

Wasco News

By Pauline Broughton

Rev. and Mrs. Larry Eddings and children left Sunday for a vacation on the coast. They will spend the first week at Camp Magruder. During Rev. Eddings' absence, Mr. Russell Belshee of Moro will be the speaker at the worship services July 5 and 19. Mr. Edwin Fritts of Grass Valley will speak at the July 12 service. The Eddings will return July 26.

Mrs. Harry Van Gilder, Mrs. Ida Everett, Mrs. Leona Van Gilder and granddaughter, Glenda-Lee and Mrs. Harold Winegar and children were Thursday afternoon guests of Mrs. Bill Broughton.

Mrs. Jennie Hearing left Sunday for a brief visit with her sister, Edna Ucey, at Hermiston. She returned Tuesday.

At the regular meeting of Marian Rebekah lodge Wednesday, June 24, the ceremony of draping the charter was held in honor of Emma Chapman Molesworth, who died June 22. Mrs. Molesworth's death marked the passing of the last charter member of the Wasco lodge, which was established in 1902.

Through an oversight, in the account given of the recent library festival in Wasco, no mention was made of the parade entry furnished by Marian Rebekah lodge. The float represented much time and effort on the part of Mrs. Floyd Haines and other members of the lodge, and added much to the success of the parade.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mayers drove to Chicago June 11 to be at the bedside of Mr. Mayers' father, who passed away shortly after their arrival. Mr. and Mrs. Mayers returned to Wasco June 19. He is with the Soil Conservation service here.

Gary Moore of Redmond is employed for the summer on the John Robinson ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Malloy and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dimmick spent Father's day weekend at Hood River with Joe Dimmick. Mrs. Kenneth Dimmick went from there to Hillsboro for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Spengen.

Barbara Gilman of Moro spent from Wednesday until Friday with Mrs. Bill Broughton.

Annie Fulton, chapter, OES, held a special meeting June 23, for the purpose of initiation. Candidates were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hilderbrand, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Reid also became members of the chapter by affiliation. Worthy Matron Marguerite Kaseberg presented each officer with a gift as a token of her appreciation for their work done during the year, as it was her last night of presiding. At the public installation to be held July 11, Catherine Bish will be installed as the incoming worthy matron. Visitors at the meeting were Dorothy Heater and Gwen Matteson from Bethlehem chapter in Moro.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Pshigoda and children spent Father's day weekend at Starbuck, Wn., with Mrs. Pshigoda's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Smith.

Harold Winegar, biologist in charge of the Game Commission's habitat improvement crew in this area, left Monday for Portland to attend a three day meeting of the Western Association of State Game and Fish Commissioners, being held at the Multnomah Hotel.

The Wasco fire truck made a run to Biggs Saturday night but the fire was out when they arrived. It started in a mattress at the motel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Holloway and family spent the weekend visiting relatives at the coast.

The Town and Country Grill, Wasco Saturday, served quite a which opened for business in crowd of diners over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nisbet returned Wednesday from a trip to Rupert, Idaho where they visited Mr. Nisbet's father and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Root had as Sunday dinner guests Mr. Root's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. Macomber, from Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Watkins attended the rodeo Friday evening, and again Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Nisbet from Portland visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nisbet.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Root drove to Athena on business last Monday. They report pea harvest in full swing in that area.

Norman Fridley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fridley, Wasco, is among 89 students at Linfield college, listed on the honor roll for the 1959 spring semester. Fridley graduated from Linfield last month.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Harper of Wasco and Mrs. Art Macheel of Biggs drove to Seaside last Wednesday to attend the Governor's Review at Camp Rilea. While there they were luncheon guests of Brig-Gen. and Mrs. Alfred D. Hintz, and that evening attended a reception at the Seaside Hotel. General Hintz was recently appointed Adjutant General for the State of Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Hill from Oakland, Calif., came last week for a few days visit with his father, Elmer Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Van Gilder came over from Antelope Saturday to visit his mother, Mrs. Leona Van Gilder. They attended the rodeo at Moro Saturday night and on Sunday took their daughter, Glenda-Lee, home with them. She has spent the past two weeks with her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Anderson of Portland drove up Sunday to get their daughter, who has spent the past two weeks visiting her grandparents, the Gordon Harpers and Mrs. Art Macheel.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nisbet was the scene of a family gathering June 28. Those present for the potluck affair included Mrs. Nisbet's sister and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fridley and family, her brother D. E. (Gene) McConaughy of Portland, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McConaughy of Kent, and an uncle, J.E. Divine from Mt. Pleasant, Iowa. Mr. Divine, who is a

