

VALE DISTRICT

BLM To Revise Resource Area Plans

A major revision of the plan for management of the natural resources in the Northern Resource Area of the Vale Bureau of Land Management District is currently underway, according to Barry Cushing, area manager.

"I am looking for information from anyone who is interested in the Northern Resource Area," he said. "I would like to sit down and listen to anyone or will meet him at his own convenience, if he has information to offer about the resources or how they should be managed."

The BLM utilizes a comprehensive planning system that involves three phases.

"First in the information gathering phase, the one we are involved with at the present time," he said. "We gather all the information we can about the land's resources, the economics of the region, the social outlook and other pertinent data. Secondly we mesh all of this data together into a broad framework plan. Where management actions for each resource are proposed, the conflicts between them are identified and resolved. Lastly, after the framework plan is completed and the conflicts are resolved, we prepare plans to implement the recommendations of each activity. An example is the allotment plans for the livestock grazing on the National Resource Lands."

"This planning effort is much more intensive than anything we have ever done before and requires a much higher level of detail about each of the resources than ever before. We don't have some of the information we would like to have, and I'm scouring the region to get it."

Cushing said the new plan is being written to assist in the preparation of the Ironside Environmental Impact Statement which must be written in 1977. "I would like to approach the EIS with the best information available about the Northern Resource Area."

James E. Bruce, addressing an Idaho Association of Commerce and Industry energy conference last week, said the company believes it can supply customer needs from existing resources and such additions as another Brownlee Dam unit and a larger American Falls powerhouse from now to 1981.

But he emphasized that such additions are "merely stopgaps for the short term" and declared:

"After 1981, we must obtain major new resources, keeping in mind the fact that it takes a number of years to obtain any new resource."

Bruce, pointing out that Idaho Power already is exploring the possible alternatives Gov. Cecil D. Andrus has suggested recently, including a nuclear plant, call for a "rational approach" in studying the problem of other sources of supply.

Declaring the approach must be "separated from the emotional hysteria that surrounded the Pioneer controversy," he said:

With the existing need, we must consider those alternatives which represent real, rather than illusory or fictional alternatives. An alternative, to be considered, must be a proposal that meets the tests of economy, time, reliability and productive capability."

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Idaho Power Must Obtain New Energy

Idaho Power Company must obtain major new electric supplies after 1981 to fill growing customer requirements, but all the alternatives to Pioneer under study will cost more, be less reliable and the time frame is "extremely tight," the utility's president says.

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The Circuit Writer

Rev. Jim Monroe

Driving to Ontario the other day, I saw a sign warning farmers about the Colorado Potato Worm. I must admit that I never saw that worm all the time I lived in Colorado - and we ate a lot of spuds! It bothers me that a state as great as Colorado should be slandered by having a bug named after it. It reminds me that when I went to Japan, I was at first afraid, and kept a sharp eye out for the infamous Japanese Beetle. Once again, as in Colorado, I never saw one in all my time there.

What would we in Nyssa think if some type of bug, or other such nuisance was named after us? For example - with apologies to those burning onion tops at the present time - what if the citizens of L.A. woke-up with the radio announcement - "There's a hint of Nyssa in the air today... Asthmatics are asked to remain indoors." Or, what about the feedlots of Ontario? Can't you hear the same newscasters complaining about the shift in wind resulting in an inverse Ontario condition?

How about the bad reputation Oregon has for rain. In Colorado they might be predicting .56 inches of Oregon in the next 24 hour period. Idaho enjoys a great reputation for its potatoes, but how about all the range fires they've had this year. "A raging Idaho is out of control east of Billings..." the report might read.

Well, without belaboring the point, I hope you see what I mean. It's important, because every-once-in-a-while, I hear a report of a major disaster that's billed as "an act of God." As one who believes that God is Love (1 John 4:8b), it bothers me to think that we bumbling humans are so willing to lay the responsibility for disaster at His feet, while we're so unwilling to give Him the recognition for the beauty around us. Think about it the next time you're out in the "Northwest Special" (woods)

Several adult-oriented classes at Treasure Valley Community College still have openings, according to Jeff Ford, associate dean, community education. Those interested in attending any of the courses may register at the next scheduled class meeting.

