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**Tournament Fever High**

Tournament fever is high again in Nyssa, and for the third time in four years Coach Gerald Talbot is preparing to take his Bulldog team to the State Class AA Basketball Tournament in Eugene next week.

Finishing the season with an overall 19-3 record, and with 13 wins against only one defeat in the Greater Oregon League, this year's team has made another remarkable record. The win over Vale Saturday night on Vale's floor might have set the tempo for the big tournament at Eugene starting next Wednesday.

Nyssa fans have supported the team remarkably well all season, many making the long trips to John Day, Burns, Milton-Freewater and The Dalles. Now we hear that many are planning the trip to Eugene, and the players can be assured that everyone who can't go will be glued to their radios for the Nyssa games.

Only the very best make the state tournament. Each of the 16 teams has had many pressure games, several have been in play-offs to earn their spot, and they are all tough. Any one of the teams is capable of going all the way.

We join all the Nyssa fans in wishing Coach Talbot and the players our best wishes, good luck, and the assurance that we are all behind you.



**Letters to the Editor**

Editor, the Journal:

The following letter was sent to President Nixon, Senators Hatfield and Packwood and Congressman Ulman:

Do you really realize what a financial, inflationary mess we are really in? Do you realize what you and the majority of the politicians have done to us beginning with Woodrow Wilson and the Federal Reserve system? The inflation is killing us. Our money has no stability at all. It takes \$185.00 today to do what \$20.00 would do in 1913 and worse than that we have no feeling of security for the future but are frightened that it will get progressively worse.

I am a small business man and our problem is this. We have an inventory that cost us \$75.00. We sell it for \$100.00 and after all labor and expenses are paid we hope to have a dollar profit but when we come to replace our inventory instead of buying it again at \$75.00 it costs us much more so we borrow to replace our inventory and after this has happened two or three times we can't borrow enough to replace our inventory so we are broke. We are out of business. The laboring man who works for wages is in the same fix. He can't keep up with it either.

There are basically five things you need to do to solve this national problem and they are as follows:

- (1) Reduce federal spending.
- (2) Quit spending more money than you get.
- (3) Quit trying to solve the welfare problems and other problems of this nation and the world with money and more money.
- (4) Stay out of business and labor controls and let the free enterprise system of supply and demand take over.
- (5) Get us out of the Federal Reserve system of world bankers and into a solid money system of our own so that a dollar today is worth the same tomorrow or ten years from now.

These things I am sure would not be easy to accomplish but we need a President, Senators, and Congressmen who will rise to the occasion. Someone has said, "There seems to be only one

Editor, The Journal:

Taxpayers, Malheur County:

Despite a \$150,000 increase in state aid over what it was two years ago, TVCC is asking you to vote them a district increase of 8.93% over last year. This will be in addition to the 6% increase you voted them last year. So now you'll be giving them 15% more money than you did in '72 and over 100% more than what you voted for them in 1969. (The student count remains the same.) Where will it stop? I urge you all to go to the polls on March 26 and vote against the budget. I would continue voting "no" until there is a zero increase in the district share this year. Why? Because TVCC was able to pay back a deficit of nearly \$50,000 last year. They have that additional money to work with this year plus all the extra state aid. A few years ago when state aid was down due to less students, at TVCC, we taxpayers responded generously. Now that the state aid has increased substantially (and we pay state taxes, too) TVCC has not offered to let us drop back in our giving but has greatly increased our tax rate.

Please vote "no" March 26th.  
 /s/ Adriana Kunkel

way out of this whole mess. Remove all double-talking, two faced and gutless politicians from office and demand hard nosed fiscal responsibility."

Where do you see yourself in all this?  
 Sincerely yours,  
 /s/ D. A. Erickson,  
 manager,  
 Owyhee Truck & Imp. Co.,  
 Nyssa, Oregon



**4-H ART CLUB**

The 4-H Art Club met in the high school art room March 11 at 3:30 p.m. We had a short business meeting. Then we made 4-H mobiles.

We closed the meeting and Steven Mosqueda served refreshments. The next meeting will be March 25.  
 —Ayde Mosqueda,  
 reporter.

