

Moro Personals

A Driver's license examiner will be on duty in Moro, Tuesday January 29, 1963 at the courthouse between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. according to an announcement from the department of motor vehicles.

R. J. (Bob) Roberson, who has been Director of Education, and late of the Personnel and Placement Bureau, Clark Air Base, Philippine Islands, is being transferred to the same position at Paine Field, Everett, Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Roberson and daughters, Patricia and Susa, will leave Manila, February 2, arriving at Travis Air Base the same date. At present they are spending a week in Hong Kong as a last fling at the Orient. Bob will assume duties at Paine Field February 11.

Ernie Woods flew to San Francisco Thursday, spent Friday in the offices of Atkinson & Co., and Saturday will fly over the pole to London on his way to Beirut and to Mangia where he will help Atkinson build a dam on the Jhelum river, an arm of the Indus.

Mr and Mrs Giles French were in Portland Friday and Saturday on some business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Balsiger left Wednesday morning for California to meet Mr and Mrs Collins Moore for another trip into Mexico for a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Parker received word recently that they were now grandparents, their son Kenneth and wife having a new baby girl at their home in Los Angeles, California.

BORN: To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Melzer, Tuesday, January 22, at The Dalles a son, Douglas Carl, weight 9 pounds, 2 ounces and 23 inches long. Everyone doing fine.

Caring For Shrubs Can Keep Them Alive

Shrubs, perennials and bulbs planted near buildings should not be overlooked during the fall months. There may be enough moisture for the lawn but up near the buildings or under eaves of the roof no rain falls. Give them a good soaking every two weeks so they will go into winter in good condition.

Now is an excellent time to plant perennials and bulbs while the soil is easy to work. This will give them a chance to root down well and you can mulch them for the cold part of the winter. At that depth changes of soil temperature are slow and they should do very well.

Dahlias can be lifted now as cold frosty weather arrives. Usually this is done after the first hard frost or as heavy cold rains start. Cut the top back within a few inches of the tubers. Lift carefully and allow the soil to dry enough to come off. Store the tubers in a cool but frost proof storage in dry sand, peat moss, sawdust or sometimes old newspapers are used to protect and wrap them.



Mr and Mrs Paul A. Fraser of Moro announce the engagement of their daughter, Sherrie Kay, to Louis Blaine Miller, son of Mr and Mrs Blaine C. Miller of Moro. A summer wedding is planned.

The bride-elect graduated in December from Stanford University where she is presently employed as an assistant in the psychology department. After her marriage she will study at Columbia University for the Master of Arts degree in psychiatric social work.

The future bridegroom is a 1961 graduate of Oregon State University where he was affiliated with Beta Theta Pi, and a 1962 graduate of the American Institute of Foreign Trade. He is now employed by the finance division of the General Motors Overseas Operations in New York City. Under a scholarship grant from G.M.O.O., he is studying at New York University for the Master of Arts degree in finance.

Good Records Make Good Bookkeepers

The 1963 Farmer's Tax Guide is now available at the County Extension office and grocery store bulletin racks in Wasco, Grass Valley and Moro. The new one reflects the latest changes in the federal tax laws, resulting from the revenue act of 1962. Explained in detail are the tax obligations and rights of farmers, including the new rules for deducting expenses for clearing land, the tax credit for new equipment, and the more liberal rules for computing salvage value. Many examples show specifically how the law applies.

The booklet contains a 1963 tax calendar which tells when to pay your taxes, file your return, and do other things required by law. A check list of farm income and expenses appears on page 20, and an income tax return completely filled in with explanations, begins on page 4.

Good record keeping practices make good taxpayers and for that reason the first chapter in the booklet is devoted to that subject. With a little care, records can be relatively simple, requiring little time to maintain. The key to accurate record keeping is to note in writing the various transactions when they occur, and not to depend on memory at a later date.

Wasco News

By Judie McGowan Phone GI 2-5403

"Where Children Come First" will be shown to all parents, teachers and interested people on Feb. 7th at 8 p.m. at the Wasco school. Come, see, hear and share in this P.T.A. program and social hour.

