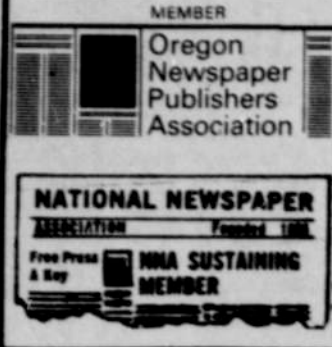


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Christmas Back To Normal

While many neighboring cities start their Christmas season with fairyland and winter wonderland parades, and other commercial ventures, Nyssa businessmen came up with a different idea several years ago. This was the idea of serving a free dinner to area residents to show appreciation for their patronage, not only through the Christmas shopping season, but throughout the year.

The pancake feed grew from a rather modest beginning when 500 or 600 persons were fed to about 1500 servings the last year of the dinner. The school fire upset this annual event for two years, but now members of the Nyssa Chamber of Commerce are preparing for a dinner Friday evening which promises to be the biggest ever.

The new school cafeteria has been completed, and many of you will probably see it for the first time Friday. This bright and attractive building can accommodate about 400 persons at a serving, and the tables will probably be filled three or four times during the evening.

The modern kitchen has all the latest appliances to prepare large dinners, and the school cafeteria cooks have been serving an average of 1,100 youngsters daily since opening last month. Friday evening a bunch of amateur cooks will take over, but it hasn't taken them long in the past to learn the fine art of flipping pancakes, turning eggs, frying sausages and making coffee. It has been a fun night for both the cooks and those served in past years.

Santa will make his appearance that night with treats for the youngsters, and there will be music and good fellowship. Most everyone should appreciate the return to normalcy, not only at our schools, but in the opening of a traditional Christmas at Nyssa.



Cub Scouts

Newly reorganized Cub Pack 419, sponsored by the Lions Club, held their first pack meeting Tuesday, November 30 at the United Methodist Church.

The Webelos Den presented the colors and the Rev. John Worrall gave the invocation. Den 1 sang the "Welcome Song."

The room was decorated with the Cub colors of blue and gold crepe paper streamers, and each den had a display table with this month's projects to show their parents. The center table was highlighted by four gold candles, making the awards presentation very impressive.

Cub Master Anderson and his wife gave a presentation entitled, "What Makes A Cub Scout."

Boys earning their Bobcat pins were: Den 1 - John Anderson, Billy Bartron, David Hopper, Jamie Martinez, Kelly Ward, Richard West, Chris Cox and Tony Richter.

Den 2 - Shawn Schappert and Marco Moreno
Den 3 - Dean Tubbs, Ron Danielowski, Jimmy Simpson, Danny Simpson and Steve Messick.

Webelos achieving their Craftsman Awards were: John Looney, Brian Benoit, Juan Ramos, Frank DeLeon. Den 3 closed the meeting and sang "Good Night Cub Scouts."

There were 52 persons present and included special guests, John Worrall, George Hirai and Mrs. Don Savage. Leaders for the pack are Orville Anderson, cub master; Donna Bartron, Judy West, Roberta Schappert, Karen Tubbs and Utta Cleaver, den mothers; Alan Benoit and Walt Looney, webelos leaders; and Ron Schappert, treasurer and assistant cub master.

Any boys wishing to join Cub Scouts are asked to call Orville Anderson, 372-3104.

LETTER TO EDITOR

Editor, The Journal:

I would like to enlist the help of your readers in a project I have undertaken. For my doctoral dissertation at the University of Oregon I am attempting to write a history of ornamental trees in Oregon. I want to be able to answer questions like: what trees were most often planted in different sections of the state? Why did people choose to plant those particular kinds of trees? Where were the seeds or seedlings obtained?

I have researched the files of the Oregon Historical Society, written to every county historical society and museum in the state, and travelled through most of Oregon noting what trees grow where, but I still have many questions left to answer. Since most everyone knows something about the trees growing in his or her locale, perhaps there is no better way to learn about trees than to ask the people themselves. Hopefully, some of your readers are interested in seeing this information collected and will have a few moments to write to me about the non-native trees growing in their area.

