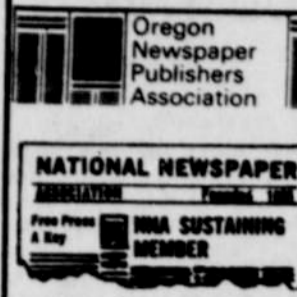


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National 4-H Week

"4-H '76 - Spirit of Tomorrow" is the theme of this year's National 4-H Week, October 5 - 11.

More than 7 million 4-H'ers, their leaders and parents will take part in the annual salute to the Head, Heart, Hands and Health program. In Malheur County 150 leaders worked with the 1600 young people ages 9 to 19 enrolled in 4-H.

4-H'ers have a proud heritage. The movement that became 4-H began around the turn of the century and grew out of a need to make education more practical and interesting to farm youth. The first 4-H projects - corn clubs for boys and canning clubs for girls - offered enriching, real-life learning experiences not provided by rural schools of the era.

In Malheur County, 4-H began as a girls and boys industrial club in 1915 with Mrs. Tom Lowe of the Owyhee Community as the first leader with 33 members.

Projects have changed through the years as the faces of 4-H'ers have changed. But, the basic "learn by doing" concept still holds and has wide appeal. Today's 4-H members take part in activities that range from animal care to bicycle safety to home economics to horticulture and leathercraft.

By encouraging high standards and the setting of meaningful goals, 4-H lays a broad and firm base for a lifetime of personal growth. In challenging young people to make the best, the 4-H program prepares them to assume the responsibilities of adulthood in a changing society.

Although 4-H continues to serve the needs of rural youth, it has also proved viable in larger towns and cities. 4-H'ers come from all racial, ethnic, and socio economic backgrounds.

4-H members, their parents, and volunteer leaders combined with the endorsement and support of private business, make 4-H a dynamic organization that promises to be as responsive to the needs of youth tomorrow as it is today. Malheur County Extension office.

To All Concerned And Caring Christians

It is in the interest of equipping us, both as clergy and laity, to deal with the caring and supportive mission we have with those who are ill that a special study series is being planned. The United Methodist Church in Nyssa is scheduling the following sessions in the hopes of improving our skills and awareness of ministry to the seriously ill person.

October 7, The Rev. Koji Hayashi, Director, Pastoral Care Department, St. Luke's Hospital, Boise, 3:30 p.m.
October 22 - The Rev. John Dawson, Patient Counselor, MSTI, Boise, 7:30 p.m.
November 5 - Mrs. Nancy Davis, R.N., Head Nurse, Heart Surgery Team, Boise, 7:30 p.m.
November 19 - Program to be announced, 7:30 p.m.
This study is open to all people. It is hoped all ministers will plan on attending and that they will encourage their church members to attend as well. While

sponsored by the U.M.C. here, it is an ecumenical program, open to all denominations.

LETTER TO EDITOR

Editor, The Journal:

I'm an inmate at the London Correctional Institution. I use to live in Nyssa about five years ago before I came to Ohio, and believe me, I sure wish I would have stayed there.

I would appreciate it very much if you would print the following in your paper, I can't pay you, I can only say "Thank You."

Male, age 23, an inmate at London Correctional Institution. Would like to hear from pen-pals from or around his home town. I will answer all letters.

Sincerely yours,
Larry Scarce #140-859
P. O. Box 69,
London, Ohio 43140

OBITUARIES

Roscoe L. Anderson

Services for Roscoe Lavern Anderson, 34 of Fruitland, who died Friday, September 19, 1975 at an Ontario hospital, were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Fruitland Ward, Payette, by Bishop Chad Clark. Interment was in Rosedale Memorial Gardens, under the direction of the Payette Chapel of the Roses.

He was born May 23, 1941, at Alcia, Arkansas. He had lived in the Fruitland area for eight years, coming from Chandler, Arizona. He married Kathy Rackley, March 17, 1968 at Winterhaven, California. He was an artist.

Surviving are his wife of Fruitland; a brother, Joe Anderson of Nyssa, and a sister, Mrs. Voyed (Opal) West of Titan, Washington. Pallbearers were Frank Martarano Sr., and Frank Martarano Jr., Ricky Rackley Bill Rackley, Joe Anderson and John Poirier.

Card of Thanks

The family of Heather Marie Garza wishes to take this time to thank everyone for all the beautiful cards, floral bouquets, food, gifts and the many thoughts expressed during our time of sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Reyes Garza Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert J. Gallegos and family.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the many community members of Adrian for their support and help during our GAA Carwash. The proceeds will help pay for our new sweat suits. We are most appreciative. Adrian GAA Members Carol Shultz, Advisor

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank Dr. John Sigurdson, Dr. David Sarazin and the Malheur Memorial Hospital and staff for the wonderful and considerate care given to me during my recent surgery.

