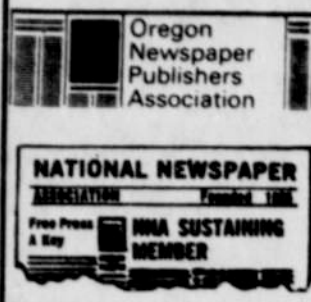


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### The Teacher Strikes

The strike of teachers in Idaho Falls has been very much in the news lately, and the entire area is watching very closely the outcome. Now that their strike has been settled, we read where Pocatello teachers have walked out.

During the past several years, teachers and other employees in the public sector of our economy have been demanding—and getting—increases in salary which have resulted in ever-increasing budgets in the various levels of government.

In view of the serious financial situation which schools and governments are experiencing throughout the nation, we would suggest that at this time further strikes and threats of strikes can only diminish the public employees' stature in the eyes of the public, and force legislation which would tend to make their situation less secure.

It's hard to believe that teachers' strikes are legal anyway, when the law requires that a child must be in school. How can a child be in school without a teacher in the classroom?

We received a copy of the Oregon Education Association monthly publication. Headlined "OEA Negotiations Paying Off," they proudly write that "OEA negotiations are paying off handsomely with many 10-15% salary and fringe gains for Oregon teachers this year, contrasted to NEA (National Education Association) reports of gains averaging 5-11% nationwide.

In addition, OEA negotiators are gaining a wide variety of non-economic contract provisions. These include binding arbitration, fair share, just cause and enforceable class size, among others."

The bulletin goes on to say that 21 school districts in Oregon still had not settled their contract disputes at the opening of school.

Under national news, the OEA Bulletin reports that "teacher strikes this fall had already outstripped last year's level as schools opened this month. Strikes prove in no uncertain terms teacher determination to face down intransigent school boards to assure salary equity in these uncertain economic times."

"Fifty-nine NEA affiliates had reported strikes by the first week of September. Fourteen had been settled, but 44 were still in progress affecting 13,500 teachers, 270,000 students. Contract negotiations were going on in 2,300 districts nationwide even as schools opened."

We can be thankful here in Nyssa that our teachers and school board have been reasonable and fair in their bargaining, and are conscious of the public interest. School fights and unrest tear a community apart, and we can see the results not too far away. Our schools are good here, and we would hope that we, the employers, have been good to the teachers.

### "Antelope Happenings"

#### Adrian High School

by Gloria Lorenson

School started for the Adrian High School on September 2. The Student Body officers for the coming year are: Pres. Tom Okai; Vice-president, Peggy Ishida; Secretary, Sherri Price; Treasurer, Beth Zueger; Representative, Chuck Sykes; Reporter, Gloria Lorenson; and Sgt. at Arms, Sachio Hori.

The 1975-76 season for football started off royal with a victorious win over Notus. Coach is Mr. Jerry Huntley. Other wins were over Nampa Christian and our Homecoming with Parma. At Homecoming, Tinley Howell was crowned queen with Sherri Price and Kathy Hay as princesses. Junior Class won float competition. We ended the annual event with a dance featuring the Joe Phred Band.

FFA State officers visited Adrian, September 25, and had a District Leadership Conference. Other FFA officers from the District attended.

Initiation was held the week of September 22, as the Seniors welcomed the Freshmen into High School. A

week full of activities including a talent show were held. Mr. Odd Bjerke, an Ecologist-Naturalist from McCall Idaho was at Adrian showing three movies on survival and nature to A.H.S. He has been on ten world expeditions and one of the movies, "Scream of the Loon," took two years to make involving \$36,000 and was made in the Arctic. He is a well-known speaker at universities, colleges and schools.

#### Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends, neighbors, relatives and the Rebekah Lodge for the food, flowers, cards and the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy shown us during the loss of our loved one, Irene VanZelf. We are most appreciative, May God Bless You.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bartron  
 Mrs. Diane Fifer  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Van Zelf

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Van Zelf  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bill Van Zelf  
 Mrs. Blanche Weeks

### OBITUARIES

#### Irene A. Van Zelf



Services for Irene Alberta Van Zelf, 54, of Nyssa, who died in the Malheur Memorial Hospital, Friday, October 3, 1975 of natural causes, were conducted at the Lienkaemper Chapel in Nyssa by the Rev. Eldene Johnson, pastor of the Nyssa First Christian Church. Interment was in the Nyssa cemetery.

