

Word Received of Tom Fraser's Marriage In Ariz.

News has been received of the marriage of Tom Fraser Jr., on July 31st at Tucson, Arizona, to Miss E. Johnston of Fort Smith, Ark. Miss Johnston is recent graduate of the University of Arizona. The couple are on their honeymoon through Grand Canyon, the fair at San Francisco and expect to visit home folks on their trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Martin had as over night guests Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Watkins of Gresham, who are uncle and aunt of Mrs. Martin; and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Meyers, also of Gresham.

Joe Truitt donated a flag to the county to be flown from the flag staff.

Melvin Schadewitz and family are taking their ease at Diamond and Crater lakes this week, Mel getting over the harvest rush and the children getting ready for the winter school term.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sparling left Thursday for Portland where they will join Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Damon on a trip to Banff in British Columbia, which will take a couple of weeks.

Mrs. A. M. Nelson was taken to The Dalles hospital Wednesday evening with an acute case of appendicitis. An immediate operation was performed.

Judge Carl Hendricks was here Monday to attend to business of his office. He was returning from Salem where he had attended the American Legion convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ruggles were in Portland last week end. Lester Conlee and wife left Friday for Nelscot where they will spend several days in the cooler atmosphere.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hoskinson are on their annual vacation from work at the experiment station.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry G. Hanson returned last Friday from a three weeks vacation spent in Portland. They were accompanied home by their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. I. Roy S. Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles French and children drove to Salem Friday to see a part of the Legion convention going from there to the coast. Jane and Patty remained at Hillsboro until this week.

Mrs. E. E. Barnum and son Cleo, and grand children Carol and Robert, went to Portland Sunday to return the children to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Melzer spent Saturday and Sunday in the Hood River valley, coming and visiting with their daughter, Norma, who came up from Portland.

Miss Faye Thompson returned this week from the Hawaiian Islands where she had spent her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Martin had as guests Thursday evening, Mrs. Gilbert Corey and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Watkins and children all from Wasco. Also visiting them were Mrs. Martin's sister, Peggy Hodges from Corvallis, and Roger Broer of The Dalles.

A crew of men and boys to fight fire near Stevenson, Washington was being recruited here Thursday by Ray Blake.

J. N. Stevenson was in Moro Thursday to visit his daughter, Mrs. M. E. McKee.

A lavette shower in honor of Mrs. W. F. McLeod was given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Truman Strong and Mrs. Ray Blake.

Bob Henderson and wife and daughter were in Hermiston last week end to visit with his mother.

Arthur Bucholtz made a business trip to Yakima Wednesday. Miles Martin was here from Lexington this week to transact legal business in connection with his father's estate.

PUDistrict Passed In Wasco County

The vote on the utility district in The Dalles was 1735 for and 1194 opposed, it being approximately a 5 to 3 victory for the advocates of a public power district. The victory was not complete, however, as Mosier and Dufur, incorporated cities voted against the measure which means that they will not be included in the district. The vote in The Dalles was 1083 for and 802 against. It is not known what will be done by the newly elected board of directors to make the vote effective. They may buy the present company, wait for Bonneville current, contract with the Pacific Power & Light company or take several other courses. Directors are C. E. Foster, W. J. Seufert, Charles Roth, Roy Johnson and A. W. Manchester.

Burned Over Land Being Reseeded

A total of 11,300 acres of burned over lands were seeded to grass during 1938, partly through efforts of the O. S. C. farm crop department. Bracken fern, alder and fireweed normally volunteer after the timber has been logged off in western Oregon and this growth is valueless for grazing. This undergrowth is an extreme fire hazard during the warm months and when burned destroys both grazing values and the reforestation growth. Reseeding to be most practical is done soon after the logging operations cease. Grass prevents erosion on the logged off slopes, and provides up to \$2 per acre income from grazing.