I especially enjoyed my room which overlooked the Stam Memorial Patio and enabled me to see the excellent care that our elderly persons receive in the Nursing Home.

Many thanks to all the people who have donated to the Hospital Memorial Funds as this enables our hospital to be first class.

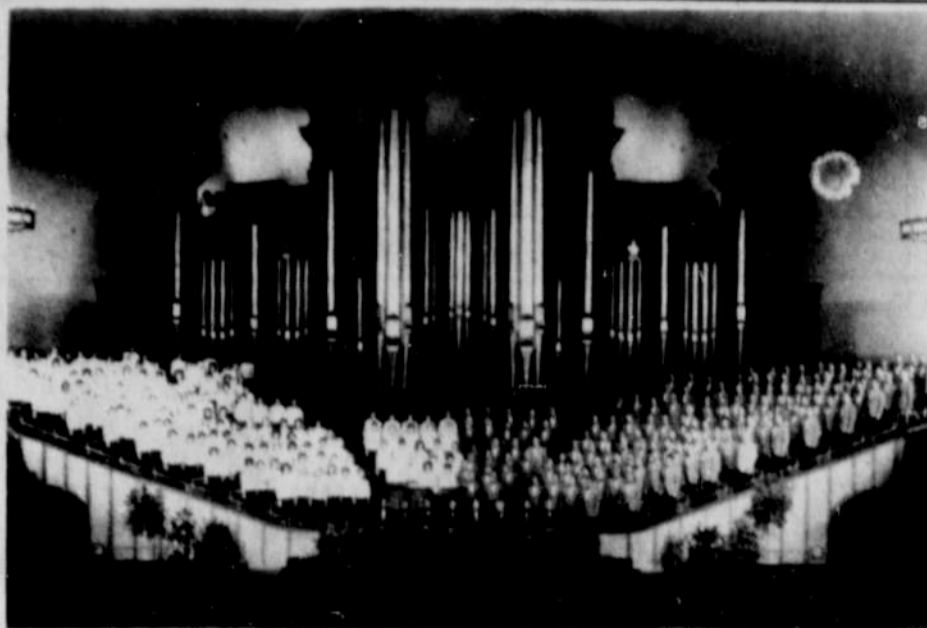
Special thanks to my wonderful friends, relatives and neighbors and the Rev. Jim Monroe of the United Methodist Church for the many beautiful cards and flowers, prayers, help and the many kindnesses. Their thoughtfulness will always be appreciated.

Mrs. Bob (Marie) Wilson

FAITH LUTHERAN

Thursday, October 2 - Confirmation class, 6:30 p.m. Adult Bible study at the parsonage, 8 p.m.

Sunday, October 5 - Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service with Holy Communion, 11 a.m.



Mormon Tabernacle Choir

Mormon World Conferences Traditional Since 1830

Almost every year since its organization in 1830, The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints has called together its top lay leaders from around the world to a series of conferences at Church headquarters. Since 1847 these gatherings have been in Salt Lake City, and for nearly that long one of the features of the conferences has been the singing of the world famous Mormon Tabernacle Choir.

The conferences are designed primarily to enable general Church authorities to inspire those in leadership positions around the globe with addresses on a wide variety of subjects. But these messages of inspiration are punctuated with songs from the great 375-voice Choir which has earned an international reputation over the years.

This year's semi-annual world conference of the Church is scheduled for October 3-5, and once again the Choir, under the able direction of conductor Jerold D. Ottley, will perform, with the familiar backdrop of the towering pipes of the Tabernacle Organ.

The conference speakers, led by President Spencer W. Kimball, world leader of the Church, treat a variety of timely subjects in their addresses to the thousands who view the conference sessions in person and via television.

President Kimball is the twelfth prophet-leader the Church has had since it was organized in 1830. He has been a Mormon apostle since 1943 and in December of 1973 he ascended to the top position in the Church after the death of former President

Harold B. Lee.

Membership of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints is about 3.5 million worldwide. More than a third of those members are outside of the United States. For this reason, the conference is carried by some 400 television and radio stations, not only in the United States, but with foreign translations to Mexico, South and Central America, the Caribbean, Africa, Europe, Australia and the South Pacific.

Consult your local TV Guides for time and Channel. Closed Circuit Proceedings of the General Priesthood session Saturday night will be in the Nyssa State Center starting at 7 p.m., October 4.

United Methodist Church News

The United Methodist Church and the Rev. James Monroe welcomes you to all Church activities.

Thursday, October 2, General meeting of Women's Society in the Church Parlor, 2 p.m.

Friday, October 3, Bible Study at Fern Adams home, 9:30 a.m.

Young Adults Pizza party at the Parsonage, 6 p.m.

Sunday, October 5, Prayer Service at the Church, 9 a.m. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Worship Service with the message "Movin' On" by the Rev. James Monroe. There will be a receiving of new members and Holy Communion, 10:50 a.m.

