

OUT OF THE PAST

10 YEARS AGO

Ernie Lewis, an Adrian High School junior, returned home with first place honors in the tenor vocal division in the State's Solo Music contest at Monmouth.

The youth sang "Schubert's Serenade" before a panel of three judges, all from Washington state. There were five tenors vying for the title.

Ernie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lewis.

hardware, photographs, various stocks, printing, sheep, kitchen knick knacks and on down the list, to the unsuspecting.

I earn my living in Nyssa and I am duty bound to spend most of my money here. I like to deal with friends and neighbors who pay taxes, contribute to various worthy undertakings and help build up the community.

50 YEARS AGO

Jordan Valley ranchers here. A party of Jordan Valley ranchers made a trip to the county seat Wednesday. They made good time on their journey, making the trip in five hours, as the roads are in very good condition. T. T. Garlick, George S. Parka and Simon Decaran were in the party.

60 YEARS AGO

R. R. Bowman, an extensive sheep raiser, was in Nyssa Sunday looking for lost sheep. He came to the right place, all right. Several hundred head of his woolies were located here, they having been found wandering aimlessly about and taken up and cared for by sympathetic ranchers, who weren't going to see so much good mutton go to make a banquet for coyotes if they could help it. Out of 800 head which strayed, Mr. Bowman has recovered all but about 50, and he contains hopes that they will all be found eventually.

30 YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd L. Tobler of Shell Lake, Wisconsin have arrived in Nyssa to make their home.

Mr. Tobler has entered partnership with his son, Hugh Tobler, and Eugene H. Flesman in the Al Thompson and Son feed and seed business.

40 YEARS AGO

Here's an effective answer to the glib tongue and smooth peddler, who with the return of prosperity, is coming in droves to offer stockings,

Events Around Adrian

By Dale Witt

ADRIAN Mrs. Hazel Schafer went to Caldwell, Wednesday, where she visited her sister, Mabel and Mrs. Kirby Kendall until Saturday.

Mrs. Mable Piercy and Mrs. Bill Toomb went to Weiser Sunday afternoon and visited Mr. and Mrs. Herb Thomas.

Mrs. Mable Piercy and Mrs. Bill Toomb went to Nampa Thursday and attended the funeral services at the funeral home for Mrs. Florence Henderlinder, with burial services at Melba.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Parker went to La Grande Saturday and spent the weekend with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Van DeWater and son Kent of

Caldwell were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Begeman.

Mrs. Sue Ashcraft went to Idaho Falls Wednesday evening and returned home Thursday. She attended the Darwin-Haney wedding at the LDS Temple there.

Mrs. Sue Ashcraft attended the Budget dinner at the Owyhee LDS Ward Tuesday evening and the Smorgasbord at the Adrian School Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Gossard came Thursday and are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Freel after spending the winter in Texas and Arizona.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Keven Rountree and son of Hepler came and spent the weekend in the Oliver Freel home.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Freel

and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Miller and family of Payette were Saturday evening dinner guests in the Oliver Freel home. The above group were all Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Freel.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Begeman accompanied by Mrs. Dale Witt called on Mrs. W. C. Van DeWater in Caldwell Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Looney and Mrs. Anna Long took Mary Looney to the plane Wednesday. She went to Galena, Alaska where she will be working for the BLM for the summer.

Dave and Doug Looney of Ontario came Friday evening and spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Looney while their parents were in Portland to an attorney's convention.

Friday evening, Marie Moore, Mary Barnes, and Anna Long accompanied Mildred Elliott to a Delta Kappa Gamma dinner meeting in Vale.

Mr. and Mrs. George DeHaven were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Skerjanec and family in Ontario.

Friday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Mackey visited Judy Lovitt in the Holy Rosary Hospital in Ontario where she was recovering from recent surgery. She returned home on Sunday.

Hank Moore of Bend, Oregon came Monday to visit his mother, Mrs. Marie Moore. He returned home on Friday.

Mrs. Marie Moore had Bible study in her home Wednesday morning. Those attending brought a birthday

cake honoring Mrs. Moore's birthday and they all enjoyed cake and coffee following the Bible study.

Koffee Klutch met with Mrs. Marie Moore Wednesday afternoon.

Kingman Kolony News

By Dale Witt

KINGMAN KOLONY Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phifer and her mother, Mrs. Bill Toomb attended the Dairy Princess Banquet Friday evening at the Eastside Cafe in Ontario.

Mrs. Wayne Robb and Mrs. Shirley Breshars of Roswell attended a Historical Tour Concert at Weiser Saturday, April 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Robb attended the Astoreca-Robbins wedding at the Methodist Church in Nyssa Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Dennis

and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Osborn and baby of Prosser, Washington and Mrs. Grace Cearley of Emmett, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Myron Osborn and family. They all attended Carmen Astoreca's wedding at the Methodist Church in Nyssa Saturday evening. Cindy Dennis was maid of honor.

Mearl McClure of Ronchester, Wyo., came Thursday to visit his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kygar. They had a family dinner for him on Friday. There were 28 guests. He left for his home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Cutler and boys were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conant and family.

