

## Fine Family Takes Chrisman House In Moro

Mr and Mrs E. A. Fine of Shaniko moved into the Chrisman house here last Saturday and began work for the Moro Lumber & Fuel Yard. The Fines have one child.

Stephen Oveson is reported to be improving again after his operation and a few bad days.

Mrs Edith Sayers left last week for Beaverton to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs Ross Hart and family.

D. E. Stephens was here Friday of last week from Pullman, Wash., looking around the old home town and making plans for further soil conservation work in the wheat country. He reports Mrs Stephens as feeling well.

Mrs Grace Ward came Monday night to spend a few days here visiting friends and looking after her property in Moro.

Mr and Mrs Tom Frasier have received the news that their son, Capt Gordon Frasier with the 867 Field Artillery and 7th army in Germany has been awarded the Bronze Star medal for meritorious service.

Mr and Mrs Vernon Miller and family of Rufus were Sunday guests at the home of his brother, Blaine Miller.

Mr and Mrs Lyle Woods of Centerville Washington came over Sunday to visit at the Balsiger home.

George Updegraff went to Portland the last of the week to see his brother, who was in that city while on short leave from the navy where he is a captain.

Mr and Mrs (Red) Johnson announce that they are leaving Moro for Kelso, Washington, because it has been found impossible for them to find suitable living quarters here. He has been working for Flatt's Truck line. Their present house has been bought by Wm. Roos, who is moving to town this week.

Word from Bob Marvin, received by his wife, is that he was temporarily in a hospital with an injured wrist hurt in a jeep acci-

dent. He had been into Gemany but was in a hospital in France. Mr and Mrs Tex Izzyk were in Wheeler county last week to visit her sister who lives near Spray. They returned home earlier than expected to meet Tex's brother, Joe, who wired from Seattle that he was to get a few days leave from the navy of which he has been a part since 1939.

Ruth Catterson's mother is here to remain with her until the end of the school year.

J. B. Adams made a trip to LaGrande last week and spent the week end and Monday in Portland with his wife.

Lye Johnson, registrar of the Eastern Oregon College of Education, was in Moro Thursday while on a tour on behalf of the Board of Higher Education. He is trying to encourage high school students who expect to graduate this year to continue their education. He offers a scholarship to EOCCE but found no ready takers.

The Track and Field meet to be held today (Friday) at the fairgrounds will not be as large as was expected. Bend's team will not come as there is a meet there that's drawing Redmond and Prineville. Schools that will send a team are Goldendale, Hood River, Arlington, The Dalles, Rufus and Moro. The following Friday the Moro team will go to Bend to compete in the district meet.

While the weather has not been yet warm enough to please the thinly dressed, it has warmed up to a great extent and wheat and gardens are growing well. Trees are leafing slowly.

Chief Petty Officer Stanley Coel-sch arrived last week to visit his wife and friends in Sherman county. He has been overseas for many months and this is his first furlough to be spent in Moro for a long time.

Capt and Mrs Tom Frasier and sons, Tommy and David, are visiting homefolks this week. Capt Frasier is stationed at Kingman Air base, Arizona.

**SYNOPSIS OF ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE NEWARK FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF FLEMINGTON, IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY, on the thirty-first day of December, 1944, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:**

<b>INCOME</b>	
Net premiums received	\$ 4,473,502.59
Total interest, dividends and real estate income	360,144.97
Income from other sources	21,318.01
<b>Total income</b>	<b>4,854,965.57</b>
<b>DISBURSEMENTS</b>	
Net amount paid policyholders for losses	\$ 1,659,088.53
Loss adjustment expenses	131,888.47
Agents commissions or brokerage	1,111,406.61
Salaries and fees—officers, directors, home office employees	276,036.94
Taxes, licenses and fees	229,479.97
Dividends paid to stockholders (Cash, \$350,000; stock, 311)	350,000.00
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders	Nil
All other expenditures	384,360.74
<b>Total disbursements</b>	<b>\$ 4,144,260.26</b>
<b>ADMITTED ASSETS</b>	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	\$ Nil
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	26,527.08
*Value of bonds owned (amortized)	7,836,767.99
Value of stocks owned (market value)	3,469,859.96
Cash in banks and on hand	727,093.99
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1944	715,020.50
Interest and rents due and accrued	44,944.51
Other assets (net)	19,070.23
<b>Total admitted assets</b>	<b>\$ 12,839,282.40</b>
<b>LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS</b>	
Total unpaid claims	\$ 1,262,739.52
Estimated loss adjustment expense for unpaid claims	67,347.73
Total unearned premiums on all unexpired risks	4,083,122.35
Salaries, rents, expenses, bills, accounts, fees, etc., due or accrued	8,524.84
Estimated amount due or accrued for taxes	122,625.00
Commissions, brokerage, or other charges due and accrued	25,077.08
All other liabilities	418,822.71
<b>Total liabilities, except capital</b>	<b>\$ 5,936,259.14</b>
Capital paid up \$2,000,000.00	
Surplus over all liabilities	4,901,023.26
Surplus as regards policy holders	\$ 6,901,023.26
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 12,839,282.40</b>
<b>BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR YEAR</b>	
Net premiums received	\$ 29,682.11
Net losses paid	5,421.91
Name of Company: THE NEWARK FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY	
Name of President: HAROLD WARNER	
Name of Secretary: C. A. NOTTINGHAM	
Statutory resident attorney for service: J. H. BANKS, Portland, Oregon	

### CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our thanks to the friends who aided us and comforted us with their sympathy at the time of the death of Peter James Dillinger. Elmer Earl Dillinger, Geneva Irene Alford, Edith May Andrews, Estella Dillinger.

**Bethlehem Chapter No. 78, O.E.S. Meets Every Second and Fourth Thursdays in each Month. Visiting Members Invited—Moro, Oregon**  
Rose Amidon, W. M.  
Ruth Sparling, Secretary

**Lupine Rebekah Lodge No. 116 Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month. Visiting members welcome.**  
Clara Houston, N.G.  
Florence Johnston, S.

**Eureka Lodge No. 121 A.F. & A.M. Meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings of each month. Visiting members are cordially invited to meet with us.**  
C. A. Ruggles, W. M.  
W. D. Wallan, Secretary

**Moro Lodge No. 118, I.O.O.F. Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays in I.O.O.F. hall. Transient and visiting brothers are cordially invited to meet with us.**  
Ernest Houston N. G.  
A. R. Kessinger, Secretary



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh  
**Dick Newcomb Goes Fishing by Proxy**

Bob Newcomb used to be the best fly caster in the county. Never missed a Saturday at Seward's Creek. But come the war, and Bob's son going off in uniform, he just lost interest in things like fishing.

So Bob spent his next day off exactly as Dick dreamed of his doing—fished Seward's Creek again, and cooked the trout, and kept the beer cool in the stream. And you knew he was doing it for Dick.

But the other day Bob got a letter from the South Pacific... kind of a homesick letter: "I'm thinking of you, Dad, fishing in Seward's Creek; cooking trout over an open fire; and keeping the beer cool in the stream. Keep an extra bottle cool for me."

From where I sit, it's what the men overseas would have us do—keep alive the little customs, the small pleasures, they remember—keep them alive till they come home to share them.

Joe Marsh

## WASCO

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Wayne Bartron, Francis Emigh, Leland Schwendel, and Marion Crews spent the weekend at the home of Mr and Mrs Dell Olds at Grass Valley.

Mrs Ira Fridley made a business trip to Portland this week. Mr and Mrs Dutch Smith made a business trip to Portland.

Mrs B. Estrella Hailey has returned from Portland where she has been receiving medical treatment.

Mrs Bill Tidwell is recovering from a recent appendectomy. Evelyn Kirkhe has been very ill with a ruptured appendix but is doing nicely now.

Mrs R.L. Anfang, daughter of Frank Knox, returned to Peru, Indiana Tuesday after receiving word that her navy husband is to be shipped out sooner than expected.

The Senior Ball at Grass Valley Saturday night was well attended by couples from Wasco.

A "Song Service" was held at the Wasco Methodist church Sunday. The entire meeting was singing. Favorite hymns of many people were sung by the congregation, choir and church quartet.

Rev W.S. Crockett of Portland was guest minister at the Christian church Sunday. On Monday morning he visited the High school and gave an interesting talk to the student body.

Mrs Elvis Rich and infant son, Dean, have returned home after spending three weeks in Yakima at the home of Mrs. Rich's parents.

First Lieut Elmer Clair Hill has been wounded in his left arm while seeing action in Germany.

