

Irrigon News Notes
By MRS. J. A. SHOUN

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Duus and daughter Lavern Duus spent Sunday at Hanford and at Sacajawea park near Wallula.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Houghton were Portland visitors Friday.

Calvin Allen has been covering the C. W. Grim house with roofing this week.

Miss Lois Markham and Miss Betty Acock, senior cadet nurses of Spokane arrived home Sunday morning to visit the Harry Smith and C. W. Acock homes. Mrs. Joy Weigand of Pasco arrived Saturday to visit her sister Lois and small daughter Theresa.

Rev. A. B. Turner and family visited in Pasco Saturday.

Mr. and Mr. Nestor Seaman, a former depot agent here spent a few days visiting with the J. E. McCoy's. They departed for their home in Madras Monday.

CWO Wiley Benefiel and Mrs. Benefiel and son Wiley are visiting her parents the A. E. Stephens family. Officer Benefiel has been in service in Alaska.

Rev. S. E. Gregg of Portland occupied the pulpit at the Community church Sunday. Rev. Wallace Winquist and family are moving into the Adams apartment Saturday to make their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Haberlein and Mr. and Mrs. Ora Thompson and son Ronald spent Sunday in Freewater.

Troy Griffin finished drilling the W. B. Dexter and J. A. Shoun well Sunday at 79 feet with 39 feet of water. He moved to the Clyde Hoyt place Monday to drill a well there.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Leach and son Tommy and Mrs. Ellen McCoy and son Ronald went to Portland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Umiker and two daughters were called to Castle Rock Saturday by the sudden death of Mr. Umiker's brother

Frank. They returned Monday.

Lt. Earl Stewart and brother Wayne and mother Mrs. Emma Stewart went to Roseburg to visit Mr. Stewart at the Veterans' hospital while they were on their trip from here last week. Lt. Stewart returned to Fort Sill, Okla after a 15 day furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dexter left Friday to visit their son Bert and family in Tacoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Van Cleve and family visited their daughter Mrs. Milton Bailey and children Sunday.

Pfc Andrew M. Shoun left for Fort Lewis Monday to await his turn to be discharged as he has more than enough points. He spent two years in the ETO area. He has three battle stars.

Mrs. June Green was a Walla Walla visitor returning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bailey entertained at a waffle feed Monday night. A nice crowd spent an enjoyable evening.

RECEIVES DISCHARGE

Francis Doherty is home to stay, having been honorably discharged from the army.

VISITS HERE

Mrs. Mary Johnson and daughter Neola returned Monday to their home in Cottage Grove after visiting relatives in Heppner. Mrs. Johnson is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Bertha Johnson.

ALLOTMENTS CEASE

Canning sugar allotments cease on Sept. 15, according to announcement made early this week by the local office of the OPA. Until that time those entitled to sugar may obtain 10 pounds per person.

FOR SALE—Concord grapes, \$1.60 full apple box. Bring your boxes and help pick. J. H. Reid, Hermiston, Oregon, Phone 3605. 2526c

INSTALLED STOKER

W. R. Misener of Portland spent several days in Heppner last week supervising installation of a stoker for the heating plant in the Masonic building. He was accompanied by his wife who spent many years working in the printing trade. Mrs. Misener called at the Gazette Times office to inhale some printer's ink atmosphere but could not be tempted to don an apron and go to work.

MORE BOYS HOME

Gilbert Batty, AMM 3c of San Diego and Lt. Raymond Batty of the army air corps are home, Gilbert on leave and Raymond here permanently, having received his discharge. Raymond and his wife will make their home in Heppner.

RODEO GUESTS

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Sager during the Rodeo were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Murray of Milton.

EXPECTS SONS HOME

Mrs. Durward Tash states that her two soldier sons, Pvt Jack Edmondson and S Sgt Francis Leland Edmondson, are expected home the last of the week. Leland has been discharged after three years in the European theater with the Eighth Air Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Doolittle and son Paul of Portland paid the old home town a short visit last week. Paul has only recently returned from overseas and is on furlough. They were guests at the T. J. Humphreys home.

CAFE TO CLOSE FRIDAY

Harvey White, proprietor of White's cafe, states that he will remain closed Friday while he and his staff go to Pendleton to take in the Round-up. He feels that a brief respite is due after the strenuous days put in during the Rodeo.

Womens' auxiliary of All Saints Episcopal church will hold the first meeting of the fall Friday afternoon in the parish house.

ENJOY 'ALUMINUM' LUNCHEON

Guests at the home of Mrs. Merle Kirk for a luncheon Tuesday were Mrs. Chris Brown, Mrs. Ralph Beamer, Mrs. Lloyd Burkenbine, Mrs. Don Strait, Mrs. Blaine Isom, Mrs. L. E. Dick Sr. Mrs. George Evans, Mrs. John Lane, Mrs. Earl vans, Evelyn Bosworth, Merlyn Kirk and Janice Beamer. The meal was cooked and served by G. F. Cook, demonstrating aluminum ware.

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Yes! Ladies! We'll have Hosiery Saturday afternoon—after 1 p. m.