

Moro Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Flatt of Condon are the parents of a son born February 21, weight 7 pounds, named Bruce Allen. He joins two brothers and a sister.

Giles French was in Eugene last week end to attend the annual press conference and was elected to preside at the 1960 conference.

Phillip Coombs has left the local Soil Conservation office for a month in order to attend a training school at San Luis Obispo, Calif., to further be informed about SCS programs.

Robert Mitchell of Berkeley, California and Rudy Mayko of Pendleton are here this week to rewrite the forthcoming report on the soils of the Sherman county, a work that entails great precision in both measurement and language.

Joe Ritner was in town this week getting ready to reopen the garage at Grass Valley after trying a little farming around Redmond.

The golden wedding reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Conlee will be held at their farm home Saturday afternoon and friends are invited.

Mrs. Paul Creighton and son Brand of Grandview, Wn. came Wednesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coons. Mrs. Coons and her daughter went grandma, stayed with Brad during Portland Thursday. Mrs. Dyer, their absence.

B. H. Roberson and Judge Vernon Miller attended the highway meeting at Arlington Wednesday which was called for the purpose of giving citizens an opportunity to talk about the relocation plans of the highway engineers for the route between Rufus and Arlington.

Some hand-warming and much conversation has taken place in front of the Journal office this week as Marshal Loy Coombs has been burning out a locust stump on the curb preparatory to paving the strip some time this summer. Work on the new church parsonage has started again since the snow left the site and it will continue until farm work depletes the roll of workers who are mostly volunteer members of the church.

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MORO COMMUNITY

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Bible classes from kindergarten to adult.
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Westminister Fellowship at 5:30.
Junior Choir will sing.
Fellowship for our young people.
8:00 Bible Study at the church.
Ernest C. Goodenberger, Pastor

Japanese Specify Wheat Quality

Japanese government and flour milling officials are serving notice to U. S. wheat producers and grain trade to be more conscious of the protein content of wheat moving into export, according to word received from the Oregon Wheat League's Far East office in Tokyo.

Specifically, the Japanese want soft white wheat to contain less than 8.5 percent protein and desire a guarantee of 11.5 percent protein in dark Northern Spring wheat, it was reported by Jim Hutchinson, Far East Marketing director of the Oregon wheat growers.

Hutchinson's report is based on developments at recent meetings in Japan where the flour milling representatives and officials of the Japanese government Food Agency have been planning for their purchases of foreign wheat for the next marketing year, which commences April 1. Japan is the largest dollar customer for Pacific Northwest wheat and her plans for wheat imports the coming year will have an appreciable effect on exports from Columbia river ports. Currently, Japanese purchases are running 37 percent below last year.

Japanese millers dislike soft white wheat of high protein content and have complained about the low protein content of Dark Northern Spring wheat as well as objecting to its color and lack of uniformity. Both types are exported from this area; soft wheat is the principal type produced in the region and Dark Northern Spring comes into the region from Montana.

Japanese industry representatives requested that a protein guarantee of 11.5% or better be required for semi-hard wheat and 300,000 metric tons of ordinary or soft wheat be less than 8.5% protein, Hutchinson says. He commented that it will certainly be a forward step if producers and the grain trade will get together and make available the type and quality wheat that the market requires as competition is fast becoming an important factor in marketing our commodities.

Milling representatives also requested that 2,300,000 metric tons of wheat be imported during the next marketing year. Of this amount 49% or 1,127,000 metric tons would be of hard and semi-hard classes, with 80% of this amount hard and 20% semi-hard. 51% or 1,173,000 metric tons of the imports to be of the ordinary classes.

Dr. Frank D. Reid

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Tuesdays & Wednesdays

Wasco News

Mrs. Doris Nisbet
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kaseberg who have been spending some time in Santa Barbara, Calif., this winter, send word they expect to be home soon. Also Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Striker write to say they are heading for home soon from Santa Ana, Calif.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Funk were Mr. and Mrs. Elfin Ross of Salem. Joining them Sunday for potluck dinner were the John Robinsons, the Carl Everetts, Mrs. Chas. Everett and the Harold Engbergs and Kaye. Saturday the Ross' and the Funks called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ferrell in Moro.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kellogg and Jack spent the weekend recently visiting Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Van Gilder. They all attended a dance

Rufus Personals

By Mrs. Geo. L. Fox
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gatter and sons of Tacoma spent the week end here visiting at the home of Mrs. Gatter's mother, Mrs. Alta Smith and uncle, Clifford Trumbo. Due to the snow storm we had here last week, the Gatters left their car in Rufus while Mrs. Smith came after them with her car, which had snow tires.

The children reported a good time at their teen age dance Saturday night at the Rufus Grange hall. It seems there, is more interest now than at first, and the children are looking forward to their Saturday night dances.

