

Moro Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Malen and children of Bellevue, Wash., were weekend guests of Mrs. Malen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pinkerton. Carol Malen remained for a longer visit.

The annual Searcy family gathering and picnic will take place next Sunday, July 12, at the Bear Springs forest camp.

A copy of the Rustler-Herald, published at King City, Calif., contains the story of the wedding of Virginia Anne Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Webb, known here. She is a graduate of San Jose State and has been teaching school in California. Groom was Charles A. Newcomb, who is in the Marine corp.

Mrs. Glen Shoemaker of Condon was here Wednesday morning to see about renting their home in Moro. She was accompanied by Glenna Sue and her son, Lamar, whose legs are much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Roberson returned home Wednesday after a trip to the central states that lasted several weeks and during which they visited their son, Jim, now a navy flier. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gillmor have been caring for the motel.

Robert Baum of the state conservation office was in town Wednesday to confer with Henry Grabenhorst, local soil conservator.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Thompson are enjoying a visit from her brother and family from California coming Wednesday of this week.

Herman Peters had his tonsils removed Wednesday in The Dalles, staying one night at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Willy Knighten of Mitchell have been moving their household goods back to Moro this week.

Loy Cochran returned Monday evening from his vacation into southern Oregon.

Word from Mrs. Marie Barnum is that her father died last Friday at the age of 83. He had not been well or particularly ill. After the funeral Mrs. Barnum and Mrs. Alfred Kock, who accompanied her on the trip, started home and are expected here shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelso took their boat and their daughters and went to Bandon to spend their vacation on the water at their former home.

Mrs. Leta Eslinger and her son Marcus and family drove to Hillsboro to attend a reunion of the Newton family. There was Mrs. Walter Newton and her four daughters, Mrs. Eslinger, Mrs. Dell Eakin, Mrs. James B. Thomas, at whose home the reunion was held, and Mrs. Keith Byland of Arizona, Mrs. Gertrude Van Meter and Walter Eslinger and family of Tongue Point.

Daughters of Nile Meet

Mid-Columbia Daughters of the Nile club met June 26 at the home of Mrs. G. A. Sargent, with Mrs. Carl Tuggle as co-hostess for the luncheon meeting. At the business meeting that followed, it was reported that the recent rummage sale netted \$500.00 which is to be presented to the Nile queen for her special project, that of providing casts and braces for crippled children. Also displayed at the meeting was one of the dolls, complete with hand-sewn wardrobe, which has been a project of the club. These dolls are to be given to each girl patient in the Shrine hospital on the child's birthday. Attending from The Dalles were Mrs. Cal Horn, Mrs. W. L. Van Horn, Mrs. Lenoard Smith, Mrs. Mildred Galloway, Mrs. Forest Riskin, Mrs. P. H. Crawford, Mrs. E. J. McKune, Mrs. L. H. Martin, Mrs. G. E. Quirk, Mrs. Floyd Cook, Mrs. Cliff Walker, and Mrs. Lloyd Boggs. Present from Wasco, besides hostesses were Mrs. Robt. Bish, Mrs. Art Smith and Mrs. Gordon Harper.

Nisbet-Williams Nuptials Held

Of interest in the community was the June 12 wedding of William Alan (Bud) Nisbet and Carlene Maye Williams. They were married in the Goldendale, Methodist church, with Mrs. Charles Wallace, the bride's twin, as matron of honor and the groom's father, W. A. Nisbet, as best man. Charles Wallace and Mrs. W. A. Nisbet were also present.

The bride was attired in a street length frock of blue crustolite over blue taffeta, with matching veiled hat, and carried a white orchid. The matron of honor was costumed in pink linen, and the mother of the groom wore a beige linen ensemble.

Following a wedding dinner in Goldendale with their attendants, the newlyweds left for a short wedding trip. They are now at home at 6229 N. E. Oregon, Portland, where both are employed. The bride is a secretary in the insurance office of Senator Walter J. Pearson, and the groom is with the Pacific Cooler Refrigeration company.

