

### Lone News Items of the Week

The Misses Clara Ann and Alecia Swales and Mr. and Mrs. H. Martin are visiting in Nampa, Idaho.

Those going to Lehman springs from here Sunday were Miss Mary Jean Bristow, Miss Laurel Palmateer, Rollo Crawford, Pete Cannon and Ernest McCabe.

Denny Swanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Swanson, received a bad burn on his foot recently while playing and got some hot ashes in his shoe. He is up and around now.

Mrs. Mary Cunningham of Post Falls, Idaho, and her granddaughter, Miss Mary Couch of Eugene, were recent visitors of Mrs. Fannie Griffith. Mrs. Cunningham and Mrs. Griffith are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Swanson and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lindstrom were Pendleton visitors last week.

Little Sharon Keithley of Heppner is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Ida Grabill.

Andrew Geuben, who helped George Griffith in harvest, returned to his home in Wisconsin.

The Misses Jean Turner of Heppner and Alice Nicholson left Friday for Bandon where they attended the wedding of Miss Jean Stevenson and Arthur Lang. The bride was a roommate of Miss Nicholson's at Oregon State college.

Buster and Kenneth Botts arrived this week from Texas to visit relatives here.

Thanks for the return of the baby bed at the grange hall. Oscar Lundell burned out a

big stump in his yard by using a vacuum cleaner for a bellows.

Mr. and Mrs. James Montague and baby were Walla Walla visitors this week.

Miss Melba Crawford and Harlan Crawford are visiting their brother Vernice Crawford and family at Dufur.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Anderson of Morgan Hill, Calif., visited at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Johan Troedson, Carl Troedson and the C. W. Swanson and Mrs. Mary Swanson families last week. They stayed at Oscar Lundells. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson were on their way to Seattle.

The Ameca club met at the home of Mrs. Edmond Bristow Wednesday, July 23, with 23 members present. The hostesses, Mrs. Paul Pettyjohn and Mrs. Bristow, served marshmallow pudding, cookies and coffee.

The PNG club of the Rebekahs

met at the home of Mrs. C. W. Swanson Friday, July 25, with a good attendance. It was decided to tie a comforter next meeting at the Congregational church. Lunch of ice cream, cake and coffee was served by the hostess, Mrs. Swanson.

Mrs. Ralph Crum returned recently from The Dalles with her young son, Robert Ralph, who was born June 27.

Mrs. Amy Sperry and Mrs. Eldon Padberg were guests at the Johan Troedson home last week.

Mrs. Walter C. Dobyns left Saturday for Gresham to be with her mother-in-law, Mrs. H. M. Olden, who is to undergo a major operation at the St. Vincent hospital this week.

## Motorloggers Make Trip to Reno Long Way 'Round Along the Coast



Roulette at Harold's club in Reno. Women dealers are almost as numerous as men and much more popular and quick.

Below is a condensation of a motor log article appearing in The Oregonian's Sunday magazine section May 11. The article is one of a series prepared by the Oregonian in co-operation with the Oregon State Motor Association.

**BY GWLADYS BOWEN**  
Staff Writer, The Oregonian

ONE ORDINARILY doesn't drive to Reno over the Coast highway, and then cut across California just above Ukiah. But to the traveler with plenty of time there is much to recommend that route. Not only does it offer the most spectacular scenery of the Oregon coast as well as the best of the Redwood groves of northern California; but it also adds the lush pasture lands of north central California and the thrilling adventure of crossing Donner pass in the Sierra Nevada range.



Maps show alternate routes to Reno from Portland. Motorloggers took long way along Coast highway to Ukiah, Cal.

That's what this motorlogger did recently on a jaunt sponsored jointly by The Oregonian and the Oregon State Motor Association.

The 30-mile strip between Grass Valley and Truckee is one of the most breath-taking stretches of highway in the country. In one place after leaving Donner pass, the highway drops 1000 feet in two miles.

Californians have adopted this high Sierra country as one of their ski resorts. Fishermen will find this California highway 20 a paradise, too, for just after leaving Williams the road skirts the shores of Clear lake with another series of resorts extending along the northern edge.

The mining towns of the Mother Lode country are also picturesque—the quaint buildings of Grass Valley and Nevada City recalling the colorful

days of '49 when the world rushed to these towns after gold was discovered.

Eventually one reaches Reno, Nev., the "biggest little city in the world." Reno is popularly known as the city of easy divorces and weddings and wide-open gambling. It is true that the laws of Nevada permit all these things. Liquor can also be bought by the drink. At first glance on reaching town, one wonders if there is nothing in the downtown area but gambling clubs, bars and cafes. But a second look reveals the fact there are splendid hotels (another 12-story hostelry nearing completion) and excellent shops.