She was born December 26, 1920, in Utica, Kansas. She married John Van Zelf at Boise December 27, 1943, at which time they moved to Nyssa. He died in 1974.

Surviving are her mother, Blanche Weeks of Nyssa; three sons, John and Roger L. Van Zelf, both of Parma, and William T. Van Zelf of Nyssa; two daughters, Mrs. Donna Bartron and Mrs. Diana Fifer, both of Nyssa; three brothers, John Weeks of Seneca, Oregon, Duane Weeks of Milwaukie, Oregon and Glen Weeks of Parma; two sisters, Lola Steinke of Vale and Betty Johnson of Parma and five grandchildren. One brother preceded her in death.

#### Joe Council

Memorial services for Joe Council, 54, of Othello, Washington, who died Sunday, October 5, 1975, were Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Methodist Church in Othello.

He was born April 26, 1921 at Kim, Colorado, and moved with his family to Nyssa in 1937 where he graduated from high school. After service in the U. S. Navy in World War II he attended Oregon State University and was employed by Northrup-King Seed Company in Nampa after graduation.

In 1951 he transferred to Yakima, Wash., and to Othello in 1971, where he has since lived.

He married Martha Smith at Nyssa June 17, 1947.

He is survived by his wife, a son, Gordon of New Plymouth; a daughter, Rochelle of Othello; two sisters, Mrs. R. C. Smith of Pendleton, and Mrs. Clancy Kelley of Barstow, Calif.; two brothers Chet of New Plymouth, and Harry of Longmont, Colo.; his stepmother, Mrs. Lois Council of Nyssa; three stepbrothers, John Knottingham of Nyssa, Glen Knottingham of Caldwell and Frank Knottingham of Gold Beach, Ore.

The family suggests memorial to the Deaconess Children's Home, Everett, Wash., or to the Methodist Church, Othello, Washington

### National Restaurant Month Observed

The 580 Oregon food service establishments and suppliers who belong to the Restaurants of Oregon Association will join this month with restaurateurs from coast to coast in observance of National Restaurant Month.

The month, always October, stresses the "We're Proud to Serve You" slogan of the National Restaurant Association.

The Oregon affiliate of the NRA, a consistent winner of national awards for industry promotion, is again sponsoring a drawing to call attention to the pleasures and convenience of eating out. At participating restaurants in the drawing event entry blanks may be obtained for a chance for any couple over 18 to win a Bicentennial trip to Washington, D. C.

The single grand prize in the drawings is a week-long stay for two at the Mayflower Hotel in the nation's capital, plus air transportation from Portland and return.

In Nyssa, Twilight Cafe & Lounge is one of the participating restaurants in the Restaurants of Oregon Bicentennial trip contest.

### 67 NHS Graduates Further Education

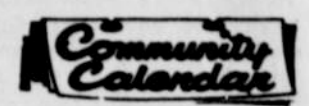
According to the final transcript requests, 67 of the 1975 Nyssa High School graduates are attending the colleges or universities of their choice to further their education, or enlisting in the armed services. There were 89 seniors in NHS graduating class.

**Oregon State University**  
 Barbara Bosselman, Steve Bosselman, Bill Calhoun, Roy Mosqueda, Oscar Ramos, Patty Seuell, David Simantel, Bruce Tracy, Mike Tyner, Sara Vielma.

**Treasure Valley Community College**  
 Bruce Corn, Irene Galindo, Ruth Jimenez, Cruz Martinez, Joe Martinez, Mark Nelson, Ruth Stephen, Joe Stults, Doug Wade, Kathy Ward, Raymond Wiley, Stella Loera.

**Eastern Oregon State College**  
 Gail Hirai, Jill Jackson, Dena Piercy, Frances Ramirez, Jaun Ramirez, Anna Dority, Robert Gallegos.

**Boise State University**  
 Kevin Adams, Mary Ann Chadwick, Kathy Kurtz, Ch-



**Friday, October 10 - Nyssa Golden Age-rummage Sale, Old Western Hotel, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

**Senior Citizens Rummage Sale (weather permitting) 213 Reece Ave., 12 noon to 5 p.m.**

**Saturday, October 11 - Nyssa Golden Age-Rummage Sale, Old Western Hotel, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