The Rufus Grange met Thursday night with a pot luck dinner from food which was left over from the Pomona dinner. Mrs. Walt Morris made some dressing to go with the roast pork, and that with salads made up the rest of the dinner which was brought. Mrs. Harland McDonald made a birthday cake decorated like a book which she served in honor of the grange's birthday. The Home Economics club purchased ice cream for the dessert. The members brought useful gifts to the grange to use in the hall.

George Fox, master, called the business meeting to order. Atlee Wilson reported on agriculture saying there were ten pests that cause much concern to the fruit growers. Also told of the importance of good fences and the proper way to build them. Mrs. Harland McDonald on legislature said there was a bill pertaining to the closing of the tubercular hospital in The Dalles. Also said there is a bill up to close the banks on Saturday. Former Judge Curt Tom gave a very interesting talk on the origin of this town and things which happened years ago. Mr. Tom said he came to Rufus when he was six months old.

The matter of mosquito control was brought up. To serve on that capacity are Charles Wilson, Geo. Fox and Will Huck.

The attendance pins were given out. Those getting a five year pin were Mr. and Mrs. Harland McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. George Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Huck, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brock and Mrs. Bert Swigart a three year pin.

An Open House for Rufus Grange was discussed. It is that we had better wait until March when the weather will probably be better. It is reported Roy Belshee is able to be at the home of his daughter in The Dalles. It was reported Fred Dormier recently had surgery, but is better now.

For the literary program Mrs. Bert Swigart had all sing, "We are the Future of the Grange"; a skit "The Berries" by Art Smith, Mrs. Harland McDonald, Mrs. Otto Petersen and Mrs. George Fox; a reading "The Flag"; a game "Elephant" by the group; a poem read "Way Up On the Old John Day" by George Fox; a reading "We've Never Had It So Good" by the lecturer.

Harland McDonald reported there will be an officer's conference at Harlandview Grange Sunday, March 8 at 1:30 p. m.



at Antelope Saturday night.

A large group of friends gathered to honor Mrs. Esther Stanley on her ninety-first birthday and also the birthday of Mrs. Trace Fields recently at the home of Mrs. Arthur Sargent, who was assisted by Mrs. Guy Andrews. Mrs. Walt Bruckert made and beautifully decorated the cake for the occasion which was topped with spring flowers. The guests of honor received many beautiful cards of congratulations and the following people enjoyed an afternoon of visiting: Mrs. Mat Schwendel, Mrs. Chester Andrews of Portland, Mrs. Vernon Van Gilder, Mrs. Ed Dutton, Mrs. John Royse, Mrs. Cliff Fridley, Mrs. Faye Boice, the hostesses and guests of honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tuggle recently visited her brother and family in Carson, Wn., and went on to the Boat Show in Portland.

The Hawaiian mission night program in the Wasco Methodist church will be held in the church basement, beginning with a light dinner served "Lulu" style at 6:30. Everyone is cordially invited to participate in the program and study.

Beginning March 1 an Inquirer's class will be held at 7 o'clock each Sunday evening through Palm Sunday. The class will deal mainly with the study of Methodist beliefs and doctrines. All those who desire to join the fellowship of the church or to learn about these are invited to attend these sessions of study.

The young adult fellowship went bowling February 22 with 27 present. They returned to the church where the cohosts and hostesses, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fridley and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Byars, served cherry pie and coffee. Co-hosts for March will be Mr. and Mrs. John Kellogg and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Thomas.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship has just completed collecting its pledges for the M.Y. Fund. The group has planned a bowling party for Sunday afternoon March 1. They will return for refreshments and worship.

Recent weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Andrews were Mr. Andrews' brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Andrews, and his sister, Mrs. Virginia York, all of Portland. They also visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood McPherson.

Pamela Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Anderson of Portland, spent several days recently with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Macheel of Biggs.

Recent Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barnett were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones and family.

Bob Frink of Portland, and formerly a Wasco resident, was a recent visitor at the L. L. Funk home.

Patty Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Haines, has gone back to Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Watkins and Mr. and Mrs. John Buck of Moro visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gosson and family in Portland recently.

The C. E. group of young people from the Wasco Church of Christ were invited to Kent to see the movie "Going Steady". Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones and three children, Mrs. Arlet Rhinehart, James and Nina, Mrs. Leo Watkins and Judy, Kaye Whipple, Art Van Gilder and Arlyn, Anne Halvorson, Carolyn and Robert Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kellogg have received word that her mother, Mrs. M. Fassbender of Timber Lake, So. Dakota, passed away on February 18.

