

Local News In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green and family were over from Pendleton to spend the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Alex Green, and other relatives.

Word has been received of the birth of a daughter, Attelia Marie, to Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Ross Ottens on June 20 at La Grande, Mrs. Ottens is the former Florence Sims and a niece of Dr. and Mrs. A. D. McMurdo and Miss Lulu Hager.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Weeks of Clarkston, Washington was in Heppner the first of the week re-visiting acquaintances and visiting friends. Weeks at one time owned the Hamilton ranch on upper Rhea Creek. This is his first visit to Heppner since leaving in 1920. Miss Opal Briggs and Mrs. Art Brownlow accompanied them on their return trip.

Mrs. Laverne Van Marter, Jr. returned Tuesday from Portland where she spent two days attending buyers market. Mrs. Van Marter accompanied Mrs. Robert Kelly to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Murchison drove to Pendleton Monday taking Bob Williamson who is returning to his base at San Diego after a week's visit here with friends. Williamson expects to be transferred to Norman, Oklahoma within a short time after his return to San Diego. He is with the U. S. Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. James Driscoll and family left the first of the week for a fortnight's vacation in North Bend, Wash., where they will visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lucas. From there they plan to continue on to Okanogan, Wash. to visit his relatives, Mrs. Richard Meador is working as relief clerk in the postoffice during their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sayers and children spent the weekend in Portland and Gresham. Their daughter, Kay who has been spending the past few weeks in Gresham with her grandmother, Titterton, returned to Heppner with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis and son of San Diego, Calif., arrived the last of the week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adkins. Mrs. Davis will be recalled locally as the former Miss Edda Mae Canoy who visited Mrs. Adkins during many summer vacations in the past. Recent visitors at the Adkins' home were her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crismon of Grants Pass. Two of the Crismon children remained in Heppner with their grandmother for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Steger had as their guests over the weekend, her sister, Mrs. Jack Godsey and daughter of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tedford and three children of Medford were over night guests Sunday at the Jeff Carter home.

Mrs. Venice Stiles who has been visiting her mother Mrs. Josie Jones returned to her home in Portland on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dutton of Portland are visiting at the Wightman Blue Mountain ranch for about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Pierson and daughter, Rose Marie, motored to The Dalles Saturday to spend the weekend with a nephew, John Pierson, who is home on a furlough from the army.

North Dakotan To Head Elks Lodge

Sam Stern, Fargo, N. D., banker, merchant and civic leader, was elected Grand Exalted Ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks at its 88th Grand Lodge convention in New York last week.

He is the first North Dakotan to head the Order of Elks in its 84 year history. Stern was installed at the closing convention session July 17.

Over 15,000 Elks and their wives were in attendance at the opening of the convention. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wilson of Heppner.

Donald E. Drake and son of Portland visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Drake, over the weekend.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Schaffitz had as their guest the first of the week Mr. and Mrs. Archie Ragland of North Bend, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Weiling and children of Gresham visited over the weekend in Heppner with Joe Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hamlin.

Mrs. Lulu Humphreys and daughter Donna of Seattle visited with her sister-in-law Mrs. M. R. Wightman on Monday.

Mrs. John Pfeiffer and children left Saturday for a weeks visit at Orcas Island with the Orville Smith family.

Mrs. Edna Turner left Friday for Portland from which point she will be accompanied by Mrs. Maude Pointer on a trip to Alaska. They planned to leave Seattle on July 23 by boat and will remain north until the latter part of August, returning by bus over the Alcan Highway.

Miss Gloria Weeling, Portland, representative of the State Public Welfare Commission, was a business visitor in Heppner Friday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin R. Hildebrand are her brother, John Borden and sister, Beatrice Borden, of Monroe, Washington.

Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Tull left the last of the week for a brief visit to Berkeley and Howard, California. Their daughter, Dorothy, who has been attending the University of California at Berkeley will return with them to spend the remainder of the summer in Heppner.

Mrs. Tom Wells was hospitalized Sunday following an accident in which she received a broken hip. Mrs. Wells was enroute to feed her chickens at the farm north of town, lost her footing on the incline going toward the chickenhouse, slipped and fell. Mrs. Wells was taken to St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton by ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Roscoe of Kellogg, Idaho were here Friday July 11 at the home of her mother Mrs. Floyd Adams. They were returning home from a vacation trip and stopped to pick up their daughter Kathy Jean who had spent the time visiting her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Drake of Richland, Wash., are here visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ray Drake and helping with the harvest.

Mrs. Evelyn Sweek of Monument is about again following her recent accident in which her foot was partly severed when a sickle ran over it. Mrs. Sweek was in Heppner Saturday to see her physician. She was accompanied by her mother-in-law Mrs. Earl Sweek also of Monument.

Observance of Farm Safety Set This Week

Take time to take care and realize that haste causes accidents, reminds N. C. Anderson, Morrow county extension agent, who adds that this week, July 29 to 26, is national farm safety week.