**Reverend Bob's Column**

This is the last of 17 biographical sketches of the ministers and churches of the Nyssa-Adrian area, all written by Rev. Bob Hutchinson. This final sketch is of Reverend Bob himself, and the United Methodist Church of Nyssa, where he has been pastor since June, 1972. (Biographical data submitted by Rev. Bob, and written by Dirick Nedry).



REV. BOB HUTCHINSON

Bob said that one of the earliest churches that he can remember was the living room of the family home on the farm near Vancouver, Washington. His dad and mother secured a minister, who drove out from town, to preach each Sunday in their home. The eight boys, five girls, parents and hired men and close neighbors made a good beginning for a country church. They later purchased and remodeled a dance hall, which had closed down, into a church, and Bob began to realize that he would someday be a minister.

Bob graduated from high school in Beaverton, Oregon and two years later married his wife Carolyn on August 15, 1953. He attended Northwest College in Kirkland, Washington, and after graduation he was pastor of a church in Montana for three years. He then returned to Oregon and attended Linfield College in McMinnville, and graduated from Oregon College of Education in Monmouth with a Bachelor of Science in Education. After pastoring in both Montana and Oregon he took a two-year leave of absence from the ministry and was principal of a Salem area school just prior to coming to Nyssa in June, 1972.

Reverend Bob and Carolyn and their children Dawn, 14, and Randall, 10, have fallen in love with Eastern Oregon. Carolyn and the children own three horses, and last summer they traveled over 200 miles in the desert on horseback with friends, with Bob hauling food and supplies to horses and family.

The United Methodist Church was established in Nyssa in 1894, and the first pastor was the Reverend T.W. Atkinson. His pastorate was a circuit including Nyssa, Owyhee and Vale. Church in Nyssa was first held in a small building, which also served as the first schoolhouse, on the northwest corner of Third and Main.

The first church building was built in 1906-1909 on the southwest corner of Third & Main. It was a beautiful building with stained glass windows and seated about 400 people. In 1940 the church burned and soon after that the present location on 3rd and Emison was purchased. The present sanctuary was dedicated in 1942, and the educational wing was added in 1959. About that time the Apple Valley Methodist Church combined with the church in Nyssa.

This year the church dedicated The Bell Tower, using the bell from the Apple Valley Church, in memory of The Reverend Paul Ludlow and the pioneers of the Apple Valley Church. During the past two years extensive improvements have been made to both the church and parsonage and this year they plan to paint the outside of the church. Today the Methodist Church joins with the other fine churches of Nyssa and Adrian in ministering to the spiritual needs of our community.

**LEGION NEWS**

Members of the American Legion and Auxiliary held a pot-luck dinner March 7. Mrs. Charles Newbill showed pictures and slides of South America and Old Mexico. The viewings were very realistic and simply beautiful. Everyone enjoyed the program very much.

**OBITUARIES**

**Vern L. Richards**

Vern L. Richards, 66, Nyssa died Sunday, March 10, 1974 in an Ontario hospital. He was born November 13, 1907, in Nebraska. He was a retired employe of the Amalgamated Sugar Company. He came to Nyssa in 1949 from Nebraska.

He is survived by three sons, Leroy Richards, Puyallup, Washington, Marvin Richards, Madras, Ore. and Ronald Richards, Eugene, Oregon; a daughter, Mrs. Delores Flora. Filer; three brothers, Keith Richards, New Plymouth, Cecil Richards, Boise and Harold Richards, Nebraska; and eight grandchildren.

Services were conducted at 10 a.m., Wednesday at the Lienkaemper Chapel in Nyssa with interment at Parkview Cemetery at New Plymouth.

**Lydia A. Worden**

Lydia Ann Worden, 82, of rural Nyssa, died Thursday, March 7, 1974 at Malheur Memorial Hospital, Nyssa.

She was born August 24, 1891, in Dickison County, Kansas. She had lived in this area for 32 years.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Ivan (Bertha) Tollman, Kennewick, Wash. and Mrs. Leo (Verna) Anderson, Phoenix, Arizona and a daughter-in-law, Frances J. Worden, rural Nyssa.

