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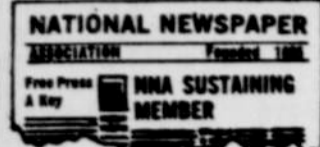
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Jim Robinson Benefit

Once again the heart and help of a small community has been extended to a family in need. We refer to efforts now underway to help the family of Jim Robinson.

Almost everyone knows Jim. Young and personable, he has been the local Farmers Insurance Agent for the past eight years. During this time he has been active in the business and community affairs of this city.

As a child, Jim had hepatitis, and has suffered from its effects on and off ever since. Two years ago he was hospitalized for four weeks with liver failure.

During the months of January and most of February he was hospitalized in Portland while undergoing two very extensive and serious operations. Due to the extended nature of his illness, Jim has not been able to secure additional insurance, and his present insurance has been exhausted.

Several weeks ago, a money tree was established, and several hundred dollars in donations were received. Much more is needed, however, and a group of friends have organized a committee to help in a much more substantial way.

Sunday afternoon a musical show will be presented at Nyssa High School Cafeteria, featuring the Capital Singers from Boise and a variety of local talent. Everything is donated, and all proceeds go to the Robinson family. Tickets are only \$1.00 and everyone is urged to buy a ticket or tickets, whether or not they can attend the show.

Door prizes of a color television set and a 10-speed bicycle will be given, and both of these valuable prizes were donated. The TV by Parma Furniture and the bicycle by the Nyssa Merc and Nyssa Lions Club.

Jim returned home last weekend, but recovery is slow and it will be some time before he can return to work.

We commend those committee members who have worked so hard to help a friend and neighbor in distress, but it can only be a complete success if all of us pitch in.

Don't Sign Recall Petition

We understand that efforts are being made to recall Circuit Judge Jeff D. Dorroh, Jr. We haven't seen the petitions yet, but we certainly don't intend to sign one, and we urge that you don't either.

The persons circulating the petitions object to Judge Dorroh's actions in two instances, according to news reports. The first relates to a salary increase sought by the judge for his secretary. This is being settled in court, and is a matter of judicial determination.

The second relates to Judge Dorroh setting aside the verdict of guilty against James Brandon, who had been found guilty of five charges of negligent homicide. In this case the judge apparently found that there was insufficient evidence to justify a finding of guilty and this is not only his prerogative but his duty under the law.

Our judicial system and Constitution provide for separation of powers, and the administration of justice should not be the subject of popular vote or recall. According to the Malheur County Bar Association, a judge should have a right to conscientiously make his decision without the threat of a recall petition being filed by those who disagree with him. The Legislature has provided means to appeal the decisions made by a judge through the higher courts, and this is as it should be.

The rule of many is fine for political decisions, but a court decision has to be made by a duly constituted judge and who else is there to protect the rights of an individual in court?

We object to recall petitions being circulated against public officials just because we disagree with them. The recall should only be used where there is proven malfeasance in office. Recalls only destroy confidence in public office, and put neighbor against neighbor to disrupt local government.

Judge Hirai, Sam Hartley and other county officers are just now entering into a new term of county government. They should be allowed to pursue the wishes of the voters and get their feet on the ground, without the cloud of a recall fight hanging over the County Court House.

BLM MAKES OIL LEASE PAYMENTS

The Bureau of Land Management has mailed the State of Oregon a check for \$7,222.69, today as its share of money collected during the last six months of 1972 from mineral leasing on national resource lands, formerly called public lands, within the state.

Oregon receives semi-annual payments of 37.5 percent of the revenue collected by the Bureau of Land Management within the state from mineral leasing bonuses, rentals, and

royalties. Currently there are 200 oil and gas leases in effect on 365,000 acres of national resource land in Oregon. Lease applications on an equal acreage are delayed pending completion of an environmental impact statement required by the Environmental Protection Act.

More than 26 million dollars were distributed by BLM to 23 states with federal mineral leasing programs.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the people of Nyssa,

Although I am not currently a resident of the City of Kuna, I feel that I have the right to speak as an alumni of that community's high school.