**Senior Citizens-Rummage Sale (weather permitting) 213 Reece Ave., 12 noon to 5 p.m.**

**Sunday, October 12 - All Star Bowling at the Sugar Bowl, 2 p.m.**

**Golden Rule Chapter, practice, Masonic Hall, 4:30 p.m.**

**Monday, October 13 - Potluck, honoring Past Masters, Masonic Hall, 7 p.m.**

**Golden Rule Lodge #147, AF & AM, Masonic Hall, 8 p.m.**

**Stardusters at home of Myrtle Sasser, 8 p.m.**

**Tuesday, October 14 - Tops #494, Bea's Beauty Bar, Adrian, 7:30 p.m.**

**Wednesday, October 15 - Nyssa Golden Age, 113 Green Avenue, potluck, 12 noon.**

**Thursday, October 16 - OKK Club meet at M. Hite home. Auction will be held 2 p.m.**

#### Blue Mountain Teacher Here

Cynthia Hilden from Blue Mountain Community College in Pendleton will talk on the disadvantaged woman Saturday, October 11, at 1:30 p.m. in Room Ad-14, TVCC. She is sponsored by AAUW and the Committee for Humanities.

She is a former Vale resident, and has taught at BMCC for the past six years. She has a Master's Degree in Socially and Educationally Disadvantaged Adults.

#### Local Agent Attends Meeting

Mr. Harold "Mike" Anderson, 420 North 7th, Nyssa, was qualified to attend a three-day career conference of New York Life Insurance company's field underwriters, Oct. 1 through Oct. 3, at the Washington Plaza Hotel, Seattle.

Anderson joined fellow agents and company executives for educational work in life underwriting, health and employee protection insurance.

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**Ricks College**  
 David Blaylock, Craig Froerer, Roger Glenn, Mark Jensen, Paul Kesler, James McCune, Marlene Widner

**Brigham Young University**  
 Gene Bair, Sam Hartley, Lori Lewis, Juli Peterson

Also attending colleges and universities and armed services are Jeff Abe, Arizona, Automotive Institute, Glendale; Armando Aguilar, Latin American Bible Institute, El Paso; Scott Beattie, Multnomah School of the Bible, Portland; Karla Beck, Mesa Community College, Mesa, Arizona; Pamela Bock, Mount St. Mary's College, Los Angeles; Ted Joyce, Mt. Hood Community College; Merlene Lewis, Link's School of Business, Boise; Cora Lee Meyer, Montana Institute of the Bible, Lewiston; Kris Rigney, Oregon College of Education, Monmouth; Wilma Staples, Utah State University, Logan; Tammy Russell, Northwest Nazarene College of Nampa; Cliff Vanetti, College of Idaho, Caldwell; Larry Saunders, Arizona Automotive Institute Glendale; Bob Meadows, Air Force; James Greig, U.S. Navy (leaves in October); Connie Barnes and Terry Young, U. S. Army.

#### United Methodist Church News

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

**Thursday, Oct. 9 - Young Women's Circle at the parsonage, 10 a.m.**

**Friday, Oct. 10 - Bible Study at Fern Adams home, 9:30 a.m.**

**Sunday, October 12 - Prayer Service at the Church, 9 a.m.**

**Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Worship Service with message "Bailiwick Confessions" by the Rev. James Monroe.**

Fellowship moments will follow the worship service.

**Tuesday, Oct. 14 - Dr and Mrs. David Bouman will speak on their missionary work in India at the United Methodist Church in Ontario, 7 p.m.**

**Wednesday, Oct. 15 - Open Sharing Covenant Group, 7 p.m.**

#### Park Avenue Baptist Church

Everyone is welcome to attend services at this Bible teaching church.

**Sunday Services - Sunday school classes for all ages, 10 a.m.**

**Worship Service - in the Sanctuary with the message by Pastor Dale Mitchell, 11 a.m.**

**Evening Service - Message and fellowship, 7:30 p.m.**

**Wednesday Evening - Bible Study and prayer at the Church with choir practice afterward, 8 p.m.**

**Youth meeting, 8 p.m.**

**A friendly smile, a warm handshake and the words of the Lord await you at Park Avenue Baptist Church, on the corner of North Third Street and Park Avenue.**

#### Conservative Baptist

**Sunday School classes for all ages. Adult classes taught by Larry Bauman; High School by Ralph and Patricia Werner; Doug Pfeiler, Superintendent.**

**Morning Worship - Special music, Pastor Don Beattie speaking, 11 a.m.**

**Evening Services, 7 p.m. Youth time, 9 p.m.**

**Wednesday - Bible study and prayer, 8 p.m.**



TRAVELING TROPHIES will be presented each month by First National Bank of Oregon to the outstanding School Patrolmen of the Month.

