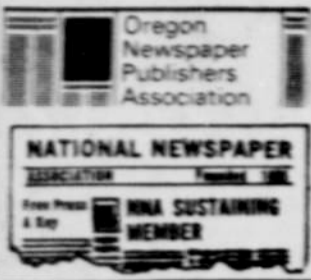


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MALHEUR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL A Report To The People

Gale Christensen, Administrator

How can your hospital best meet the need for more and better health care? How can it provide the best possible health service for you, for everyone in the area?

Your hospital's administrative team, and people like them all over the country, are working to answer these questions. They are preparing now to meet the health requirements of the 1970's. They are working at the same time to solve the financial requirements of the hospital.

Interestingly, they are working on the financial aspect in two directions at the same time. First, they are trying to solve the financial needs of the hospital itself; second, they are striving to solve the problem of giving you the best possible care at the lowest possible cost.

Your hospital is becoming a community health center, a shopping center for all your health needs. Such a concentration of health services will eliminate duplication. This is one way hospitals are planning to meet their challenges. There are other ways, too.

When you check into your hospital in the future, your stay may be brief. Depending on your illness or injury, your stay could be only a few hours. New medical techniques and practices make this possible; you would be an outpatient of the hospital. You could stay at home and visit the hospital only for treatment. What this means to the hospital is that it can use its present space for inpatients who require more intensive care. Outpatient costs

Our Field Trip

On October 11, Mrs. Jan Wilson's 5th Grade went on a field trip. First we went to the Ontario Lion's Park where we ate our lunch and studied some trees.

Then we went to the Argus Observer. There we went into the advertisement office. They told us how store managers advertise things to make more money. They said that half the paper was advertisements and that a full page of advertisements would cost \$320.

We saw the big machine that printed the newspaper, how the machine folded the paper and cut it. We learned that they have eleven motor routes and 59 paper boys and girls. We were there for about an hour.

Last we went to the Payette Central Park to study trees. We made leaf prints and wrote down the names of the trees. We picked up nuts and leaves. We saw blue spruce, horse chestnuts, oak, maple, fir and birch trees. We even saw some squirrels in the park. We had lots of fun.

—Sheila Joyce, Charles Shell, Steven Schoeneman and Alan Bullard—Reporters.

NYSSA STAKE CUB CARNIVAL

Approximately 125 persons attended the Nyssa Stake Cub Carnival October 20.

The flag ceremony was conducted by Park 453, Vale with Connie Weber as cutmaster.

A Halloween hand puppet show was presented by park 425 of Ontario. A Viking Skit, with boys from the audience along with a dragon ship was another feature of the meeting.

Pack meetings followed and awards were presented to cubs and cutmasters.

Clowns, balloons and posters gave the meeting a carnival theme. Each pack was responsible for games.

Games and refreshments were enjoyed by those present.

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LETTER TO EDITOR

Editor, The Journal:

We would like to take this opportunity to extend our sincere appreciation for your help in our attempt to place the new collective bargaining law on the ballot.

The referendum drive was a non-professional effort of interested citizens such as yourself. We worked on a shoe string, but were able to obtain signatures from almost every county in the state.

We are sorry that those who opposed our efforts took upon themselves to be so concerned about people voting on the measure, that they did everything legally possible to thwart our efforts. We are personally sorry that they were afraid to have the people vote on the issue. It was our intention to give the people of Oregon a right to either approve or disapprove of what we feel is a dramatic change in state policy. We hope the law works well although we have grave concerns about it.

Again, thank you for all of your help. It is only through the involvement of concerned persons that the governmental process works.

Victor Akiye, State Senator
 Robert Smith, State Senator
 Anthony Meeker, State Senator

OBITUARIES

Lyda Kohl

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Lyda Kohl, 80, of McMinnville, Oregon who died Thursday, October 25, 1973. Services were conducted at McMinnville, Monday, October 29.

She was born July 9, 1893. She was a member of Eastern Star.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Maids Winebrenner, McMinnville and Mrs. Betty Ann Mathison, Arch Cove, Oregon; two brothers, Richard Butcher, Nyssa and Lynn Butcher, Ogden, Utah; and one sister, Mrs. Evelyn Walters, Kalispell, Montana.

She was preceded in death by her husband W. E. Kohl and one son, William Kohl.

Norman Gregg

Word has been received of the sudden death of Norman Gregg of Ronan, Montana. He passed away Tuesday, October 23, 1973.

Mrs. Gregg is the former Ellen Ann Herrman.

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Church Directory

Reverend Bob's Column

This is another in the series of biographical sketches of the ministers and churches of Nyssa and Adrian.



FATHER BOB SIMARD

This week's pastor is Father Bob Simard. He is the pastor of St. Bridget's Catholic Church. Father Simard grew up around Cambridge, Massachusetts and attended public school there. I asked Father Simard what influenced him toward the ministry. His answer was, "I grew up in a large family with five brothers and two sisters. This has many advantages, one of them being it made me more aware of the needs of others. It seemed natural enough or the right thing to do as a senior in high school to decide to become a priest." The four years of college and seminary went smoothly and so it came as a surprise many years later when Father Simard's own father said, "I never thought you would make it."

In 1956 Father Simard transferred to the eastern Oregon Diocese of Baker and here he plans to spend the remainder of his life. His first assignment as a priest was Ontario. He has served in six other parishes in the Diocese. The last two years have been here in Nyssa. Of his years in the ministry Father Simard says, "The years have been happy and enjoyable ones with the ups and downs every person experiences. I would not have chosen any other way to live and work as I look back over these seventeen years."

Father Simard's recreation is found on the golf course, where I have been told he has a "low handicap." I have heard he has some trophies but he is modest about his accomplishments and so doesn't talk about them.