Services were conducted at 2 p.m., Saturday at the Lienkaemper Chapel in Nyssa. Interment was in the Nyssa cemetery.

**NAZARENE CHURCH NOTES**

FRIDAY, 7:30 p.m. and SATURDAY, 9:00 a.m. -- District Sunday School Convention in Nampa.

SUNDAY - 7 a.m., Morning prayer at the Church, 9:45 a.m. Bible study for all ages.

11 a.m. Morning Worship with the message by Pastor Manley.

6:30 p.m., All-Church study, "Mission Possible." 7:30 p.m., Evening Gospel Hour.

WEDNESDAY - 7:00 p.m. Caravan groups meet.

7:30 p.m. Meeting for Teens; also adult Bible study. 8:30 p.m. Choir practice

"Instead of counting sheep on a sleepless night, try talking with the Shepherd." Take time to worship God. —Rev. Robert Manley, pastor.

**UNITED METHODIST CHURCH NEWS**

**SUNDAY**

9:30 a.m. - Church school, a class for all ages - Cheryl Adams will be worship leader.

11:00 a.m. - Morning worship, Cecil Evans will be the speaker while Rev. Hutchinson will be attending a celebration in honor of his mother in Portland.

7:30 p.m. - United Methodist youth will meet in the social hall.

Prayer and study group will meet in the church parlor. Crete Marie Sager, leader.

WEDNESDAY 7:30 p.m. - Christian Fellowship group - Call 674-2074 for meeting place

CIRCLE MEETINGS Wesleyan Guild will meet March 20 in the church parlor, beginning a study on Luke.

Nancy White circle meets with Anna Beers at 2:00 p.m. for a Prayer and Self Denial program, March 21.

Susannah Circle will meet March 21 with Gladys Englehardt.

The chili feed planned by the young people has been postponed because of Spring vacation activities.

**BIRTHDAY DINNER**

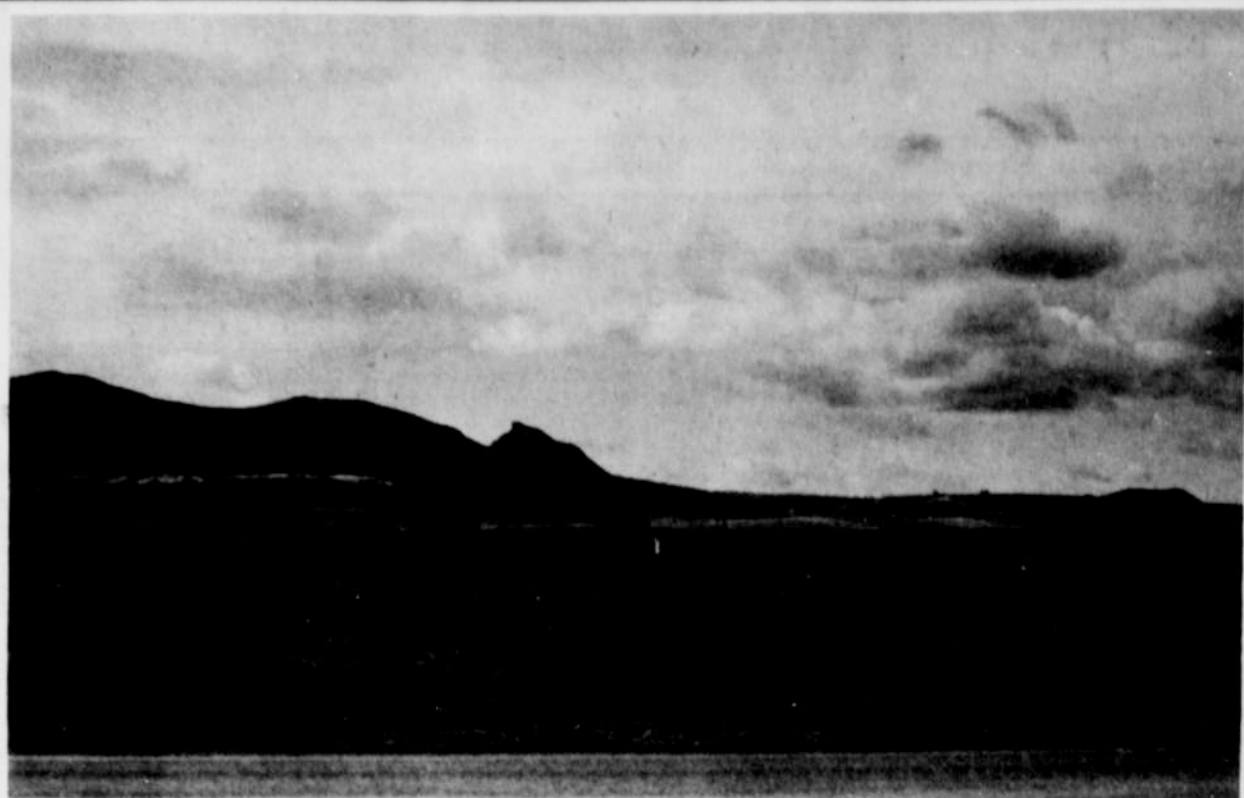
Dr. and Mrs. John Long hosted a birthday dinner at the Palomino Cafe last Tuesday.