Any assistance will be greatly appreciated and, naturally, its source will be acknowledged.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,
Marie Deatherage
3224 SE Clinton
Portland, Oregon 97202

THANK YOU !

We would like to let everyone know how much we appreciate all of the help we have received since we lost our trailer home and belongings last Friday by fire. A sincere thank you to all who donated clothing, lodging, household goods, money, food, and for all the other kindnesses given us during this hard time. Thanks also to the Nyssa Fire Department for their prompt assistance.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Frank

THANK YOU !

I would like to thank the nurses and staff and Dr. David Sarazin and Dr. Arthur Dole for the fine care I received in both Malheur Memorial Hospital and the Caldwell Memorial Hospital. Much appreciated were the beautiful flowers, cards, gifts food, phone calls, visits and the other many kindnesses shown me during my recent surgery. Thanks to each and everyone.

Nancy Bowers

THANK YOU !

I want to thank Dr. Ken Kerby, the Malheur Memorial Hospital staff and the Nursing Home staff for the conscientious care given me during my recent hospitalization and my present stay in the nursing home. I deeply appreciated the beautiful flowers and cards and other kindnesses I received.

Ethel F. Thompson

OBITUARIES

Glenwood Pounds

Graveside services for Glenwood Pounds, 81, of Adrian, who died Friday, November 26, 1976 at home, were conducted Monday at the Nyssa Cemetery by the Rev. Fred Moxom, Owyhee Community Church, under the direction of the Lienkaemper Chapel, Nyssa.

He was born February 25, 1895 in Dacatur, Nebraska. As a young man he farmed in the Nyssa and Homedale areas. He later became a barber and worked in shops in Vale, Nyssa, Caldwell and Adrian. He married Mabel Hart of Vale, November 18, 1924. He served as Adrian Postmaster for 24 years, retiring in 1965. He was a veteran of World War I, and during his earlier years was well known throughout the valley as a dance violinist, and played in several orchestras, both as a member and a leader. For the past 16 years, he had been voiceless as the result of a laryngectomy and was able to communicate only by means of an artificial larynx developed by the Bell Telephone Company.

Surviving are his wife; one daughter, Gloria L. Holly, Adrian; one granddaughter, Mrs. Rex (Gigi) Smith, Adrian; one grandson, Tim Holly of Mt. Vernon, Oregon; and four great-grandchildren; one sister, Nellie Megordan, Yakima, Washington; several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers and five sisters.

Horace F. Chaney

Horace Fields Chaney was born near Caldwell, Idaho, June 2, 1908 and passed away at Caldwell November 5, 1976.

He moved with his family to the Roswell area as a small child and lived there until 1924 when they moved to the Big Bend Community. He ranched in that area until he retired in 1973 and moved to Caldwell.

He married Angeline Gifford, November 19, 1929 in Caldwell. To this union, eleven children were born. He served on the Adrian School board, Riverside Irrigation Board, was Big Bend Precinct Chairman for many years and was a member of the Big Bend Grange.

He is survived by his wife, Angeline of Caldwell; four daughters, Mrs. Don (Bernice) Kadel, Shirley Jensen, and Rosalie Chaney of Caldwell, Mrs. Pete (Lynn) Graham of Middleton; four sons, David of Ozone, Texas, Dallas of Adrian, Jim of Post Falls, Idaho and Sam of Boise; 21 grandchildren and a great-granddaughter. He was preceded in death by his parents, two sisters, a brother, a son and two daughters.

Funeral services were held November 9 at Caldwell with burial in the Canyon Hill Cemetery.

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Fire Dept.-503-372-2220
St. Police 503-889-6468

Adrian Mercantile
503-372-2727
208-724-6131

Adrian Oil Company
503-372-2877
208-724-6130

Bea's Beauty Bar
503-372-2653

Callahan Repair Service
Wrecker Service
503-372-3213

Freel Brothers Trucking
Commodity & Livestock
503-372-2736

Martin's Market
& Adrian Supply
503-372-2722

Mirage Cafe & lounge
Live music Sat. night
503-372-2338

Parker Lmbr. & Hrdwre
503-372-2433
208-724-6174

Stephen Plumbing
Oregon & Idaho licensed
503-372-2783

Van DeWater Leveling
503-372-2562

Webb Service Garage
503-372-2464

Roy W. Stang

Roy W. Stang, 66, of Port Hueneme, California, former Nyssa resident, died Tuesday, October 19, 1976, following a brief illness. Funeral services were held Tuesday, October 26, at Payton Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. John R. Foster of the First Baptist Church, Port Hueneme, officiating. Interment was at Conejo, Mountain Park, Camarillo, California, California.