A party was given at the home of Mr and Mrs Arvid Anderson Tuesday night in honor of their son, Fred's birthday. Guests were Beatrice Welk, Dorothy Patey, Carole Drinkard, Janet Kaseberg, Lorraine Gosson, John Hilderbrand and Eugene Gosson.

Mrs Marius Douma of Oakland, California is living with Mrs Lewis Hastings while waiting for her husband to return from the Pacific area.

Navy flier, Bill Maddox, who has been in action in the Pacific

for some time, spent the weekend with his uncle, James Maddox. W. R. Reid made a trip to Kent Monday.

Mrs Keith McDonald spent Friday and Saturday with her parents Mr and Mrs Wiley McDonald.

Mrs Lyons and her daughter from Kent were visitors in Wasco Monday.

Mr and Mrs Pat Cody are leaving for Scappoose soon where they will make their home and carry on flying.

Joe Hilderbrand and Pat Cody flew to Yakima Sunday morning. They returned in the forenoon and flew to Condon later in the day.

The Wasco Woman's Study club entertained the Tuesday club at the home of Dr. Richelderfer Friday afternoon. The meeting opened in its usual manner with the reading of the 19th psalm by Mrs L. P. Haven. Mrs T. Leland Brown gave an interesting talk on art and Mrs Crawford also of the

Dalles gave a touching talk on a book. Special guests of the afternoon were Gladys Zell who is 1st vice-president of the confederation of women's clubs and Mrs Louis Scholl, who is Bible representative for Oregon State. The program consisted of a piano solo by Patricia Kaseberg and Mrs Elsie Fulton showed many interesting pictures from Italy. Refreshments were served after an enjoyable afternoon.

Cpl Chester Andrews and wife flew up from Texas this week to attend the funeral of Pete Dilling-er.

Christian Science Society Sunday morning services at 11 a. m. Subject: "Probation After Death"

includes testimonials of healing. The reading room in the rear of the building is open. All authorized Christian Science literature can be bought or borrowed Wednesday night service at 8 WASCO METHODIST CHURCH Sunday School 10 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. Grass Valley preaching service at 3:00 p. m.

F. L. Cannell, Pastor

**C. A. Ruggles**  
INSURANCE  
Moro Oregon

**T. Lester Johnson**  
LAWYER  
WASCO MORO

### CHURCHES

Moro Community Presbyterian Church James D. Moberg, pastor. Bible School 10 a. m. Morning Worship 11 A. M. Sermon "The Cure For Discouragement" C. E. 7:30 P. M. Wed. 8:00 P. M. Prayer meeting

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## Why the Biggest Job in town carries no pay!

WHAT is the biggest job in your town—in anybody's town, between May 14th and June 30th? It's that of the man or woman who will ask you to buy extra War Bonds in the 7th War Loan.

It carries no pay because the people who are doing this work are good Americans. In addition to buying extra Bonds themselves, they're willing to give their time to a job that's as important as anything outside the battle lines.

It's important—and it's big. Making our quotas in the 7th War Loan is a man-sized job for everybody.

Uncle Sam needs 7 billion dollars from individual Americans in the 7th! That's a bigger quota than ever before. It's bigger because this is really 2 loans in 1—last year, by this time, we had bought Bonds in 2 Loans instead of one.

And it's bigger because the need is bigger. We're building up a whole new air force, with new jet-propelled planes and even bigger bombers. We're building more tanks, mortars, and everything for the increasingly bitter struggle with Japan. And we're paying the

mounting cost of victory—taking care of wounded men who are arriving in this country by thousands every month.

So—be ready when one of these War Bond workers comes to you. Open your door, your heart, your purse—for the 7th War Loan.

Help America to make its quota—by making yours!

FIND YOUR QUOTA... AND MAKE IT!		
If your average wage per month is:	Your personal War Bond quota is: (cash value)	Maturity value of 7th War Loan bonds bought
\$250	\$187.50	\$250
225-250	150.00	200
210-225	131.25	175
200-210	112.50	150
180-200	93.75	125
140-180	75.00	100
100-140	37.50	50
Under \$100	18.75	25



## All Out for the mighty 7th War Loan!

- SHERMAN CO. ABSTRACT CO.
- MORO GRAIN GROWERS
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- FLATT'S TRUCK-LINE
- J. K. MCKEAN COMPANY
- W. T. BALSIGER
- MAY & SON
- J. C. FREEMAN
- MORO LUMBER & FUEL YARD