

Quines Creek Couple Attend Family Reunion In Eugene

By MRS. GERALD B. FOX
Mr. and Mrs. George Newman of Quines Creek, near Azalea, drove to Eugene recently to attend a family reunion at the home of Newman's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Nix. Some thirty relatives were present, including one brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Chowning of Corvallis, who had just returned from a two-month trip to Australia.

Installation Attended
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Edson Sr. of Glendale drove to Reedsport recently and attended the installation of the Gardiner Assembly No. 28, Rainbow for Girls. When Mrs. Howard Edson Jr. was installed as worthy advisor.

Mr. and Mrs. William Nestell, who drove her sister and sister-in-law home after their month's visit in Glendale, have returned home. They took Mrs. Nestell's sister, Mrs. Viola Hess of Havre, Mont., and Mrs. Dora Emery of Valley City, N. Dak. home. In Livingston, Mont., they visited Mrs. Guy-la Vaughn, a former Glendale resident, and Nestell's sister, Mrs. Lauren Doudy, in Greenleaf, Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie O'Roke and son, Billy, accompanied by Mrs. Zelma Smith of Azalea, drove to Roseburg Sunday to visit with former Glendale residents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Seance.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Knowles are building a new home on property they purchased from the Ralph Haggards.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hanson of Harrisburg were recent guests at the Jim Emmons home.

Hunters Have Luck
Robert Van Duesen and son of Portland visited over the weekend with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mehl Jr. of Glendale. The men went hunting and both Van Duesen and Mehl got deer.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hromadka

have moved their trailer home to a lot near the Presbyterian Church. They plan to operate a restaurant in Glendale.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Shepherd of Jacksonville, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. Joda Shepherd of Pencil Bluff, Ark., who came to attend the funeral of Joda Shepherd's daughter, Mrs. Nettie Smart of Glendale, have returned home. Mrs. Smart's sister, Mrs. Dennis Thurman of Jacksonville, N. C., has also returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Newman had a recent visit from his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Newman of Milton-Freewater. Mrs. Newman's sister, Mrs. Etta Vierra of San Diego, was also a guest.

Mrs. Blaine Johnson of the Cow Creek Farm Bureau attended the state Women's Council meeting for that organization recently in Salem.

Mrs. Gerald Fox represented the Merina Community Baptist Church at the Fall Rally of the Rogue River Baptist Women's Association held recently in Medford.

Residents Hospitalized

Jane Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Starline Lee, has been released from Rogue Valley Hospital following medical treatment.

Mrs. Walter Reynolds had recent surgery in Josephine General Hospital in Grants Pass.

Mrs. Sidney Perry had surgery recently at Sacred Heart Hospital in Eugene.

Linda Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stewart, had an emergency appendectomy Saturday in Josephine General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rempel of Glendale are the parents of a baby girl, Cherie Geannine, weight 5 pounds, 6 ounces, born Sept. 22 at Josephine General Hospital in Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moschkau are the parents of a 7 pound, 6 1/2 ounce, baby boy, Ronald Craig, born Sept. 27.

Slide Survey Near Tiller Completed By BLM Crew

C. Albert White, cadastral surveyor with the Bureau of Land Management, Department of Interior, and his five-man crew headquartered in Portland, recently returned to their home base after spending three weeks surveying section lines on land involved in the Dompier Creek slippage. The marker indicating the corner common to Sections 14, 15, 22 and 23, Township 30 South, Range 2 West of the Willamette Meridian, was displaced in the upheaval of February, 1962.

The men were quartered in the bunkhouse of the old Tiller mill during their stay and their mobile office was parked nearby.

Mrs. Donald M. Olson was released from Myrtle Creek Hospital Tuesday after spending a week there following major surgery. She is now recuperating at her home upriver from Tiller. Her mother, Mrs. Albin Ambler of Rolette, N.D., is visiting at the Olson home and caring for the household during her daughter's convalescence.

Jon Lillgren has begun his freshman studies at Southern Oregon College in Ashland. The son of Ranger and Mrs. Hillard M. Lillgren of the Tiller Ranger Station, he was a spring graduate of Days Creek High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Henry have returned to their home on Red Butte Road following the past several months spent in Idlewild Park while the former was employed in a logging operation there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dahack made a recent trip to Klamath County to obtain a supply of wild plums.

Rosemary Porter, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Porter, has begun her freshman studies in the School of Veterinary Medicine, Oregon State University in Corvallis, and is residing in Hawley Hall.

Miss Porter graduated last June from Days Creek High School, where her activities included serving as yell queen her senior year.

Mrs. Bill Perry and two children and Mrs. Jim Piffer and daughter came from Steamboat Ranger Sta-

FARM FOREST FACTS

BY BOB BRADLEY
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Now is the time to start planning your fall and winter tree planting. Although order blanks will probably not be out for about a month, you should be taking stock of the situation now.

If reforestation of cutover lands for timber production is your problem, you will want to consider such species as Douglas-fir, ponderosa pine, incense cedar and sugar pine. Port Orford cedar could fall into this category in certain areas, but is more often planted as a wind-break tree.

Firs, Pines Used
If Christmas trees are your concern, Douglas-fir will still fill the bill, but the true firs and certain pines are also appropriate. True firs include grand (lowland white) fir, white (upland white or concolor) fir, noble fir and Shasta fir. A limited amount of pines are also good, such as lodgepole, Scotch, Austrian and sugar pines. A few Sierra redwoods and Norway spruce may also be included.

How you know where to plant what trees is often asked? All trees prefer ample moisture accompanied by good drainage. They like water but don't want wet feet. So avoid poorly drained areas and places that flood from high water.

Generally, trees grow better on north slopes, with east, west and south progressively less favorable. Actually south slopes present the worst problems, but are still not unsolvable.

Adversities Met
As stated, trees, like people, prefer a good comfortable existence. But, also like people, they will tolerate certain adversities and still thrive. This tolerance varies with individual species.

Firs of all kinds require more moisture than pines. True firs are usually the most demanding in this respect, and they even vary in their moisture requirements amongst themselves.

So where do we begin you may ask? Pines will grow on all slopes but may succumb to brush competition on north slopes. Douglas-fir will grow on all slopes but need to be paper sheet mulched on south slopes for adequate survival. True firs grow best on northerly slopes, will also grow on east and west slopes, but should be excluded from south slopes.

The foregoing general recommendations are intended for land too steep for cultivation and are mentioned to give you an idea as to the planting possibilities of your land. For accurate determination of what trees are best for your land you should seek the advice of a professional forester, as the many different situations cannot be written into general recommendations.

Prepare Ground
If your land is capable of cultivation, and a good job of cultivation is done, you can grow any or all of the species mentioned with success. The usual procedure is to prepare the ground as for a grain crop, summer-fallow it, plant it in the fall or winter and cultivate it for two growing seasons thereafter. Many Christmas tree growers prefer this method, as early returns from their investment justify the greater initial investment.

Spacing for reforestation for timber purposes varies from 6' x 6' to about 9' x 9' depending upon various things. For Christmas trees, it varies from 4' x 4' to 6' x 6', with 5' x 5' being the most common. For specific recommendations contact your State Farm Forester or County Extension Forester.

GETS THE MESSAGE
WEST PLAINS, Mo. (UPI) — Ronald W. Hyde, 20, Flint, Mich., was arrested recently in connection with the theft of two tape recorders, a radio and cash from three churches.

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