

### Wasco Girl Married Sunday Christian Church

Miss Gene Spencer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spencer, and Alvin Robert Miles of The Dalles were united in marriage at one o'clock, July 23. Rev. Gilbert Carey performed the wedding ceremony at the Christian church. Julia Miles, a sister of the bridegroom and Arthur Suencer, brother of the bride, were the attendants of the bridal couple. The bride wore a blue afternoon dress and the church was decorated in assorted colors of gladioli.

At the family residence of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer a 2:30 o'clock wedding dinner was enjoyed and served to guests including the Spencer family, Mr. and Mrs. Merl Miles, Glenn Miles, Julia and Ellen Miles, Mrs. Louise Dowel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Betts and children, Marie and John, all from The Dalles and Marjorie Rich from Wasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Waltermeyer of Santa Ana, California have a baby boy arriving on July 3. Mrs. Waltermeyer is known here as Altruda Beletski.

Carl Henderson spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. White and returned the following day to the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Feldman motored to Hermiston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fulton left Wednesday for Seattle.

Mrs. C. A. Moore of Goldendale left the home of her parents Sunday for Tygh Valley where she will visit before returning home. Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Grady too, her over to Tygh Valley.

Miss Joy White of Portland spent the week end home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. White.

The remainder of the unharvested grain burned on the Proudfoot farm Saturday. A fire was also started on the Francis Watkins farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Schultz and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. DeHaven, of The Dalles visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Moon Sunday. Mrs. Schultz is a sister of Mrs. Moon, and Mr. and Mrs. DeHaven are her parents.

Jess Leonard, one time teacher in the Wasco schools, and now dramatics instructor at Ontario was in the cast of the summer school play at Oregon State.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Proudfoot of Hood River were here Sunday to see his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Endicott of Prineville visited here Saturday. Hazel Hatley accompanied them back to Prineville, to stay with her sister, Mrs. Gervais, for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McKean were week end guests from Portland and spent the time here with relatives.

Orville Hines and family of Klamath Falls spent Monday at the home of Mrs. Ida King.

Mrs. Crews and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Morrow left for Portland Wednesday and returned home Saturday accompanied by Mrs. Abbie Hull, mother of Mrs. Crews.

Mary and Kemp, children of Mr. and Mrs. Hudson White, stayed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bruckert the past week while their parents made a business trip to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Guss Hartman motored to the point Sunday for a visit.

Mrs. B. Estrella Hailey visited in Portland with her father over the week end.

Miss Dorothy Knox is helping Mrs. W. B. Rice during the harvest season.

Miss Gertrude Hansen came from Portland to stay several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ove Hansen.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Watkins drove to White Salmon Sunday and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kuhnhausen. Harry Richelderfer came home with them, to spend his vacation here.

Rev. Gilbert Carey left for Gresham to bring his family home. They have been staying at the farm home of Joe Brooks sister for the past two months. Mr. Carey has been riving the tractor on the Bruckert farm finishing work there Tuesday.

Henry Richelderfer was a business visitor in The Dalles Wednesday.

Miss Florence Armsworthy who has been attending summer school

### Missouri Meerschaum—From Cob Bin to Cob Pipe



Home of the Missouri meerschaum is peaceful little Washington, Mo., famous as the birthplace of the corn-cob pipe. Smoked by Alaskan sourdoughs, Congo chieftains and many an average man, these pipes are sold everywhere in the world. Left: After cobs are sawed into pipe lengths, the pills are bored out and master workmen turn the cobs into pipe-bowl shapes on power lathes. The cob is burnished and its pores filled with plaster of paris. Center: Surplus plaster is removed and first coat of varnish applied. Then punching machines fashion stem openings and after another coat of varnish, the pipe is ready. Right: Mayor Fiorenzo H. LaGuardia of New York smokes his flame-scarred favorite corn-cob pipe at his desk. Other famous corn-cob pipe smokers whose testimonials are on file include Marshal Foch, General Pershing, Sen. Bennett Clark and H. L. Mencken.

### Ormsby Family Pays Tribute to Connie Mack



Earl Mack, coach of the Philadelphia Athletics and son of Connie Mack, venerable manager of that club who is recuperating from an illness, receives a plaque in tribute to the "grand old man" of baseball from the 12 children of Umpire Emmett T. (Red) Ormsby before a game in Shibe park. Mrs. Ormsby, left, superintended the presentation ceremonies.

at Eugene visited her brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. John Illingsworth at The Dalles, and returned home Tuesday.

Miss Jessie Knox is having a weeks vacation in The Dalles as a guest of Miss Leota Holmes.

Those persons from here going Sunday to Northwestern lake included Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Weld and James Maddox.

Joe Hilderbrand will finish harvest soon, after harvesting for John McDermid and at the Frank Lamborn place.

