

Mr. and Mrs. Franw Endert of Smith River are the parents of a baby boy, born on August 13th, at Seaside Hospital. He has been named Roderick Francis. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. Henry of Harbor, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Endert of Crescent City.

The Enderts are managers of the Smith River Drug Store and the Greyhound Bus Agency.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bailey, of Lamath Falls, former Smith River residents, are calling on relatives and many old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James "Jimmy" Harris, daughter Billie Mrs. Gus Harris) and the latter's three children of Santa Rosa, left last Thursday, after a weeks visit here. Brookings was their old home for many years. Jimmy came here to Curry County from his home in Perth, Scotland, to live with his uncle, the late George Scott Harris whose home ranch took in all of the so-called Dawson Tract and the Harris Beach State Park, named after the original owner. Mrs. Harris has several relatives around here with whom they also visited: Mrs. George Fitzhugh, of Brookings; Mrs. Henry Cooper, Smith River and a brother, Everett, at Langlois. Billie went through the local schools and was a star athlete.

FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH

By CLIFFORD ROWE

I doubt if there is anyone living today who doesn't at some time or another wish that he had enough money to buy all the articles offered for sale on the market. Being subjected to a continual barrage of advertising in the press, TV and radio, it really is a miracle that everyone isn't head over heels in debt.

As far as I am concerned, I'm glad that I don't have any surplus money; and I'm equally glad that my father impressed on me early in life that one should never try to live beyond his income.

When I read of airplane trips to Hawaii as a reward for buying a new car or of giving more on a trade-in than one would be required to pay for a new one, I almost break down and weep in spite of the fact that I don't need a new car. Similarly, my home suddenly appears shabby and unattractive when I see the pictures of new homes which can be purchased for practically nothing down and a lifetime to pay the balance.

In spite of all these temptations, however, to keep up with the Jones's, I still manage to derive a great deal of satisfaction from knowing that I am living within my monthly salary. While it is an established fact that Americans enjoy a higher standard of living

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones took a weekend vacation from their fern picking and went out to their old stomping grounds in the back country gold mining areas. They looked over the country at the end of the road swinging right from Kerby and crossing the Illinois at the Anderson Ranch. They used to have a prospect out there, years ago, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Frazier.

than any others in the world, I'm sometimes prone to come to the conclusion that many are enjoying a higher standard than they can afford.

My father, who recently passed away, had no savings and no property. Rearing a family of six children on laborer's wages had made such a situation impossible. But at the same time, Dad never owed a debt that he didn't pay off; he never bought anything which he couldn't afford; and as a result his children learned to be happy with what they had.

Dad didn't leave us any property, but he did leave us something far more valuable. We learned from him that living within one's means was much more satisfying and more conducive to peace of mind than living in the midst of luxuries which rightfully didn't belong to us and by no stretch of the imagination could ever possibly be ours.

SOME STATES TO GIVE BONUS

Several states have recently passed veterans' bonus acts, in one form or another, among them:

Connecticut's Korean veterans who lived in the state for at least one year before active duty may be eligible for payment up to \$300. Applications should be made to the Bonus Division of the State Treasurer's Office, Hartford.

Pennsylvania's World War II veterans may have up to \$500 coming to them and applications are available at the World War II Veterans Compensation Bureau, Harrisburg, Penn.

In Iowa, the house passed a bill authorizing payments up to \$500 for Korean veterans and certain others who died of service connected disabilities. The matter will go to the voters at the November 1956 election for a proposed bond issue.

New York has several Korean bonus bills pending, but it is doubtful if any of them will be processed during the current session.

Veterans' outfits in New Jersey are forming up a campaign for World War II and Korean bonuses to be financed through various sources other than general taxes or a bond issue.

The House of Representatives in Illinois voted, 119-6 on an act to pay Korean veterans up to a maximum of \$892.50 but further action is pending.

TELL OF WEDDING OF JOHNSONS

So many friends of Homer and Osa Johnson were very pleasantly surprised to learn of their recent wedding. Both came from Klamath Falls to this area, some ten years ago, and made their home on an acreage overlooking the Chetco, and now within the city limits.

They were wed August 17th, at 8 a.m. by Rev. Allen Gibson, at the House of Prayer, Hiouchi, attended by their daughter, Phyllis, and her husband, Nick Baumgardner Jr. The bride was given in marriage by her son, Robert, and there were present all five of her sons and one daughter, as well as old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Parker.

After the wedding the newly weds left for a short visit with the bride's niece, returning to

their "Tween Points" home here. The couple have been recipients of many valuable and handsome gifts.

RETURN WITH BUS

Leo Lums and his daughter, Helen, took just a week to drive to Brookings the 66 passenger school bus, from the factory, at Lima, Ohio. Outside remarkable climate and a thrilling experience negotiating the Big Horn mountains with touchy brakes, Leo and Helen report having a fine trip.

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