CHURCHES

Moro Community Church, Sunday, August 20, 1939. 10 a. m. Sunday School. Chester W. Smith, superintendent. 11 a. m. Morning worship. Theme of the sermon: "God in the World Today." A season for summer. 7:30 - In the evening all young people are cordially invited to the manse for an informal hour of fellowship and discussion. This is the first of four evenings devoted to the general theme, "I DARE YOU!" Henry G. Hanson, Pastor.

Moro Christian Science Society: "Mind" is the subject of the Lesson-sermon for Sunday morning eleven o'clock. The Wednesday evening meeting begins at eight o'clock. The reading rooms in the rear of the church building and contains all authorized Christian Science literature, which may be read, borrowed or purchased. The public is cordially invited to the church services and to make use of the reading room.

Grass Valley Baptist Church: 11 a. m. Bible School - J. S. Fritt. 11:30 a. m. Morning Worship. The Pastor and others who attended the Cascadia Bible Conference and Baptist Young Peoples Assembly will report on "What Cascadia Means to Me" 7 p. m. - B. Y. P. U. 8 p. m. - "Cozy Home Hour" with Fred and Ellen Cox arranging the program. 8 p. m. Thursday - Prayer and Bible Study. Gerald C. Dryden, Pastor.

"Personally I can never understand why these depressions always have to happen during hard times."

It's a Poor Joke— When someone blushes with embarrassment. When someone's feelings are hurt. When something sacred is made to appear commonplace. When it is directed against someone's infirmity. When it is uttered in a bitter spirit. When everyone cannot join in the laughter.—Christian Advocate.

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Guest Entertained While Visiting Grass Valley Girl

Miss Ellen Cox entertained friends at her home Thursday afternoon honoring Miss Hilda Neius visiting her from Newberg, who is going to attend Columbia University this fall. The guests included Georgia Blaylock, Doris Stradley, Janet Wilcox, Ramona Spoor, Mrs. Willard Barnett, Mrs. Edgar Alley and Emma Ellen Partner. The afternoon was spent visiting and doing fancy work, refreshments of ice cream, cookies and punch being served at the close of the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Murphy of The Dalles were business visitors here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Doyle and Miss Anna Schwartz were business visitors in Moro Friday.

Mrs. Fred Krusow and Mrs. Stanley Krusow and son of Moro returned from Warm Springs last Sunday after spending a week there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Todd and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Spoor were business visitors in The Dalles Thursday.

Ben Leghorn and daughter Ruth Ann were in The Dalles visiting Mrs. Leghorn who is ill in a hospital.

Mrs. Wayand Weld and children of Portland and her sister Mrs. Mosco Canavero and son of Los Gatos, California arrived Sunday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Newcomb, for several weeks.

Wallace May motored to Hood River Sunday to return his wife to their home, after visiting the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Baker and grand daughter arrived here Monday evening from Gresham, to look after some business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Alley and daughter Lila Lee were visitors in The Dalles Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Alley and children, Lila's Roth, Kenneth Crows, Vernon and Verel Johnson motored to Cottonwood Sunday where they enjoyed a picnic dinner.

Dorothy Olds is spending the week in The Dalles visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Roth. J. N. Stevenson spent Monday and Tuesday in Moro visiting his daughter, Mrs. Marion McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Olds and Betty Lou, Mrs. Olds' niece, Crystal Walkenshaw and Mrs. Lou Walkenshaw left Tuesday afternoon for Hubbard, taking Mrs. Olds' mother home. They left for Seaside to spend several days, before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Erasmus Baker and son Ted Baker of Montana, spent the week visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Alley and Mildred returned Sunday from a weeks visit at the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Garrett had as their guests Thursday her sister, Mrs. Parmer and daughters Virginia and Mrs. Reid, all of Klamath Falls.

Mrs. A. A. Dunlap left Wednesday for Salem to attend the American Legion and Auxiliary convention.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heys returned from Government Springs on Thursday where they spent several weeks. They left the same day for Bake Oven to visit their son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Block.