Applied Transactional Analysis meets Thursdays from 7:30 to 9:30, Room 23, Administration Building. Gerald Olsen conducts the one-credit class.

Beginning Spanish, Ed Stephens, instructor, meets Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6 to 8 p.m. in Room 3, Lease Building. The class carries four-credit hours.

Pat McNeill teaches an archeology class specializing in Northwest Indians. The three-credit class meets Saturdays, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Additional information may be obtained by calling Ford at 889-6493, Ext. 31.

Women: Who and What We Are," a self-awareness class for women of all ages, still has some openings, according to Cammie O'Shaughnessy instructor.

The non-credit course meets Mondays and Wednesdays from 11 a.m. to noon in the Weesse Building, upstairs lounge. Offered through the TVCC Adult Education Department, the course is open to all area women free of charge.

The twelve-week course explores the changing roles of women, placing special emphasis on health and improving self-awareness and relationship with other people.

Further information may be obtained by calling O'Shaughnessy at 889-6493, Ext. 63.

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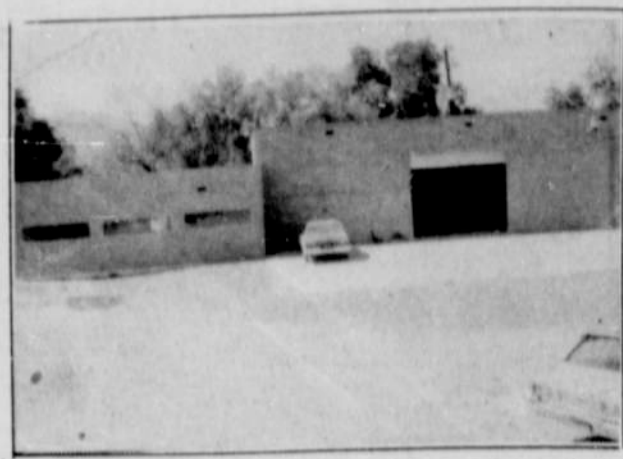
Pearl Bullard and Amy Stradley called on Lillian Baker in Nyssa, and visited a while on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bullard went to baptismal services at the Christian church in Nyssa, Sunday afternoon. There were six members of the Owyhee Community church baptised.

Mrs. Donald Bullard took a car load of young people from the Owyhee Community Church to Caldwell for a party at the "Chalet." There were several other cars of children who went.

Sunday afternoon, Clarence and Emma Kesler visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Goodfellow in Payette.

Last week, Mr. and Mrs. Steve James of Eagle, Idaho brought his sister, Edith Hirschi from Tremonton, Idaho to her sister's home. Her sister is Mrs. Parley Feik. On Thursday, Mr. and



ADRIAN HIGH SCHOOL'S new Vo-Ag shop with classroom on left.

Activities In Arcadia

By Nell Bowers

ARCADIA - Arcadia Club met Friday at the home of Amy Stradley. There were seven members present. New officers were installed. Our new president is Amy Stradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bowers arrived from Pine Bluffs, Wyoming, last Tuesday for a visit with Clyde and Nell Bowers. Dale is Clyde's oldest brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bowers visited Ruth Bowers at her home on the Owyhee River, Wednesday. Later they all visited Dale's father, Charles Bowers, who is, now, in the Malheur Memorial Nursing Home. They took Ruth home and spent the evening with her.

Mrs. Clyde Bowers and guests, Dale and Reba Bowers, fished on the Snake River, Thursday.

Dale and Reba Bowers called on Ruth Bowers Friday afternoon. All three returned to Nyssa to visit Charles Bowers in Malheur Memorial Hospital. After supper at the Twilight, they took Ruth to the home of Jerry Freitag, where Ruth spent the evening sitting with the Freitag children, who are Ruth's great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bowers and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowers fished at Paddock Reservoir, Saturday. They had good fishing luck. On the way home, they ate a late supper at the Eastside Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bowers and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowers were guests at a birthday party at the Don Bowers home, Monday evening. The party was for Brent, age nine years on the 28, and Brian, age two years on the 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mitchell were guests at the Don Bowers home Monday evening, at the birthday party for their grandsons, Brent and Brian Bowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carroll visited with Mrs. Keck at her home in Nyssa, Sunday evening.