I would like to apologize for the incident at Kuna in which a Nyssa player was assaulted by a Kuna resident following the game. I, as well as other Kuna fans are hoping that proper action is taken against this individual.

The incident spoiled what was, up to that point, an excellent basketball game. I think all of the real basketball fans in the gymnasium could see that Kuna was defeated by one of the best clubs to ever play in that structure.

As a former sports editor, I would like to voice the opinion that the Nyssa team could hold its own against just about any team in Idaho, no matter what size the school. And along with being excellent players, the Bulldogs also show some of the best sportmanship seen in the area. The school's cheering section should also be complimented on its sportmanship.

I'm sure that Nyssa too has individuals of the type who caused the problem at Kuna. The type of small minded person who commits such an act in every community. The real Kuna fans hope that you realize that they dispise this type of behavior as much as you do.

Sincerely,
Wayne Cornell
320 7th Ave. So.
Nampa, Idaho

Editor, The Journal:

Please renew my subscription for another year. We always look forward to receiving our "hometown" paper every week, although it is usually a week old by the time we receive it.

We always look for news of the family. None of them are too good to write. They include: Dixie Kinkade, who is my father and in the nursing home there; Laurence & Edna Hansen-his folks; Butch Reece & family-my sister; Pete & Billie Kinkade-my brother.

We haven't been home for 3 years, but hope to make it sometime this summer as we are supposed to get transferred to California.

Glen is a telecommunications installer for Stromberg-Carlson of Rochester, N. Y. so we get to see a lot of country but we still haven't found a place we would rather be, then out in the "good old West."

Sincerely,
Mary Hansen,
Gen. Del.
Westbrookville, N.Y.
12785

St. Bridget's News

SATURDAY - Mass at 7 p.m.
SUNDAY - Mass 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

SUNDAY - Mass at Adrian 9:30 a.m.

The last program in the educational series for adults in Ontario will be Monday night, February 26. The topic is one of great interest: "Whatever Happened to Confession?"

Regular religious education classes continue for high school students on Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m. for grades 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 on Monday afternoon, at 4 p.m.; for grades 1, 2 and 3 on Tuesday afternoon at 4 p.m.

Juniors and Seniors are invited to participate in a "SEARCH" program at Owyhee Lake Resort on the weekend of March 16-18.

Journal Classifieds Bring Results!

ATTEND CHURCH

Jehovah's Witnesses To Hold Bible Training Convention

Jehovah's Witnesses of southwest Idaho and eastern Oregon will hold a two-day Bible training convention at the Boise South Junior High, March 3-4 according to L.N. Barton, circuit overseer of Oregon circuit #5.

Barton said Oregon circuit #5 has been divided into A and B sections because it was difficult to find facilities on a regular basis for a gathering of 1600 to 2000 delegates. The B section will hold their circuit convention at La Grande, Oregon, March 10-11.

Theme of the Boise "A" convention is "Do All Things For God's Glory."

The first session is scheduled for 9 a.m., Saturday, March 3.

The main address will be Sunday, March 4 at 2 p.m., when district overseer and convention chairman, W. H. Green is scheduled to speak on the subject of "Deciding Now for Divine Rulership."

The convention is expected to draw 800 delegates. About 200 of these will staff the 20 departments to provide services for the conveniences of the delegates, Barton noted. According to Barton, announcement will soon be made of those who will head departments and participate on the program.

He added that all sessions are open to the public and no collections will be taken.

NAZARENE CHURCH NOTES

THURSDAY - (tonight) Golden Hour Missionary Chapter will meet at the Coate-Allmon home; Mrs. Elsie Martin is Chairman of this group and an interesting lesson is being planned-7:45 p.m.

SUNDAY - Sunday School Bible Study classes for all ages, 9:45 a.m.

Service of Worship---11 a.m. with Bible Message by Pastor Manley.

Alabaster Box opening--This is a unique offering, essentially a personal love gift to the Lord, a thank offering for His Salvation so freely given. Since its beginning in 1948, Alabaster Offerings have helped to build churches, clinics, schools and homes for Missionaries so they can carry on their work in Foreign Fields.