Mrs. Earl Olds and daughter Dorothy, and Mrs. Pauline Wilcox entertained Mrs. John Roth at the Olds home Thursday afternoon with a bridal shower. As each guest arrived she hid the gift and put on a slip of paper where the gift was hidden and put the slip into a balloon which was blown up and used as decoration. After the guests were assembled, Mrs. Roth then pierced the balloons and the fun began which every one enjoyed. Later refreshments of ice cream, cake and lemonade were

served to about forty five guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith have moved to the Lucy Ruggles house and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker have moved into the Tom-A-Lum house, which was vacated by the Smiths.

Harry Proudfoot of Wasco was a business visitor here Tuesday.

H. E. Everett came from Wasco Friday on the stage, to visit his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Everett.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schilling and son Robert left Wednesday for Rockaway, to be gone several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Van Metre and family of Wamic were here over the week end.

Mrs. Glen Karnes spent the week end in Portland visiting friends.

Mrs. Arch Cantrall, Mrs. Kendrick Dunlap, Mrs. Ted Everett and Mrs. Don Smith motored to The Dalles on a shopping expedition Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Olds had as their guests the past week her mother, Mrs. Lou Walkenshaw of Hubbard, and her brother in law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hall of Long Beach, California and her niece, Crystal Walkenshaw of Arcata, California.

Mrs. Henry Roth returned from a hospital in Portland Thursday after being there a week for medical treatment.

Among those who went fishing Sunday to Shearers bridge were Mr. and Mrs. Arch Cantrall and son, Edwin Peters, Kendrick Dunlap, Alton Olds, Dell Olds and Elmer Hall.

Arden Squire came up from Gresham Sunday, taking his wife and children home, after they had spent the week visiting her sister, Mrs. Eben Kee.

Light Law Makes Dimming Necessary

The light law, passed in 1939, is not being observed, according to reports reaching the Oregon Motor Association and it is believed that ignorance of the statute is the principal reason. Formerly drivers were required to dim their lights only when meeting another car on wet, hard surfaced highway. The new law makes it mandatory to dim the lights when meeting any car.

In 1938, statistics compiled by the secretary of state show, three persons were killed and at least 38 injured in highway accidents in which glaring lights were the principal factor. One death this year has been attributed to the fact that a driver was blinded by the light of an approaching car, and at least nine persons have been injured in such accidents.

Stronger lights are allowed under the new law. They should be of sufficient intensity to reveal distinctly vehicles, persons or objects at a distance of at least 350 feet instead of 200 feet under the old law. The new act provides that the main beam of light shall not project more than 42 inches above the road way at a distance of 75 feet ahead of the vehicle.

To do away with the excuse that the driver "didn't know my brights were on," the law provides that after January 1, 1940, cars equipped with multiple beam headlights must be equipped with a beam indicator which will illuminate when the bright lights are on. The indicator must be conveniently located so the driver can tell at a glance whether his lights are dimmed or on full strength.

Grazing Land To Be Studied

Special Washington, D. C.—Unauthorized grazing operations are to be checked by the newly organized branch of land planning, use and protection of the general land office. It is estimated that fifty million acres of public domain outside of the federal grazing districts are being used. Stockmen who are using the land without authority are expected to apply to the general land office for leases in order to comply with the requirements of the Taylor grazing act. About six million acres of public land outside the federal grazing districts are under lease at present. The unauthorized grazing operations are regarded as unfair competition in the livestock industry.

Of approximately 112,500,000 bushels of United States wheat and flour exported between July 1, 1938, and May 31, 1939, there were 83,000,000 bushels sold under the federal export program.

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Kent Merchant Visits Relatives At Airlie

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Norton and daughters Geraldine and Carol and son Ross and Nellie Wilson spent Thursday night at the Arthur Norton home at Airlie.

Leonard Cox of The Dalles was a business visitor here Friday. Mrs. Elna Decker of Portland spent the week end here at the J. J. Decker home.