Here Branch Manager George Craig presents a trophy to Manuel Valero,

Patrolman, from Mr. Cleaver's room; and to Pedro Hernandez, Captain, from Mrs. Leggett's room. Both are sixth graders. Police Chief Alvin Allen gives Certificates to the boys, who are picked each month by the teachers.

### Guest Preacher Slated



Rev. Richard Toll, Baker, will be guest preacher

### The Church, What It Offers You

By Eldene Johnson Pastor of Christian Church

The smart shopper is always on the lookout for bargains. A product that offers you equal value for the money you must spend. However the wise shopper also knows that the signs, in the windows, do not always tell the whole story.

The choice of a place to worship God is of the utmost importance to you and your family, because to a great degree it is a decision that effects your eternal destiny.

The church you choose should be a church that teaches the Bible as the inspired word of God. Not to be tampered with or changed, but accepted as direct from God. His will revealed to man. It should be a church that offers you the warmth of Christian fellowship. A church that believes in prayer and the power of God. A church that allows the Holy Spirit to direct the lives of each individual, and minister

through them in whatever manner He chooses. It should be a church with a vision. A passion for the will of God, a tremendous love for the gospel. Paul said "I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ for it is the power of God unto salvation." Joshua stood before the people of Israel one day and demanded that they make a choice, whom they would serve. The God of the world or Jehovah the one true God. Then he stood tall and straight before them and said, "as for me and my house we will serve the Lord."

Jesus said, "I am the light of the world he that believeth in me shall not walk in darkness but shall have the light of life." John 8:12, "and this is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God and Jesus Christ whom thou has sent." Jn 17:3

The Church should offer you all these things I have mentioned and much more. But above everything else it should be a Church that proclaims Jesus Christ as the Saviour of the world, that honors and glorifies Him. Join us Sunday Morning at 9:45 a.m.

### Billy Graham Film To Be Shown

Tickets are now available in various area business establishments, for "The Hiding Place," a film produced by the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association. Tickets are available at \$2.25 at Bold Life Book Store, 45 South Oregon, Ontario.

You may order tickets by mail for your choice of the shows, 1 p.m., 3:45 p.m. or 6:30 p.m. and 9:15 p.m. Shows will be showing October 15 through October 21. Mail your check and stamped self-addressed envelope with your order to the Christian Art and Book, 708 Arthur St., Caldwell, Idaho 83605.

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### Nazarene Church News

**Thursday, October 9, Special Missionary Zone Rally with Rev. Alex Wachtel, Missionary to Israel, as speaker, 7:30 p.m.**

**Sunday, October 12, Morning Prayer at the Church, 7 a.m.**

Christian Education Classes with special emphasis on "Senior Citizens Sunday," 9:30 a.m.

Children's Church, 11 a.m. Worship Service with message by a Senior Minister, 11 a.m.

Service at Nursing Home with music by the Junior Choir, 3:30 p.m.

Evening Missionary Service, 7:30 p.m.

**Tuesday, October 14, Ladies Bible Study at the home of Mrs. Jon Martin, 9:30 a.m.**

**Wednesday, October 15, Bible study at the Nursing Home, 3:30 p.m.**

Midweek service of Caravans, Teen Meeting 3:30 p.m. and Adult Prayer and Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

**Special Revival Services are scheduled for October 21-26, Mark these dates on your calendar. Rev. Grady Cantrell, our District Superintendent, will be the Evangelist. Plan now to attend.**

"When the world is at its worst, the Church should be at its best."

### FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH NOTES

**Thursday, October 9 - Confirmation class, 6:30 p.m.**

**Sunday, October 12 - Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship service 11 a.m.**

**Tuesday, October 14 - Evangelism meetings at the church 8 p.m.**

**Wednesday, October 15 - Men's breakfast Brownies Cafe, 6:30 a.m.**

Choir rehearsal 6:30 p.m. ALCW Fayette Looneys, 8 p.m.

**Thursday, October 16 - Movie, "The Hiding Place". Meet at the church at 7:30 p.m.**

Church members may obtain coupons from their ministers at \$1.75. Coupons should be turned into one of the above named establishments to insure a seat on the day they wish to attend the film, at the Karcher Twiu Theater at the Karcher Mall.

For further information, call 466-8388.

### IN APPRECIATION

I wish to thank the Nyssa Volunteer Fire Department and Police Department for their quick action in responding to a recent grass fire. —George Moeller.

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