Honored guests were Mrs. Clyde Long, Inga Buckley and Mrs. Long.

**Tau Chapter Meeting**

Tau Chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa teacher's sorority met Saturday, March 9 at the Twilight Cafe for a luncheon and meeting. Mrs. Arnie Finkbeiner, president from Ontario presided at the meeting.

Bethel #25 of Ontario presented a skit.



A PEACEFUL ADRIAN SCENE

**Adrian Garden Club**

The Adrian Garden Club met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Delos Vinsonhaler in Adrian with 13 ladies present. Mrs. Varner Hopkins president, had charge of the meeting. Roll call was "name a tree that starts with the first letter in your name." It was voted to give \$15 to Malheur Memorial Hospital to be used on the Thermometer machine they wish to purchase.

The lesson was on compost. An open discussion was held on what ingredients to use and how to care for it.

Mrs. Bea Grossnickle told of her recent visit with friends in Boise and attending a meeting of "Up with People" held at the Boise University.

A group of young people put on the two-hour program. Every nationality and color was represented. The young people came from all over the United States. Many homes in

Boise were opened to the young people for overnight, and several organizations furnished some of their meals. The program before this one was given in Moscow.

**BRIDGE ACTIVITIES**

Members of the Thursday Afternoon Bridge Club were entertained March 7 at the home of Mrs. Jessie Morgan. Guest player was Mrs. Ethel Mary Rhodes. Prize winners were Mrs. Joyce Lienkaemper and Ida Miner.

Mrs. Ted Morgan entertained members of the Friday Afternoon Bridge Club March 8. Guest players were Mrs. Louie Maulding and her sister. High honors went to Mrs. Rex Voeller and Mrs. George Sallee took second high.

Mrs. Jim Grunke entertained several guests at a tupperware party last Friday afternoon with bridge in play following the party. A fun afternoon was enjoyed by all.

The Couple's Bridge Club met Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dirick Nedry. There were three tables in play and guest players were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schneider. High score winners were Mrs. Gerald Simantel, Boyd Wilson and Mrs. John Hoff.

**PINOCHLE PARTY**

Mr. Tom Johnson was hostess for the Wednesday Afternoon Pinochle Club March 6. Mrs. Leona Reeves and Mrs. Anna Marostica were guest players. Mrs. Fred Guthrie was high and Mrs. Marostica was low and Mrs. Reeves and Mrs. Orma Cleaver were traveling.



**ORDER OF EASTERN STAR**

Twenty members of Golden Rule Lodge #147 and Golden Rule Chapter #131 attended along with approximately 100 guests, a pot-luck dinner in Ontario, Thursday, March 7, in honor of Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in Oregon, Edwin Troyer.

Kenji Yaguchi of Ontario was master of ceremonies. Introduced were Tom Arnot, Jr., Grand Deacon of Oregon and Past Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in Idaho, Charles W. Gill; District Deputy Grand Master, George White. Charles W. Gill and Edwin Troyer were speakers for the evening. Everyone enjoyed a program prepared by the Jr. High School chorus and the tumbling class.

Bethel #25 of Ontario presented a skit.

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