L. V. Hogue, who spent several days here with his mother, Mrs. B. A. Hogue, left Wednesday for Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Amick, Mrs. J. C. Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilson and grand daughter, Alice May, attended church at Grass Valley Sunday.

Warren Norton of Harrisburg was a visitor at the J. E. Norton home Wednesday night. Mrs. Frank J. Hurner and son Frank were dinner guests at the W. C. Wilson home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Matthes were dinner guests at the W. D. Barnett home at Grass Valley Sunday. J. C. Wilson was a business visitor at Wamic Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Grace Gregg and daughter Delores motored to Bend Saturday where they will spend a few days at the Earl Gregg home. Elmer Swett and children motored to Dufur Friday to visit the former's parents.

Bicycle Riding Dangerous At Night

Two boys riding bicycles home from a meeting one night, one of them riding close to the center line of the street. His bicycle had no lights and as he started to turn the corner at an intersection, he crashed head-on with an automobile also making the turn. The cyclist was killed instantly.

This accident, said Earl Snell, secretary of state, was just one of the seven bicycle-automobile fatalities during the first six months of 1939 that illustrate the importance of proper equipment and safe practices in riding bicycles.

"It is becoming somewhat trite to emphasize the necessity for proper lights on bicycles and to urge bicyclists to keep well to the right side of the street, but such accidents prove that we must continue to stress these warnings in our campaign for traffic safety," Mr. Snell said.

Nearly 90 percent of the automobile-bicycle fatalities during the six-months period were persons between the ages of 5 and 24 years, but one elderly cyclist was killed when he was struck while trying to cross a street.

"A second's indecision on the part of the bicycle rider or the driver can cause a fatal accident when the two meet at an intersection or when a bicycle rider attempts to cross a busy street or highway," Snell said.

"For that reason, very young children and elderly persons are advised to dismount and walk while crossing heavily traveled thoroughfares. But even while pushing a wheel, caution must be observed. One youth was killed recently when he was pushing his bicycle up a hill. He was walking on the right side of the road, going with traffic, and was struck from behind by a car, whose driver was blinded by the glaring headlights of a car coming from the opposite direction."

Most youngsters enjoy coasting down hills but one girl met tragically in this manner this year. Coasting down a steep hill, the road being covered with loose gravel, she washed into the side of a car that was crossing the street at the bottom of the hill. Bicycles, just as in the case of automobiles, must always be kept under complete control so that they can be stopped in time to avoid accidents, Snell emphasized.

A frequent cause of automobile-bicycle crashes is the act of cutting across the path of traffic without first making sure the way is clear, accident statistics compiled by the secretary of state reveal. One boy met death this year when after following behind a school bus till he came opposite the drive way to his home, he cut across the street and rode directly into the path of an oncoming car. He was struck down before the driver realized there was a bicycle on the road.

"When bicycles first became popular, they were considered something of a menace, frightening horses and endangering pedestrians because of their 'speed,'" Snell said. "In those days regulations were designed to protect others from the bicycles. With the coming of automobiles the situation changed and it is now necessary to protect the bicyclist from others. In some cases certain traffic lanes are designated for bicycles only, one city

in France going so far as to mark off a section of the street for the use of cyclists.

"The rapid increase in the number of bicycles now in use has brought the problem to the attention of society more vividly than ever before and it is quite possible that future engineering may consider the safety of the bicyclist. However, at present, we must concentrate on educating those who ride bicycles to observe safe practices which will keep them out of accidents.

"Observing traffic rules as they apply to automobiles, riding in single file instead of two or more abreast, giving the pedestrians the

right of way at cross walks, equipping the wheel with proper front and rear lights and using caution and common sense at all times will cut down the death toll from automobile-bicycle accidents."

Mother—Well William, did you do anything besides eat at the Sunday school picnic?

William—Yes mummie: we sang a hymn called "We can sing, Full though we be."

Mother—Why, William! Big Sister—The title of the hymn, Mother, was "Weak and Sinful Though We Be."