Twenty seven sacks of wheat were burned on the Gosior farm Thursday, although the fire was noticed soon after it started.

Dr. Arthur Laidlaw and wife of Portland plan on coming up to see Mr. and Mrs. Harry Van Gilder Saturday. Miss Helen Laidlaw, a niece of Mrs. Van Gilder, will return home with them Sunday after spending several weeks here.

Mrs. G. A. Sargent and daughter, Mary Jeanette Neville, visited in The Dalles Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Mace Fulton.

Mrs. Louis Scholl returned home from Echo Tuesday. Mr. Scholl has been staying at Northwestern lake and came for his wife Thursday.

Miss Vivian Trounce of Moro was a week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Sargent.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Sexton of Portland visited with Mrs. Crossfield and Mrs. Amos.

Joe Brackett came from Portland Sunday to look after his business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Banta of Vernonia visited over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Brock.

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### State Fair Awards Set

Premium awards and purses offered at the 1939 state fair, which opens Labor day at Salem, will be in excess of \$54,000, Fair Manager Leo Spitzbert announces. The bulk of the monies, about \$39,000 will go to exhibitors in the livestock, farm products, floral, home-making, art and junior departments. Premium lists for all interested are available by writing the state fair, Salem.

Awards for the night horse show events will total nearly \$4,500 and purses for the afternoon running races will reach \$10,000.

In addition to the cash awards put up by the fair management, winners of top prizes will receive special awards offered by Breed Associations.

A record in early fair entries was set this month when first livestock entries were made before July 20 by Avon Yoder, Beaver Creek swine breeder, and Paul Talbot, Canyonville sheep breeder.

Also, an exceptionally large machinery exhibit for farmers is already definitely assured, as this space was virtually all contracted before mid-July. Many of these exhibitors have increased size of their show, making it necessary for the fair to allot additional grounds to them.

### Nez Perce Tribe Disclaims Joseph

"Special to the Sherman County Journal from our Washington Washington, D. C., July 28, Special—Chief Joseph was ready to fight the United States rather than be moved away from beautiful Wallowa valley. The Nez Perce war of 1877 is one of the most historic in the west, and Chief Joseph led his warriors from Wallowa valley across part of Washington, Idaho and Montana before the regulars under Gen. Nelson A. Miles forced him to surrender.

Just as a house committee in congress reported favorably an appropriation of \$25,000 to erect a monument to Chief Joseph at Lapwai, Idaho, the Nez Perce there say that Chief Joseph was only

part Nez Perce, that he was half Umatilla, and they assert that he is not entitled to credit for the skill in out-guessing the army for months, contending that the real leaders were Chief Lookingglass and Chief Whitebird.

There were 75 hit-and-run traffic accidents during the month of June this year, none of them resulting in fatalities, Earl Snell, secretary of state, reported today. In six of the accidents injuries occurred.

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### Crop Prospects Now Better

Some improvement in general crop prospects in the country as a whole has occurred, during recent weeks, accompanied by somewhat less favorable farm price trends, according to information given in a report on the agricultural situation just released by the agricultural extension service at Oregon State college. Late crops were helped by favorable weather, but early crops such as wheat, oats, barley, rye, and probably hay, will not yield so well owing to unfavorable growing conditions early in the season.

The general farm price level in the country as a whole is scarcely as high as a year ago, although the Oregon index is somewhat higher. The general economic situation continues to indicate relatively stable demand conditions for farm products, according to the report, indicating that farm price trends may depend considerably upon the supply of the various commodities.

On the whole, the production of all crops combined is expected to fall considerably below the bumper output of 1937 and even somewhat below 1938. Total fruit production will probably be above average and potato production may be about average, judging from present prospects. Considering carry-over stocks as well as 1939 production, supplies of practically all farm

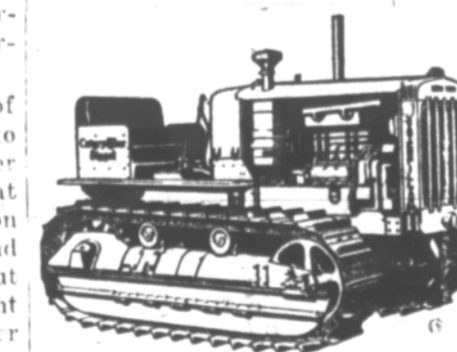
products are expected to be quite ample, both for food purposes and for animal feeding operations.

The report contains much information regarding the prospective supply and current prices of various farm products of commercial importance in Oregon, including wheat and rye, feed grains, hay, potatoes, hops, beans, flaxseed, sugar beets, apples, pears, prunes, and other fruits, nuts, forage crops and various animal products. The report is available free from county agricultural agents.

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