Fellowship moments will follow the worship service. Tuesday, October 7, The Rev. Koji Hayashi who is the Director of Pastoral Care at St. Luke's Hospital will be speaking on "The Churches Roll with those Who Are Ill," 3:30 p.m.

Wednesday, October 8, Youth meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Happy Birthday

October 3, Rosie Sifuentes, Monty Burbank, Leota Kreigh, Hisae Takimura.

October 4, Sauan Sukhan, David Sparks, Ruth Stephen, Nancy Mecham.

October 5, Clyde Bowers, Lori Saito

October 6, Linda Morrison Benedict, Mike Wahlert.

October 7, Garold Ropp.

October 8, Carmen R. Almaraz.

October 9, Matt Ure, Della Holmes, Mark Moncur.

Nyssa Ministerial Association Meets

The Nyssa Ministerial Association held its monthly meeting at the Malheur Memorial Hospital on September 23, with Pastors Russell, Simard, Croom, Schmidt and Monroe present plus Jim Mattes hospital administrator.

Following breakfast a discussion was held concerning chaplaincy care at the hospital and nursing home. At present, area pastors take turns visiting the patients in the hospital daily plus, provide a worship service on Sunday from 3:30 to 4 p.m. for the nursing home residents. The continuation of this program was reaffirmed by the pastors present. Jim Mattes, hospital administrator asked if there might not be some pastors who would volunteer themselves to serve as chaplains in case of emergency where the patients own pastor cannot be reached. All five pastors present volunteered to be placed on the emergency staff.

Pastor Monroe described a program on Pastoral Care which is being put together and which is open to the whole community. Your pastor will receive details concerning this series.

Pastor Schmidt gave a report on efforts to provide a "Meals on Wheels" program for Nyssa. This project is still in the planning stage but we are hoping to be able to provide five hot meals a week (Monday thru Friday) prepared by the hospital cafeteria and delivered by volunteers to our area Senior Citizens. At this point the program is looking for funds to supplement those who cannot afford the approximate \$1.75 per meal. The hospital, the Ministerial Association and the Senior Citizens Organization are continuing their efforts to bring this program to Nyssa.

Pastor Russell reported on the Bicentennial efforts. To date, Gene and Mary Jane Gaither, singing evangelists have been contacted for programs in Nyssa, Vale and Ontario, February 27, 28 and 29. Other suggestions for religious emphasis in our Bicentennial are June Rodeo Parade float submitted by the area churches, a downtown religious booth and a continuous reading of the Bible project.

Elections were held for the 1975-76 year. Those elected were Pastor Russell, chairman; Father Simard, secretary-treasurer; and Pastor Croom, vice-chairman.

The next meeting of the Ministerial Association will be held October 14 at 7 a.m. at the Nazarene Fellowship Hall.

Nyssa Baptists Share

Missionary Program

The Nyssa Conservative Baptist Church is sharing in a Round-Robin Missionary Conference with churches in Boise, Middleton, New Plymouth and Nyssa starting Sunday, September 28 through Sunday, October 5. All services start at 7:30 p.m. each evening.

The Conference opened with the missionaries scheduled for the Boise and Middleton Churches on the dates of September 28 - October 1. The Conference will close with the missionaries scheduled for the Nyssa and New Plymouth churches October 2 - 5.

The following missions are sharing from four different areas of the world:

Marilyn Eacher, missionary to the Muslim country of Senegal, Africa, plans to share her experiences of learning the Wolof tribal language in preparation for ministering to Senegalese young women.

Roland Heffner, will tell of his past four years of work in the subtropical city of Ping-tung, Taiwan, preaching and teaching language classes and leading home Bible studies.

Alma Steinhauer, missionary to the Ivory Coast, tells of her work in the Ivory Coast Academy, located near the town of Bouake. This is an elementary thru Sr. High boarding school for children of evangelical missionaries.

Delbert Mellis, newly appointed Missionary with the Conservative Baptist Foreign Mission Society of Wheaton, Illinois plans to share facts concerning his future work as a circuit-riding teacher in Brazil.

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Nazarenes Slate Special Service

The country of Israel, with its complexities and challenges, will be presented in a special service at the Nyssa Church of the Nazarene, Thursday, October 9 at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Alex Wachtel, career missionary to Israel, will be featured in the service. Rev. Russell, pastor



Rev. Alex Wachtel

of the Church, says the entire community is invited to the service, which will present the issues related to ministering in that fast-changing society.

Wachtel's career reflects the professional skills which are demanded of a modern missionary. His twenty-two years of service includes, council chairman, opening new work in Nazareth and Haifa.

Rev. Wachtel's presentation in the community service will employ the "sights and sounds of Israel." Several artifacts from that country will be on display. There will be opportunity for interested persons to talk personally with the missionary.



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