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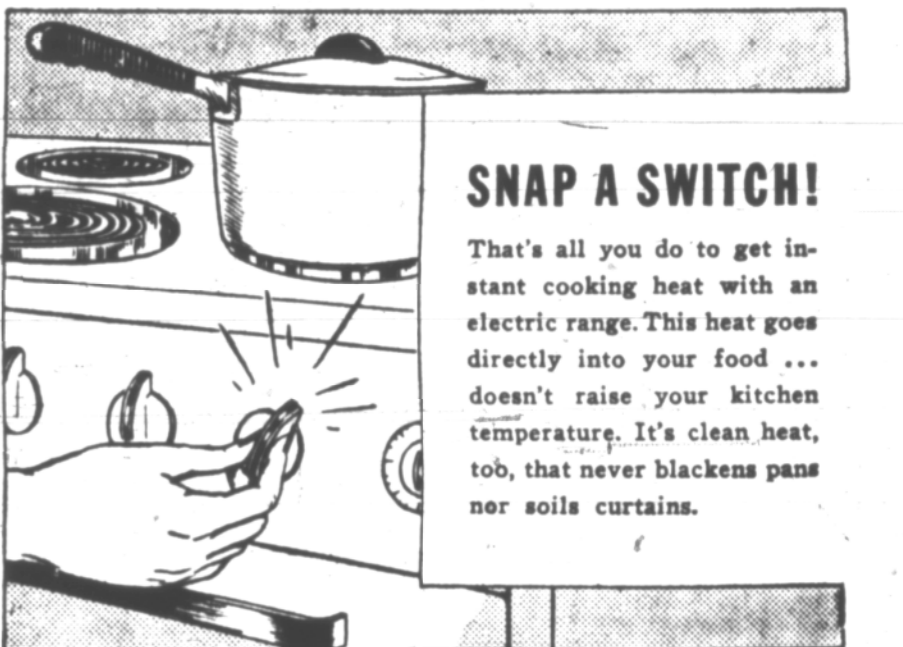
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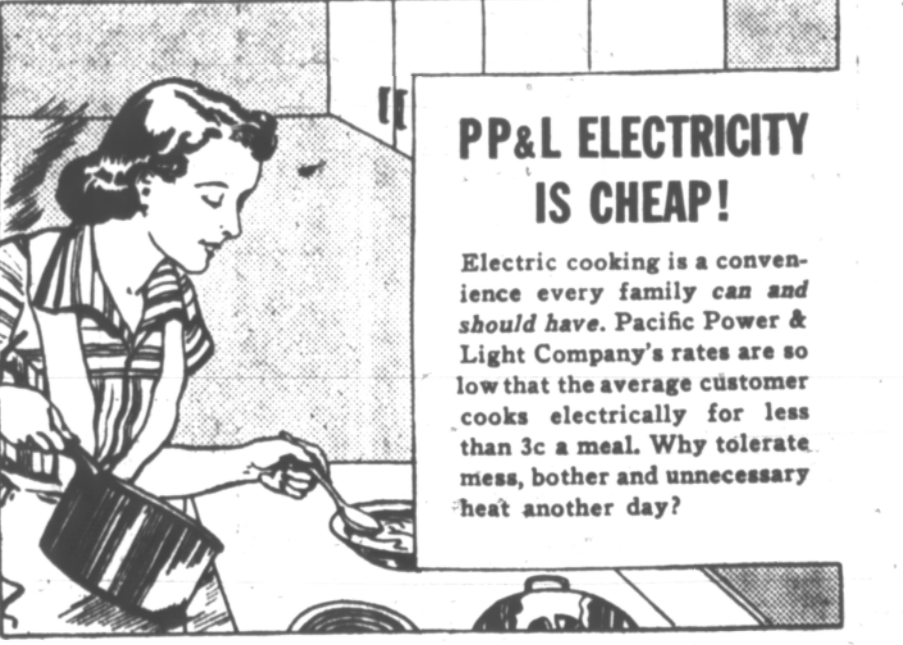
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