Tuesday night, Doylene Carroll of Mountain Home, Idaho and her sister, Mrs. Mike Green and son Dustin of Vancouver, Washington stayed with the girls' grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carroll.

Friday evening, Don and Janice Bowers of Parma, Idaho, called at the Clyde Bowers home to visit Don's uncle and aunt, Dale and Reba Bowers of Pine Bluffs, Wyoming.

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Mrs. Parley Feik and Mrs. Hirschi went to Pendleton to visit Mr. and Mrs. Frank James. While they were there, they went to Walla Walla, Washington to visit a niece of Parley's, Mrs. Katherine Bradley. All of them went on to Pasco to visit Mrs. Bradley's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harker. On the way home, Sunday, they stopped in La Grande to visit Parley's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Feik. Mrs. Hirschi left for her home, Tuesday morning, by bus.

Mr. and Mrs. Parley Feik went to the open house, held Tuesday for Mr. and Mrs. Larry Glenn.

Ruth Castro and baby girl were Sunday afternoon visitors in the Earl Ervin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bowers of Pine Bluff, Wyoming were Wednesday and Friday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Charles Bowers. They all went to the Malheur Memorial Hospital in Nyssa in the afternoon to see Charles Bowers.

Sunday evening visitors of Mrs. Charles Bowers were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowers and Mr. and Mrs. Marvir Bowers and David. Also visiting were Marge Chapin, Alvin Hall and Mr. and Mrs. James Phifer.

The Pollyanna Club will meet Thursday afternoon October 7, with Mrs. Dale Witt. Mrs. Marge Ervin is co-hostess.

Mrs. Bill Tomb and Mrs. Mary Hatt visited the Gordon Dixon family in Nyssa Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thiel and family of Boise were Saturday luncheon guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Fox. From there they went to Ontario where they visited John's father, John Thiel at the Presbyterian Nursing home and helped him celebrate his 90th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Piercy attended a birthday party for Carl's mother, Mrs. Mable Piercy of Adrian. The party was held at the home of Mrs. Piercy's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mecham of Nyssa. Others attending besides Mrs. Piercy were her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Byard of Boise; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Piercy, Dale and Joyce and friend all of Parma; Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Piercy and Brian of Nyssa; Steve Piercy, and Reta Piercy of Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ervin had a birthday dinner Sunday for their grandchildren Angie who is six years old and Anthony, two years of age. They are children of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Radford. Also visiting was his mother, Esther Wong who is here visiting her son and family from Hawaii, Honolulu. They had a turkey dinner with all the trimmings and lots of birthday cake.

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4-H Opportunities Available

"4-H Room to Grow" is the theme of the 1976-77 4-H year, according to Carol Knothe, Malheur County 4-H agent. Like the clover grows so do youth who are involved in 4-H. Young people in the 4th-12th grades grow mentally, physically and spiritually as they set new goals and respond to new opportunities.

Over 1400 young people were enrolled in 4-H in Malheur County with an additional 300 involved in day camps and school programs. These 4-H'ers engaged in project activities of livestock, sewing, foods, leather, art, outdoor cookery, stamp col-

lecting, and others. Many also participated in field days, training events, summer camp, and fairs.

4-H is a unique partnership involving youth, volunteer leaders, State Land-Grant Universities, Federal-State-Local governments and the private sector. The overall mission of the Extension Service in conducting 4-H programs is the development of youth individually and as responsible and productive citizens.

If you are interested in becoming involved with 4-H - the informal, practical, learn by doing program - as a leader, or member, you are

urged to contact the Malheur County Extension Office, City Hall, Ontario, 889-9129, if you are a Malheur County resident or the Payette County Extension Office, Post Office, Payette, 642-3462, if you are a Payette County resident.

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