Annie Fulton chapter met Jan. 8th with Adeline McDonald, worthy matron and Harland McDonald, worthy patron presiding. Mrs. Nina Pinkerton of Moro, Mrs. Ruby Finley of Arlington and Mrs. Stell Tomlinson of The Dalles were welcomed as visitors.

Mrs. Elva Dehler was welcomed into the chapter by initiation. At the end of the session clam chowder was served by the refreshment committee: Dr. Frank Reid, Bob Byars, Gordon Harper and Gordon Hilderbrand.

The Robert Odell family of Moro were honored at a surprise house warming last Friday night. The Odells have resided in their home since September after moving here from Minneapolis, Minnesota where Mr Odell began his teaching career in the DeSalle High school for boys. He and his wife, the former Phylliss Lutje and small son, Tommy, came to Moro upon his acceptance of the position as head of the math department at Sherman High school. Friends at the gathering were Mr and Mrs Tom Macnab, uncle and aunt of Mr. Odell, Mr and Mrs Pete Macnab, Mr and Mrs Bill Macnab, Mr and Mrs Stuart Macnab, Mr and Mrs Pat Macnab, Mr and Mrs Don Macnab, Mr and Mrs Jim Fox, Mr and Mrs George Macnab, Mr and Mrs Ladd McGowan and Don Murray.

Friends of the Bill Masten family are cordially invited to a pot luck farewell dinner Wednesday evening, January 30 at 6:00. The dinner will be held in the Methodist church-social room so that Bill and Elin will have the opportunity to say goodbye to everyone before moving to Prosser Washington February 1.

Loren Macnab, son of Mr and Mrs Pete Macnab, is back in school after a recent illness that put him in the hospital in The Dalles.

Mrs. Martin Pshigoda was released from the hospital in The Dalles last Friday after major surgery and she is now convalescing at home.

Wasco Church of Christ will have a Fellowship dinner at the church this Sunday following the service. Evangelistic meetings are continuing through next week every night except Saturday.

New membership classes are starting at the Methodist church for those interested in joining. The first meeting will be this Sunday evening with the purpose of working out future meetings.

The Methodist Youth have prepared the services for this Sunday, the message being delivered by Bill Smith. After church the MYF group will leave for Portland for an afternoon of ice skating at Lloyd's center.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to express my appreciation to all the friends and neighbors who sent cards and flowers while I was in the hospital recently. Thank you so very much.
Patricia Pshigoda

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank all my friends for cards, flowers and gifts sent while I was in the hospital.
Sincerely
Leona Smith



Mary Louise Crow, daughter of Mr and Mrs Robert Crow of Stanfield became the bride of Walter G. Nichols, son of Mr and Mrs Wesley G. Nichols of Moro Dec. 15 when the Rev. Myron Nichols, of the Presbyterian church of Stanfield officiated. The maid of honor was Miss Jean Kelso of Tacoma, a college room mate of the bride. The bride wore a gown designed and made by Mrs. Nichols.

Gary Thompson of Moro was best man and Robert Crow, brother of the bride, Richard Justus, a cousin of Harland and Eldon Johnson of Benton City were ushers. Both are sophomores at the University of Oregon and both attended Ellensburg State last year.

Rufus News

By Mrs. George Fox
A group of past presidents of the American Legion Auxiliary unit at Wasco met Thursday January 17 at the home of Mrs Bill Reid in Wasco for the purpose of organizing a past presidents' parley. Mrs Paul Patrick acted as secretary pro-tem and Mrs Bill Reid conducted the meeting. Mrs Grace Medler was elected as new secretary and Mrs Dewey Thomas as the new treasurer and Mrs Arthur Sargent as chaplain. The group voted to meet the 4th Thursday of each month at 1:30 at the different homes. The refreshments served at each meeting will be simple. The next meeting will be February 28 at the home of Mrs Bill Reid.