Family Hour---Adult, Teen, and Junior groups meeting at 6:00 p.m.

Evening Gospel Hour featuring good music and an inspiring message by the pastor.

TUESDAY - Young Women's Bible Study at the home of Mrs. Mary Hawkins--9:45 a.m.

WEDNESDAY - Mid-week Service with Caravans, Teens and Adult Bible Study-7:30 p.m.

Prayer by Thomas a' Kempis: "Grant me, O Lord, to know what I ought to know, to love what I ought to love, to praise what delights Thee most, to value what is precious in Thy sight, to hate what is offensive to Thee."

Prepare for World Day of Prayer on Friday, March 2.

---Robert W. Manley, pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

WEDNESDAY - Choir Practice, 6:55 p.m.

THURSDAY - Women's Bible Study, 9:30 a.m.

FRIDAY - Good News Club for children of all ages, 3:30 p.m.

Bible Study, 8 p.m.

SUNDAY - Sunday School Classes for all ages 9:45 a.m.

Morning worship - 11 a.m.

Sunday evening Youth groups meet at the Church - grades 4 through High School 6:30 p.m.

MONDAY - Each Monday evening 6-8 p.m., fun and games at the old gym.

Latin Assembly

Sunday, church activities begin with Sunday School at 10 a.m., followed by worship service, 11 a.m.

Sunday night service, 7:30 p.m.

Bible Study every Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.

Royal Rangers, every Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.

Young people's service, every Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

OBITUARIES

Daniel Van Scoy

Daniel Amos Van Scoy, 58, of La Grande, a carpenter for Glico Construction Co., Inc., died Tuesday, February 13, 1973 at a La Grande hospital.

Born in Wilder on April 14, 1914, the son of Daniel and May Van Scoy, he married Nellie Jean Schweizer on December 31, 1938, at Caldwell. He was a member of the Christian Church. He had lived at La Grande for the past two years.

Survivors include his wife, of La Grande; a son, Daniel A. Van Scoy, Portland; a daughter, Mrs. Frank (Rena) Cusma, Portland; two sisters, Mrs. J. B. Todd, Portland and Mrs. Arthur Servoss, Nyssa, and five grandchildren.

Services were at Lienkaemper's Funeral Home in Nyssa, Friday, Interment was at the Owyhee Cemetery. Dempsey Funeral Home, La Grande, was in charge of local arrangements.

Nellie Rose Points

Services for Nellie Rose Points, 87, of 300 East Forty-fourth, who died Wednesday, February 14, 1973, at home, were conducted at 10 a.m., Saturday at Alden-Wagoner Chapel by the staff of Followers of Christ Church.

Born February 28, 1885, at Condon, Oregon, she lived her early life in the Crane Creek area and later married Silas D.

Points. They farmed in the Nyssa and Apple Valley area for many years before moving to the Boise Valley where she had lived for about 30 years. She was a member of the Followers of Christ Church. Her husband died in 1957.

She is survived by five sons, Glenn of Baker, Oregon, Ellis of Boise, Howard of Orem, Utah, Harry and Bill Points, both of Oregon City, Oregon; two daughters, Mrs. Oran (Ella) Ostberg of Boise and Mrs. Charles (Evelyn) Pedracini of Oregon City; 39 grandchildren and many great-grandchildren.

Palbearers were Marion Hays, Clyde Perry, John Gates, Raymond Drago, Dennis Cunningham and Bill Brooks.

W. W. I Barracks Auxiliary # 352

Forty-five World War I Barracks and Auxiliary #352 members and guests enjoyed a 1:30 potluck dinner Sunday, February 18 at the Vale Grange Hall.

Visitors were Idaho State President, Esther Beakins of Payette; District #6 Commander, Joe Boyer and wife Josephine; Past Region #8 Commander, Don Reed and wife; Western Conference President Ethel Reed, all of Baker. Miss Susan Jones of Vale was guest speaker, who gave her district winning theme, entitled, "My Responsibility to Freedom."