He was born June 22, 1910 in Fargo, North Dakota. He owned and operated the Shady Rest Motel in Nyssa for several years. He was the proprietor of a trailer park in California for one year. Stang worked as a welder in the Alameda Company shipyard near San Francisco after World War II. He also was in Guam as a Civil Service worker after the war.

He is survived by his wife, Wilma; a son, Charles Gass of Brighton, Mass.; a daughter, Florella Cornish of Brighton, Massachusetts and a sister, Lois Felt of Chippewa Lake, Michigan.

Nazarene Church News

Sunday, December 5, Morning Prayer at the Church, 7 a.m.

Christian Education Classes, 9:45 a.m.

Children's Church, 11 a.m. Morning Worship with message by Pastor Russell, 11 a.m.

Choir Practice, 6:30 p.m. Evening service with the Galilean Singers who will present a sacred concert, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, December 7, Ladies Bible Study at the home of Nancy Larson, 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday, December 8, Bible Study at the Nursing Home, 4 p.m.

Midweek service will be devoted to the Missionary Study, as well as group meetings of Caravan children and Teens, 7:30 p.m.

MALHEUR HOSPITAL

NURSING HOME NEWS



The residents of the Nyssa Nursing Home enjoyed pumpkin pie, coffee and hot punch Friday morning at 10:30 a.m. The pies were made from the Jack O' lanterns which had adorned the tables for fall. Mrs. Vera Webb's Job's Daughters furnished musical numbers and singing, accompanied by Mrs. Marie Wilson. The girls assisted the Auxiliary ladies as well as entertaining the residents. Young folks are always welcome in the home. Thank you girls and leaders.

Bingo will be held as usual again Thursday morning. Thanksgiving took the place of bingo last week.

Park Avenue Baptist Church

Sunday, December 7 - Sunday School for all ages, 10 a.m.

Worship Service, in the sanctuary with message by Pastor Dale Mitchell, 11 a.m. Choir practice and Christmas program rehearsal, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, December 9 - Youth Group. Macrame and painting classes now in session. All young people welcome. Church basement, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, December 10 Bible Study and prayer meeting, 7 p.m.

Church News
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Evangelist Slated At Conservative Baptist Church

Sydney (Syd) Frank, a Bible teaching evangelist and musician from Gladstone, Oregon, will be heard at the Conservative Baptist Church in Nyssa this Sunday and during the week.

His schedule is as follows: Sunday, December 5, morning worship service, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening service, 7:30 p.m.

Monday, December 6, at church, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, December 8, at church, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, December 9, Banquet at the Eastside in Ontario, 7:30 p.m.

Having been in the pastoral ministry for about 20 years, he brings to the churches and areas where he conducts his services maturity and experience, as well as effective programming and preaching.

Besides his pastoral experience, he has been a staff member of four Youth for Christ rallies, and has traveled with the Christ for America evangelists association as a field evangelist. He has spoken and presented



Syd Frank

music for many local church meetings, youth rallies, and city-wide evangelistic meetings.

The public is invited to any and all of the services. Anyone wishing to attend the banquet is asked to call Dee Stam, at 372-2843.

United Methodist Church News

The United Methodist Church and the Rev. Jim Monroe welcome you to all church activities.

Thursday, December 2 - General Women's Meeting, 2 p.m.

Sunday, December 5 - Prayer Service, 9 a.m.