There will be no dues, but a silver offering at each meeting a birthday offering not to exceed 35 cents for any person. There will also be a recipe file which the club will sell for 10 cents per recipe.

Mrs Grace Medler is Poppy chairman for the Auxiliary. The group will make up 40 poppy wreaths to sell this May. The women present made up flowers to send to the Veterans' hospital for the wheel chair parade. A bill of \$5.25 for crepe paper was paid by the unit. Present for the afternoon besides the hostess and Mrs Patrick were: Mrs Dewey Thomas, Mrs Arthur Sargent, Mrs Elva Dehler, Mrs Keith McDonald, Mrs George Fox, Mrs Robert Bish, Mrs Grace Medler and Mrs John Foss.

Your correspondent was a winner at KACI's anniversary award program for January 8. The program gives you lines and you must add two more. The given lines are "Hand in hand, we walk the aisle. We took our vows with a steady smile" and I added, "For richer, for poorer, in sickness and in health. God's love and four children enriches our wealth."

The George Foxes celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary on December 28. They were married in Portland at the Cathedral church and raised and educated four children. For prizes they will receive a free 8 x 19 portrait from Elite Studio, \$3 bottle of cologne from Wray's drug store, five gallons of gas from Dick's Hiway Service, special discount at Vern's Meats on locker beef.

The Rufus Grange met January 17 at the hall for a no-host dinner. Mrs Rolland Johnson was absent with a cold so Roy Shaffer who also had a cold officiated as master. Roy Means, state deputy and steward of the grange was present.

Martin Zimmerman on agriculture said some areas do not want the use of 2-4-D spray as it does damage to growers of fruit and vegetables. Mrs Harland McDonald on legislation said the legislature is in session now and a bill is introduced in the house asking to raise their pay to \$3000 a session and \$20 per day costs.

It was announced the Rufus school wants another piano as the school has a piano teacher, Mrs. Earl Weatherford from Olex. The classes need a piano for singing lessons and another one to teach lessons on. Some years ago when Miss Vivian Trounce taught piano lessons at Rufus the area thought it was the nicest program ever offered.

A thank you note from the Grange for flowers sent to the Ada Dingle funeral. A resolution from the Cherry Park Grange endorses a Community college at or near The Dalles. Arthur Means is master of that Grange. A resolution from the Hebron Grange at Cottage Grove on prohibiting opening of a doe season at hunting time. Marvin Miller is master there.

Bill Huck offered to take the Rufus Grange electric clock to see if he could get it to work again. This clock was given the Grange by the Grange Fire Mutual Life Ins. Co. Roy Means spoke to the Grangers. He said a lot of western Oregon hunters come to eastern Oregon to hunt. A lot of livestock are killed each year and that the ranchers should be reimbursed for cattle killed. It was discussed and brought out that if insurance was tacked onto the license sold the ranchers could be paid for destroyed animals by hunter's bullets.

For the literary program a card game was held after the meeting. The Rufus Grange plans on having a program after the first meet

ing of them on, but a card game after the second.

Dairymen Still Milking Their Cows

Only two fluid milk dairymen have definitely quit the dairy business as result of the Columbus day storm and another six are undecided whether to continue milking.

At least 81 head of dairy stock died in the storm, including several that were electrocuted; another five were crippled.

These facts come from information gathered through October 26 by the state department of agriculture's dairy inspectors in western Oregon. The survey included only dairymen producing for the consumer market, as opposed to factory milk producers. It covers roughly 60 per cent of the producers under state inspection.

Dairymen in the midvalley suffered the worst construction losses. Rex Palmer, stationed at Albany, surveyed 77 to 113 dairies in his four-county district. Every dairy reported damage to buildings and 16 reported dairy buildings destroyed.

Elmer Morgan, Salem district inspector, found that 123 dairymen had 52 buildings completely destroyed and another 160 buildings damaged.

Work Easier, Not So Hard with Strawn

By Bernice Strawn
Are you still the gal your husband married—full of vim for all that's fun? Or does homemaking leave you "bushed" with most of the old "you" gone?

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