A Valentine gift exchange was held after several of the visitors gave talks. Commander Joe Moore of Nyssa and President Vivian Lawrence conducted the business meetings. Several Auxiliary members brought fancy aprons to be taken to the State Convention at Lincoln City in June. Also blocks were brought to be made into afghans for the Sam Jackson V.A. Hospital in Portland. The next District #6 meeting will be held in Baker April 15.

Among those reported to be ill are Elva Palmer, Ula Fraser and Minna Conrey.

The next regular meeting will be March 18 at the Vale Grange Hall. At this meeting new officers will be elected.

Nyssa Stake To Hold Quarterly Conference

The Nyssa Stake of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints will hold their quarterly conference February 24 and 25 at the stake center in Nyssa.

The conference is scheduled by the general authorities of the church and will be held under the direction of Dehlin A. Erickson, Stake President. The conference will be honored by the attendance of Ernest Eberhard, Jr., President of the Oregon Mission of the church and George I. Cannon, Regional Representative of the Twelve Apostles.

Leadership meetings will be held Saturday evening at 6:00 and 8:00 o'clock for priesthood leaders and stake and ward officers of auxiliary organizations. Ward bishops will announce specific information regarding attendance to the leadership meetings and all those holding positions affected are urged to attend and receive instruction.

All members of the Nyssa Stake are encouraged to attend the Sunday morning session to begin at 10:00 and non-members are invited.

SUPERINTENDENT'S CORNER

By W.L. McParland

The High School winter sports season is drawing to a close. Football season saw a strong Nyssa team under the leadership of Harry McGinley with a 6-2-1 record. Harry has decided to hang up his whistle after establishing the best win-loss record of any football coach in the history of Nyssa High School.

The basketball team, under the direction of Gerald Talbot, came through with the SRV Championship and a record of 19-3.

The wrestling team under Mel Calhoun's guidance, again produced another winner. They won the Nyssa Invitational and had a fine record of 17-2-2. Good luck follows this weekend, at District and the State Tournament next weekend.

The thing I would like to say is that in each of the above mentioned sports this season the athletes have all put forth good team effort. Never once throughout this year have I felt anything but pride and admiration for their fine performance, spirit, attitude and personal appearance.

JOB'S DAUGHTERS ACTIVITIES

Job's Daughters Bethel #33 held its regular meeting Feb. 15 at the Masonic Hall. Honored Queen Carol Nelson presiding.

Plans were completed for the chili feed and slumber party to be held February 23 at the Masonic Hall.

Initiation will be held at the next meeting March 1. Jobie of the meeting was Connie Barnes.



Have you recently become a Christian ?

If so, where do you go from here ?

Hear these and other questions answered by Evangelist Robert James in a special gospel meeting at the Parma Church of Christ, located at the corner of C and McConnel streets. Brother James will speak to these urgent questions on the evenings of February 21, 22, 23, & 24 at 7:30 p.m. and at Sunday morning worship service at 11:00 a.m. February 25. Come and hear some satisfying answers to urgent questions of the time.

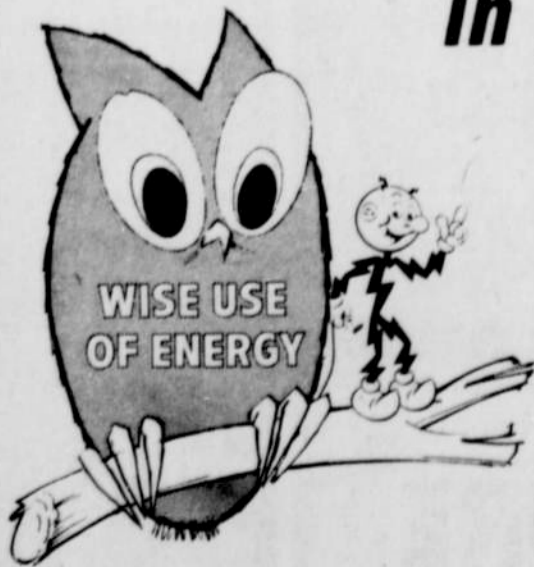
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