Figures released by James Wiles of the state industrial accident commission's accident prevention division indicates fatal and time-loss farm accidents are on the rise. Although the commission's statistics cover accounts only, figures indicate a 50 percent rise in farm accidents since 1945.

For the calendar year 1951, accidents occurring in agriculture which were reported to the commission totaled 2,252. Of these, 1,508 represented lost time claims, 649 involved no absence from work, 92 were occupational disease, and three were fatalities.

Wiles points out that the "workman's compensation law" which is administered by the state accident commission numbers about one-fourth of the state's 59,000 farm families among its clients.

Anderson says that farm safety is a matter of right attitude to a high degree. In discussing haste, he adds that short cuts or failure to stop long enough to correct a hazard may result in time loss, money, and health.

The county extension agent urges farmers to be open minded about safety suggestions. New machines and techniques mean new hazards, he says.

National Safety council says that about 1,300,000 are injured in rural accidents annually. In Oregon 18 percent of the accidents last year were attributed to "working surfaces." Vehicles were involved in 11 percent; hand tools in 10 percent; and machines and chemicals, 8 percent each.

HERE'S DOPE ON FISHING

Fishing information will be presented each week from reports received by Anderson's Sporting Goods and the Gazette Times.

According to the state game commission the lower Deschutes is clear and continuing to drop. They also report good catches on bait and with fly. Private reports have told of the start of the steelhead run in that river with some dandies being taken during the past week.

Reports from all streams of the John Day indicate nice catches are being taken on both bait and flies. The fish in Willow and Rhea creeks are beginning to respond to flies. Not many big ones in either, but some nice legal size have been taken.

Local sport shops in Heppner now have application forms for special antelope tags.

Marvin R. Wightman returned Sunday from Portland where he visited Clyde Gardner who is seriously ill at a hospital there.

Jesse Payne motored to Fossil Monday where he will spend the week in connection with his work for the Soil Conservation Service.

Big Program Scheduled For Shrine Football Game At Pendleton

As a prelude to their All-Star Football game on August 30th, at Pendleton, the Shrine Clubs of Eastern Oregon have scheduled a big jamboree on Main street between 4:00 and 5:00 p. m. Most of the bands and drill teams that will participate in the evening pageantry will put on a full hour of music and marching, and added attractions will be juvenile Indian dances and Main street Cowboy dices.

The jamboree will be in lieu of a parade in order to avoid duplication of the Dress-Up parade which will be a week later, or the Westward-Ho parade the following week.

In addition to the usual show between halves of the game, there will be thirty minutes of pre-game pageantry starting at 7:30 p. m. at the Round-Up park. This promises to be an exceptionally colorful program, with some events never before exhibited to Eastern Oregon. A complete listing of participants will be published at a later date.

Advance sale of tickets is being handled by the Pendleton Chamber of Commerce. Tickets should be ordered now for the better seats. Reserved seats are \$2.50 including tax. General admission seats will be adults \$1.50 and students \$1.00, tax included, and will go on sale the day of the game. Tickets are available in Heppner from Dr. L. D. Tibbles.

OSC Issues Bulletin On Stock Marketing

A comprehensive report on methods of marketing Oregon livestock, including some suggested improvements, has been published by the Oregon State college agricultural experiment station.

Entitled "The Marketing of Oregon Livestock," station bulletin 514 was written by E. L. Potter, an OSC staff member for 43 years.

Among other things, Potter recommended that Oregon cattle producers take advantage of the competitive situation in cattle marketing by getting away from the idea of always selling at certain places or to certain buyers.

Various sections of the publication cover marketing practices in Oregon on beef cattle, swine and sheep as well as general information on such things as freight rates and cooperative livestock marketing.

Copies of this report are available from county extension offices or OSC.

Mrs. Max Gentry is in Newport visited with her mother, Mrs. L. E. Stockton and Mr. Stockton.

Miss Eloise Ebbert, Salem, representative of the Oregon State Library association, paid an official visit to the Heppner Public Library Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rosewall flew to Los Angeles via United Airlines from Pendleton Friday to attend the funeral services for his sister-in-law, the late Mrs. Leona Rosewall. In Long Beach they visited with Mrs. Rosewall's sister Mrs. Louise Van Winkle.

Mrs. Ellis Hendrickson of San Leandro, California is here to visit her mother, Mrs. Jeff Jones and other relatives in Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Cox have as their houseguests her sister, Mrs. W. E. Irwin of Sherwood, and her cousin, Mrs. W. E. Irban (Esther Neel) of Casper, Wyoming.

Mrs. Frances Mitchell has returned to her office in the tax department at the courthouse following a fortnight's vacation that took her to Iowa where she visited relatives. During her absence Mrs. Mitchell attended the Republican National Convention in Chicago and spent a few days in Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barlow motored to Multnomah Falls Sunday to attend a Barlow family reunion.

Mrs. Blaine Isom of Pendleton was a Heppner visitor Monday.

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