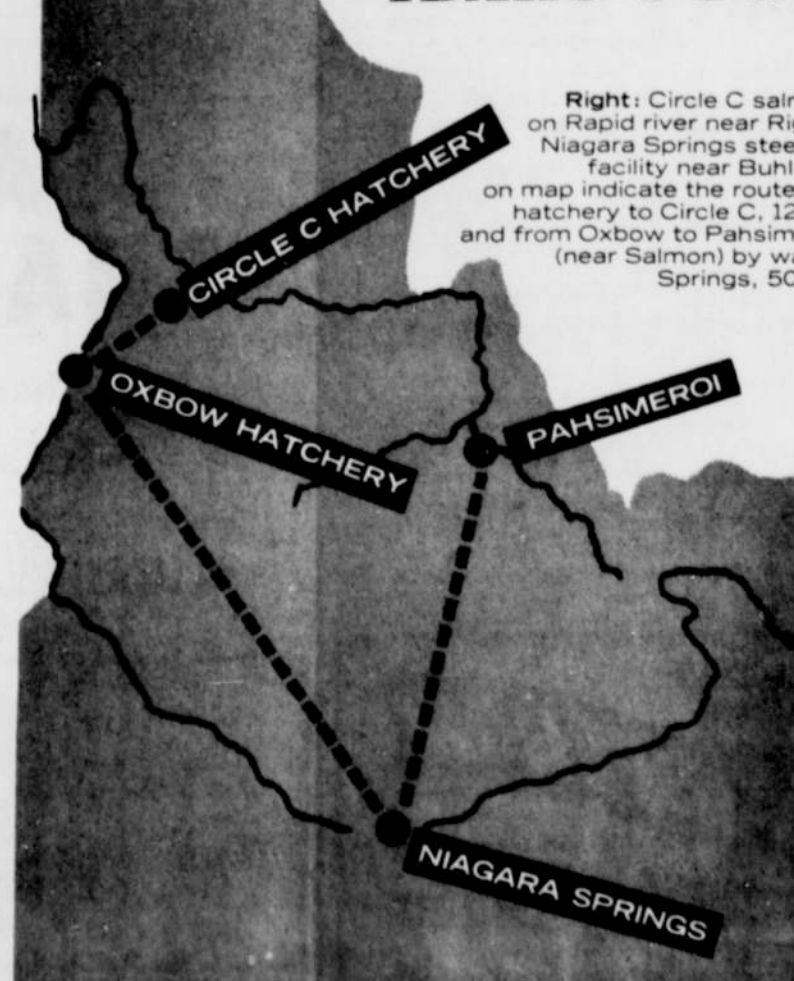
The harvest by sports fishermen was improved in the 1972 season, too, with the release of more than 4,000 mature salmon into the Little Salmon river. The fish and game department increased the seasonal catch limit from 5 to 10 fish to better harvest the surplus.

As to the steelhead, Idaho enjoyed an excellent fishing season in the fall of 1971 and spring of 1972. Furthermore, some 4,600 adult steelhead returned to Idaho Power Company's Pahsimeroi river hatchery near Challis. This return provided the first evidence that translocating the Snake river steelhead run to the Salmon river watershed is a successful fish conservation program.

The more than eight million eggs taken by Idaho Fish and Game department technicians from steelhead returning in 1972 provided a bonus of nearly five million eggs for use by the department to enhance steelhead runs elsewhere in the state. Five million eggs is the 1972 excess over the three million needed at Idaho Power's Niagara Springs hatchery.

We hope for continued success with Idaho sports fishery in years ahead—despite the obstacles salmon and steelhead face outside the boundaries of Idaho on their round-trip to the Pacific ocean. In fact, it appears one of those obstacles—the problem of nitrogen saturation—may be alleviated in a practical manner by massive plantings in Idaho waters and the resulting return of an abundant fish resource.

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Right: Circle C salmon hatchery on Rapid river near Riggins; below: Niagara Springs steelhead rearing facility near Buhl. Dotted lines on map indicate the route from Oxbow hatchery to Circle C, 125 road miles, and from Oxbow to Pahsimeroi hatchery (near Salmon) by way of Niagara Springs, 500 road miles.



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