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St. Bridget's News

Mass schedule, Nyssa: Saturday 7 p.m.
 Sunday: 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.
 Adrian: Sunday: 9:30 a.m.
 Learning Programs:
 For adults the next program will be Sunday, November 11.
 For high school students, Wednesday night at 7:30.
 No class for junior high this week.
 For elementary grades on Sunday from 9:45 to 10:45 a.m.
 Most Reverend Thomas Connolly, Bishop of Baker, will come in December for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Preparation will begin the week of November 11. This will be for adults and high school students. Those already confirmed are invited to share in the preparation.
 Daily Mass is at 11 a.m.

Baker. When Ontario built their first church the priest from there came to minister to the people. In 1951 the Rev. Herbert Ahles became the first resident priest and a basement building on North 3rd across from the Methodist Church was the first church. In 1951, the Rev. John Baumgartner came and during his ministry the church on Locust was started. During the seven years he ministered here the church and rectory was completed. The Rev. Cletus Kirkpatrick was the pastor when the parish hall was built in 1967. Following him was the Rev. Charles Young and Father Simard came in 1971.

The first pastor I met after coming to Nyssa was Father Simard when he came to the Methodist parsonage to welcome me to Nyssa. It was our second week here and my clothes, face and hands were plain smeared while he was in his "visitin' clothes." However his unassuming way quickly put me at ease. I have learned to admire him greatly and the other ministers share my sentiments.

Next week I will tell you of the ministry of Bishop Gary Thompson and the Nyssa First Ward of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

All-Churches Singspirations

The Nyssa All-Churches Singspirations will begin again Sunday evening November 4, after a summer recess, at the Christian Church at 8:30 p.m. Special musical talent from each church will be interspersed with community singing of old and new gospel songs.

Snoopy, the third (second cousin to Snoopy No.1) will be given to the church with the most representatives.

Refreshments and a social time will close the evening's activities.

Preceding the "sing", the Christian Church will be presenting the film "Whispering Mountain" at 7:30 p.m. It is a story of how a Godless uncle was converted and led his visiting nephew to Christ. Everyone is welcome to attend this worthwhile family type show.

NAZARENE CHURCH NOTES

FRIDAY - Women's Prayer Time at the parsonage, 10 a.m.
 SUNDAY - Early morning prayer at the church, 7 a.m.
 Bible study classes for every age group, 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
 Choir practice, 6:30 p.m.
 Evening Gospel Hour, 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY - Young Women's Bible study at the home of Dorothy Patten, 9:45 a.m.
 WEDNESDAY - Caravan groups meet at 7 p.m.
 Teen activities and Adult Bible study, 7:30 p.m.
 Revival time soon ----
 A SPIRITUAL LIFE CRUSADE with Evangelists Mike and Judi Grimshaw is scheduled for November 13 through 18. Keep these calendar dates open so can attend every evening. These services can be channels of spiritual help and blessing, only as you open your life to God.
 —Rev. Robert Manley, pastor.

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LUTHERANS TO HOLD CONGRESS IN BOISE

The Idaho Lutheran Congress will be held this Friday through Sunday, November 2-4, at the Rodeway Inn of Boise, Idaho. The Congress will bring together an expected 700 to 1000 youth and adults from the Pacific Northwest and other parts of the United States. The program features noted Lutheran leaders, a variety of elective courses and small group discussions on Christian themes, and many musical groups.

The event is sponsored by Lutheran Youth Alive, an inter-synodical group bringing together Lutherans from virtually all branches of Lutheranism. The Rev. Kermit Kaczor, St. Paul Lutheran Church of Boise (Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod), is chairman; the Rev. William Lewis, Nyssa-Vale Lutheran Parish (American Lutheran Church), is vice-chairman. The Idaho Lutheran Congress marks the first time that Lutherans from all three major synods (Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, Lutheran Church in America, and the American Lutheran Church) have worked cooperatively in a common ministry of this magnitude. Those planning to attend from Faith Lutheran Church of Nyssa are Terri Young, Nellida Nichols, Betty Jo Wenke, Laurie Wright, Lena Ure, Laurel Ure, Matt Ure, Marsha Galloway, and Brad Ropp, as well as Pastor Lewis.

A Reformation Service and Rally, open to the public, and also at the Rodeway Inn of Boise, will close the Congress on Sunday at 2 p.m., with the Rev. Emil Jaech, President of the Pacific Northwest District of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, as the main speaker.

CONSERVATIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday: November 4, Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. classes for all ages.
 Morning Worship begins at 11:00 a.m.
 The Rev. Roy Webb will speak on "The Marriage Feast of the Lamb."
 Evening Service begins at 6 p.m.
 Hi-Time begins at 7 p.m.
 Monday: Roller Skating for the youth at Nampo. Cars to leave the church at 6:30 p.m.
 Wednesday: Bible Study and Prayer Meeting at the Church at 7:30 p.m.

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH NOTES

Friday-Sunday, Idaho Lutheran Congress, Boise.
 Sunday, 9:45 a.m., Sunday School classes for all ages. 11 a.m., Worship (Holy Communion) (Preaching text- Revelation 7:2-17) (All Saints' Sunday)
 Wednesday, November 7, 6:30 p.m., Confirmation Class 8 p.m., Faith ALCW (American Lutheran Church Women) at the home of Bonnie Hopp, 512 N 8th.

Thought for the week: Jesus said it when talking to His disciples about such things as food, clothing, shelter, etc., "...your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things shall be yours as well." (Matthew 6:32b, 33)

You are always welcome at Faith Lutheran Church, Fifth and Park. Pastor Bill Lewis.



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