Journal Classifieds Bring Results!

THRIFTWAY RAY'S FOOD FAIR

NYSSA, OREGON

10c COUPON

WHEATIES 75¢

Exp. 4-30-77 18 oz.

GOOD AT RAY'S FOOD FAIR

13c COUPON

BISQUICK \$1.19

Exp. 4-30-77 60 oz.

GOOD AT RAY'S FOOD FAIR

Pierce Old Faithful

boneless hams

Whole Hardwood Smoked 8-11 lb.

\$1.29 Lb.

Western Family 1/2 gal.

ICE CREAM 99¢

Chiffon 200 ct.

FACIAL TISSUE White & Asstd.

2 FOR 50¢

w/G.S. Mini Book 2 for \$1 SPECIAL PRICE

Planters

PEANUT BUTTER Cream or Crunchy

\$3.69 6 lb.

w/G.S. Mini Book \$4.19 SPECIAL PRICE

Purina

DOG CHOW 25 lb.

\$4.99

w/G.S. Mini Book \$5.49 SPECIAL PRICE

Del Monte

CATSUP 6 oz. Free

39¢ 38 oz.

w/G.S. Mini Book 89¢ SPECIAL PRICE

Western Family

SOUP Crm of Mushroom or Chicken Noodle

4 FOR 39¢ 10.5 oz.

w/G.S. Mini Book 4 for 89¢ SPECIAL PRICE

Clearwater 6.5 oz.

BONITA FLAKES 2 FOR 89¢

Hefty 10's

TRASH BAGS 99¢

HANDI WRAP 100 ft. 49¢

ZIP LOC BAGS 25's 65¢

Friskies 20 lb.

PUPPY FOOD \$4.49

Mission 7.3 oz.

DINNERS Macaroni & Cheese 4 FOR 89¢

BUC WHEATS 89¢

Ajax 4" off label

CLEANSER 14 oz. 4 FOR \$1

Palmolive Liquid 20" Off Label

DETERGENT 32 oz. \$1.19

strawberries fresh ripe

69¢ Qt.

AVOCADOS Jumbo 3 FOR \$1

TOMATOES 39¢ Lb.

ARTICHOKES 4 FOR \$1

POTATOES 20 lb. Bag 98¢

BROWNIES Deep Fudge 12 FOR \$1

BREAD Buttermilk 16 oz. 3 FOR \$1

Ray's Food In-Store Bakery

Effective Dates: April 28, 29, 30

Birdseye

VEGETABLES 8 oz. 2 FOR \$1

Peas/Creme Sauce, Potatoes & Creme, Pearl Onions

Lynden Farms

HASH BROWNS 2 lb. 3 FOR \$1

Heat & Serve

FRIED CHICKEN 2 lb. \$1.59

ON SALE THIS WEEK

Bonsai Collection

SALAD PLATE

MORNINGSTAR, SANIBEL or RIVERCHASE 3 Beautiful Patterns ONLY 69¢ PER PIECE WITH EVERY \$5.00 PURCHASE

The Circuit Writer

By Rev. Jim Monroe

Old Indian Proverb: "The longest journey begins with only one step."

Trying to hide the brush of confusion that was painting my face I asked the Juntura farmer for directions, once again, to the Warm Springs Dam. I was anxious to catch some of the huge lunkers that were supposed to be lurking in the waters below the dam, but this farmer's directions had gotten me all turned around. I had no idea of where I was going!

"Well," he was very patient, "you go up this road anywhere between sixteen and eighteen miles; turn back to the right at the 'T' before you get to where the road turns the other way at the 'T' to Riverside; turn in almost a 'U' turn and stay on the high road of the two that are there; then go a bit and don't go over the low road that will take you over a black bridge and on into Drewsey, which is a pretty drive but won't help your fishin' none; go over the mountain on the right road which is on the right and presto, you go over the bridge and there you are, at the dam."

He smiled at me very graciously, almost daring me to ask again. I thanked him and tried, once again, to sort out all he had said. "Now do I go until I get to the 'U' or do I turn at the 'T'?"

and make a "U"...what if there isn't any turn...my gosh! what if there aren't eighteen miles of road???"

I began the journey, still lost, confused and thinking about going home and feeding my pet guppies. Fretting gave way to wonder as I drove through the wild country surrounding Juntura. Two antelope darted across the road in front of the car, making the trip worthwhile, whatever else happened.

Sitting in my study, now, one day later, I am still amazed at what happened. But, do you know that when I got to the various spots, that farmer's directions not only made sense but brought me to the dam without a hitch? It reinforces a personal belief that half of the problem of getting anywhere or doing anything, is in the thinking about it beforehand. It seems we spend more effort worrying about something than we spend actually doing it.

It's not hard to conjure up enough complications, about a course of action, to commit ourselves to inaction. Maybe we should all take a lesson from my experience. Whatever it is in your life or your day that you're thinking about doing, but are allowing potential problems or complications to stop you from beginning.....the longest journey only begins with one small step. Keep the faith!

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