brother of Mrs. McConaughy, has been visiting relatives on the Pacific coast for several weeks. He will return to his Iowa home this week.

June 28 marked the last of the coffee hour fellowships at the Methodist church until fall. Beginning July 5, worship services will be held at 10 a. m. instead of 11.

Mrs. Martin Pshigoda was presented with a past president's pin for her work in the Wasco Methodist WSCS last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Roysse and daughter, Sharon, from Portland visited his brother, Lloyd Roysse, and mother, Mrs. Augusta Roysse, over the weekend.

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By Mrs. Geo. L. Fox

It feels like it might get hot here this week, although there are threatening clouds hanging in the sky. A cool wind from the west blew all last week, which was very good for the growing wheat. It is thought it will be several weeks yet before the wheat will be ready to harvest. But the fall barley may be ready before that time, as it is getting a golden yellow color already. It is a pretty sight to see the ripening grain waving in the west wind blowing across the fields. The gold color means dollars to the folks living in Sherman county.

Mrs. Bert Swigart who went to Montana to see her folks a couple of weeks ago, was accompanied home by a niece whose husband is serving time with Uncle Sam in Germany. The niece visited an uncle in the valley before coming here, and it is expected she will stay over this coming week end. Bert Swigart left Tuesday for Bend where he has a job. Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jordan were the latter's sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Trueman Smith of Portland.

Jimmy Fox spent the weekend visiting at Olympia, Wn., with a classmate from Washington State university. Monday evening he went over to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weatherford's place at Olex to help out with some field work and putting up hay before harvest arrives in this area.

A bridal shower is planned for Tuesday, June 30, honoring Mrs. Bill Beers who was married about 10-days ago. Mrs. Beers is the former Sharon Miller. Hostesses planning the show are Mrs. Leonard Jordan, Mrs. Wynn Roberts and Mrs. Joe Morris.

The Red Cross swimming lessons ended last Friday for the children at Rufus. The Rufus school bus was loaded to capacity which took the children to The Dalles. This is a lot of fun for the children, and a good many of them learned to swim this year.

Several people from Rufus attended the rodeo at Moro last weekend. All thought it was a very good show. The rummage sale which the Home Ec club of the grange held in The Dalles last week, netted a good sum. All the bills aren't taken care of yet, but it is thought



One of the most popular attractions at Oregon Centennial Exposition is this replica of early day bank, sponsored by the west's oldest national bank, First National Bank of Oregon. Furnishings include many museum articles and historic displays.

the club will have about a hundred dollars. This goes toward the Rufus Grange building program. R. H. Seehafer has the contract to put a new roof and sides on the dining room part of the hall. He together with his men started to work Monday.

Mrs. Alta Smith's granddaughter, Terry Peck, visited at her farm home recently. Terry is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Peck of Portland. Dick is in school in Portland taking radio and television repair work.

**Pacific Northwest
Grain Council**

Members of the wheat industry met in Portland recently to or-

ganize the Pacific Northwest Grain Industry Council. The council was formed to bring about a greater understanding and better relations between segments of the wheat industry, and between the wheat industry and the public.

One of the purposes of the council is to identify problems affecting the entire industry or its segments, study their effects, and work toward possible solutions.

Bob Enloe of Continental Grain, Portland, was elected chairman of the group.

Experiment Station Supt. Meeting
The annual summer meeting of the Oregon State agricultural branch station superintendents will be June 26-27 in the Hood River, Wasco, and Sherman county areas. The groups will meet

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