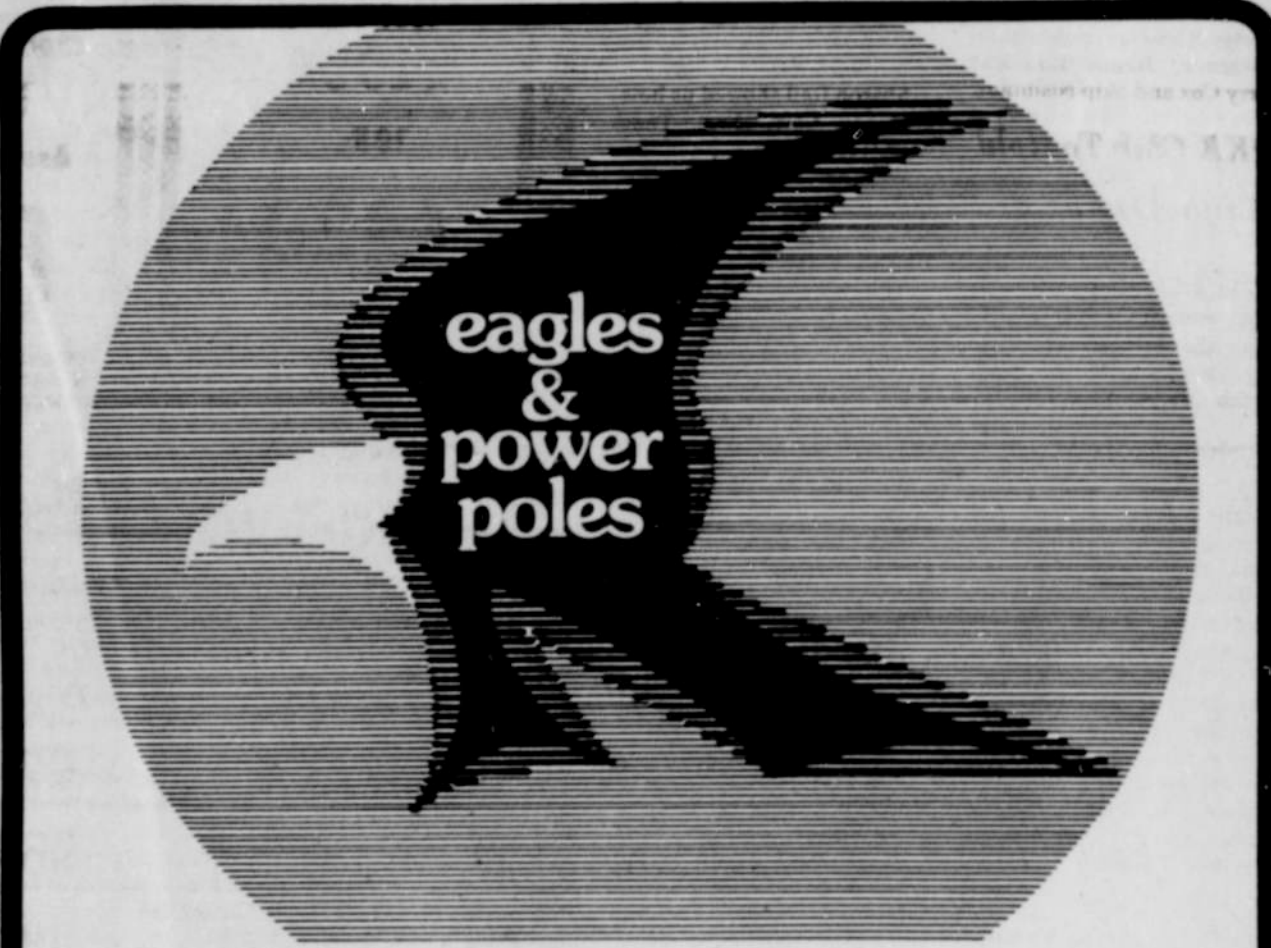
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Worship Service, "Play It Again John." Study Luke, Chapter 1, 11 a.m.

Tuesday, December 7 - Bible Study at the church, 5 p.m. Ten Brave Christians at the Church, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, December 8 - Pray Partners Breakfast, Groups 21-23, 7:30 a.m.

Finance Committee, 7 p.m. Administrative Board, 8 p.m.

Saturday, December 11 - Come and help decorate for Christmas, 3-5 p.m.



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