What isn't realized is that many people are flocking to Reno, as well as other Nevada



Motorloggers found gambling clubs standing shoulder to shoulder on main street of Reno. They're open all day.

cities, because the state has neither an inheritance tax nor a sales tax. Also, the casual visitor doesn't realize that the second largest gold producing mine in the country is in Nevada. Great herds of beef cattle and breeding stock make the state almost as well known as its weddings and divorces.

It is estimated that the 200 gambling games and more than 1000 slot machines in Reno grossed more than \$27,000,000 in 1946.

The return trip to Portland from Reno may be made on 396 north, via Burns and Pendleton, and then west on 30, on 395 as far north as Alturas, and then west to Klamath Falls or north from Lakeview to Lapine.

**LEXINGTON ...**

Mrs. Clarence Hayes

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McMillan and houseguest, Miss Mary Alice Koch, are spending a few days visiting the Oregon coast.

Mrs. Don Campbell was honored with a stork shower Friday afternoon at the Kenneth Peck home, with Mrs. Peck, Mrs. Roy Campbell and Mrs. Vernon Munkers as hostesses. There were twenty guests present and the guest of honor received many lovely gifts.

Mrs. John Hastings and daughter of Los Angeles are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rauch.

Mrs. Harry Dinges left Thursday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Gerald Acklen, and family in Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blood-

worth spent the week end in Enterprise. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Iris, who had been visiting there. While there they attended the

Chief Joseph Days at Joseph.

Mrs. Lon Edwards wrenched her shoulder quite seriously last week while lifting some heavy planks at her home. She went to a physician for treatment and is now wearing her arm in a sling.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McMillan and son David of Portland spent the fore part of the week visiting at the S. G. McMillan home.

Deanna Hayes, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hayes, was knocked down by a bicycle rider Sunday morning and received a bad cut over the right eye, necessitating seven stitches to close the wound.

Saturday morning 14 young girls left for Bible Rock camp near Ellensburg, Wash. Mrs. Elbert Moreland drove a car full of girls up and will stay with them. Mrs. Vernon Munkers and Mrs. Oscar Breeding each drove a car as far as Prosser, Wash., where the girls caught a special camp bus on. The girls going were Shriley Hunt, Pat McMillan, Betty Lou Messenger, Doris Grant, Phyllis Nolan, Beverly Nolan, Janis Hayes, Clara Griffin, Joanne Breeding, Inez O'Neill, Yvonne and Irene Breeding, Doris Slate and Marilyn Munkers. They will return Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Yarnell are spending their vacation at Seaside where they attended the "Miss Oregon" beauty contest.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Henderson and family spent the week end in Wallowa county attending Chief Joseph Days at Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jackson spent the week end at Hot Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Grant and Ben Grant and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hicks have all moved to Prineville where the men will work in the sawmill.

Mrs. Henry Rauch and Mrs. John Hartman spent one day last week visiting Doris Crozier at Orndance.

**CARD OF THANKS**

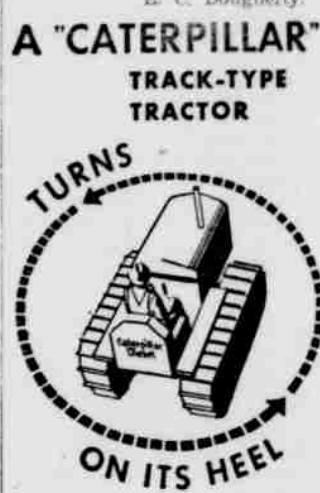
We wish to thank the people of Heppner and vicinity for their comforting expressions of sympathy and for the beautiful floral tributes to the memory of our beloved Gladwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Darl E. Hudson and family.

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Some folks think most range fires are deliberately set by criminals, arsonists, and other demented people—but that's all wrong too. The fires started for revenge and other such reasons are almost negligible.

Now... get ready for a shock. Behind this door is the real culprit that does the big damage. This will hurt, but we've got to stop burning America's ranges. So...

Yep... it's Mr. A. Good Citizen... an average American fellow like you who starts the most range fires. Just plain carelessness on your part accounts for nine out of ten!

**PLEASE FOLKS, BE EXTRA CAREFUL THIS YEAR!**

1. Observe rules in areas closed to smoking. Stop to smoke in safe places.
2. Crush out your cigarette, cigar, pipe ashes. Never throw burning objects from a car window.
3. Draw your campfire, then a permit—before burning.
4. Ask about the law—and a permit—before burning grass, brush, fence rows, ferns, or trees. Then follow safe rules: Burn only on still evenings; have help handy; kill every spark!

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