When the Tuesday Study club met recently at the home of Mrs. Floyd Haines, a silver offering was taken for the Cancer Fund, and contributions were sent to the Scholarship and Fellowship Loan Fund, which helped foreign exchange students, and to the Sadie Orr Dunbar nursing fund, which helps students who desire nurses training, and also the Tillamook burn reformation.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Leo Watkins and Donnie went to White Salmon to visit Mrs. Watkin's grandmother, Mrs. Antonie Kuhnhausen at the Skyline Hospital. On the way home they visited Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Messinger near The Dalles.

'Women Better Patients,' Says Family Doctor of Year



Dr. Lonnie A. Coffin, 68, of Farmington, Iowa, back at work after being named General Practitioner of the Year by the American Medical Association.

"Women are better patients than men," according to Dr. Lonnie A. Coffin, Family Doctor of the Year. "They'll do what you tell them, but men won't."

At 68, Dr. Coffin is a warm and happy man, busy with the health needs of more than 3,000 people in and around rural Farmington, Iowa. Enriched by 46 years of country doctoring, he is also a man who speaks his mind, a philosopher with concise and witty views on life.

On smoking: "It's undoubtedly bad for you. I gave it up after my coronary, and"—he stopped to light one of his six daily cigars—"I've given it up several times since then."

On health: "The work of the voluntary health agencies makes me confident about the future. The National Foundation, for instance, which helped us eight years ago when a polio epidemic hit Farmington [three of Dr. Coffin's four grandchildren were stricken], is now applying its March of Dimes funds to problems like arthritis and birth defects. That's good news, and good health."

On sickness: "If you're sick, do what you can to get well, but try not to worry about it. If you worry, you'll feel worse and so will everybody around you."

On being sick at night: "We all get sicker at night. That's

because we have more time to think about ourselves."

On drinking: "There are only certain people who should drink. Those who can both control it and afford it."

On fishing: "You can fish sitting down and I like that. If you catch something, fine. If you don't, exaggerate."

On being a doctor: "I try to take care of people no matter what the hour, no matter where they live, no matter who they are. Where or when they get sick is not their fault."

On being a doctor named "Coffin": "Well, it's true that's what they carry you off in, but the fact is my name hasn't scared off too many patients."

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore and Barbara and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wilson visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kellogg on Tuesday evening and viewed movies.

Johnnie Buck of Moro spent Saturday night with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Watkins and his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Buck were Sunday dinner guests.

The Thursday evening pinocle club met recently at the home of Mrs. Jerry Barnett with Mrs. Leonard Lutje and Mrs. Harold Engberg as guests.

The seventh and eighth grade

students enjoyed a dancing party at the school sponsored by the room mothers, Mrs. John Foss and Mrs. Clem Welk. Ice cream, punch and specially decorated heart-shaped cakes, made by Mrs. Clarence Spencer, were served.

Mrs. Bob Byars was taken into the Rebekahs by transfer at the last meeting and Mrs. Vernon Van Gilder was reinstated. Mrs. Floyd Haines, DDP installed Mrs. Byars as warder, Virginia Peck as inside guardian and Donna Lane as outside guardian. They received an invitation from The Dalles to bring the new candidates down for initiation March 6. The program consisted of several readings on Valentines and on Oregon. Members also enjoyed a Valentine quiz. Virginia Peck and Donna Lane serve refreshments to Mrs. Irlene Kirkwood, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Haines, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Watkins, Mrs. Harold Winegar, Mrs. Grover Long and Charlie Sissel.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank the friends who sent flowers and cards and gave us their sympathy at the time of the funeral for Arvid Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson

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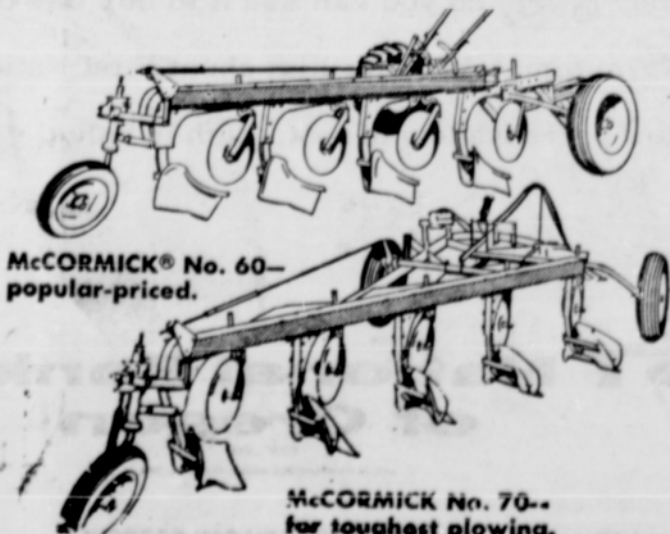


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