Republican Meeting Set For Sunday

Republicans will meet Sunday at the Moro park for a picnic. Reason for the gathering is a visit by Peter Gunnar of Salem who is state chairman for the party who will be accompanied by Walter Hunter, a reporter and party worker, announces Mrs. Collis Moore, national committeewoman for Oregon.

Time of arrival of Mr. Gunnar and Mr. Hunter is one o'clock. Precinct committeemen and women will be hosts for the meeting.

Oregon In History

July 3, 1853 — In the matter of Robin Holmes vs. Nathaniel Ford, the said Holmes having been a slave of the said Ford, and brought to Oregon with his wife and family by Ford, and he and his wife having been released by Ford, and he now desires that his children also be released by Ford, they being held in bondage. Judge George H. Williams has decided this day for the plaintiff Holmes, and against the defendant, and has ordered the release of the children into the custody of Holmes. The judge has based his opinion upon the theory that once Ford brought slaves into this Territory, where slavery is illegal, the relationship of slave and master was dissolved. This is considered a radical position and is much criticised by the several other slaveholders in the territory and by those who favor the South's "peculiar institution".

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July 12, 1911 — E. Henry Wempe has reiterated his offer of \$5000 toward the construction of the Mount Hood road provided the total subscription reaches

\$50,000. He has even offered \$10,000 toward the improving of the highway if the people raise \$100,000. This offer is made in a letter read before the meeting of the board of directors of the Portland Automobile Club last night.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Slim Pickins-Up!

Slim Thomas' wife thought up a pretty slick way to get Slim to clean up their front porch.

Slim had a habit of leaving his tools there before coming into the house. And he'd always tell his Missus he'd get around to tidying up later.

So Mrs. T. nailed a large sign to the porch for all passers-by to see: "THOMAS' JUNK PILE, DUMP YOUR OLD EQUIPMENT HERE!" When Slim saw the sign he cleaned that porch so fast he was through before any junk de-

positors turned up. Threw the sign out, too.

From where I sit, sometimes it takes the "dramatic" to show folks they're wrong. But usually you can solve things by talking them out. For instance, my neighbor once objected to my preference for an occasional glass of beer. But after discussing it with him, he realized he was just plain intolerant. Now he accepts my choice as I accept his. What do you say we "clean up" all intolerant thinking?

Joe Marsh

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For the year ended December 31, 1958

OF THE AMERICAN NATIONAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of 99 John Street, New York, in the State of New York, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

ADMITTED ASSETS	
Bonds	\$ 3,696,400.00
Stocks	2,743,501.00
Mortgage loans on real estate	—
Real estate, less encumbrances	—
Cash and bank deposits	465,056.40
Agents' balances or uncollected premiums	—
Interest, dividends and real estate income due and accrued	39,466.00
Other assets	217,141.88
Total admitted assets	\$13,152,545.28
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Losses	\$ 1,919,112.00
Loss adjustment expenses	202,784.00
Unearned premiums	8,530,904.78
All other liabilities	264,900.00
Total liabilities, except capital	\$ 10,917,700.78
Capital paid up	\$1,900,000.00
Special surplus funds	419,390.00
Unassigned funds (surplus)	6,326,554.50
Surplus as regards policyholders	\$ 7,745,944.50
Total	\$13,152,545.28
STATEMENT OF INCOME	
Premiums earned	\$ 5,962,784.10
Losses incurred	\$ 2,725,785.40
Loss expense incurred	\$ 357,349.26
Other underwriting expense incurred	1,675,334.31
Total underwriting deductions	\$ 4,758,468.97
Net underwriting gain or loss	\$ 1,204,315.13
Investment income	\$ 72,172.15
Other income	900.50
Total, before federal income taxes	\$ 1,277,387.78
Federal income taxes incurred	4,876.97
Net income	\$ 1,272,510.81
Dividends to stockholders	—
Capital changes (net)	—
Other items affecting surplus (net):	1,746,336.43
Total capital and surplus (net)	\$ 3,018,847.24
Increase in surplus as regards policyholders	\$ 2,266,210.09
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Direct premiums received	\$ 35,246.23
Direct losses paid	\$ 34,771.43
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders	—
Principal office in Oregon, Portland.	—