

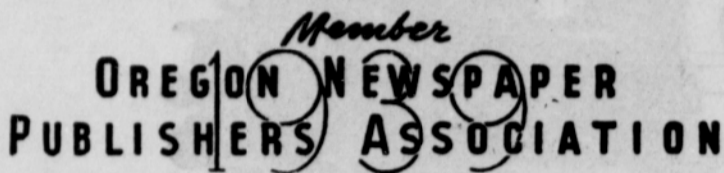
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Have You A House To Rent?

This question has been asked of us many times in the past month. It seems that the housing situation in this fair city is getting more acute as time goes on. With the many new developments going on in Hermiston and in neighboring towns it is necessary that more houses be obtained to take care of the added inhabitants.

What steps can be taken to relieve the situation is beyond our knowledge. However, it is getting to be an old story that there are no vacant houses here and Hermiston is bound to lose many new citizens unless something is done in the near future.

It Pays To Play Safe

A total of 328 lives were claimed in Oregon due to traffic accidents in 1938—a huge sum, yet a decrease of nine per cent over 1937 when 361 deaths occurred. This decrease is not just chance or a law of averages but is the result of a definite prevention program sponsored by Earl Snell, secretary of state, and his co-workers.

This reduction in lives lost is the result of hard efficient work, that has grown out of the state-wide program which was launched approximately two years ago and has finally begun to bear fruit. Various means have been taken to educate the driving public in ways and means to cut down accidents. Press stories have been published, school children have been taught, better highways have been built, and honest law enforcement under modern highway codes have left an impression on autoists that safety pays.

Accidents cost lives, money and unhappiness—safe driving costs nothing. Let's all play safe.

STANFIELD NEWS

By Mrs. J. M. Richards

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Smith honored Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Smith Sun-

day in observance of their sixtieth wedding anniversary. They were married in Marysville, Mo., June 1879, and have resided in and near Stanfield since 1915. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith and Mrs. Celia Huett of Portland,



BARGAINS

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and the following grandchildren of the honorees, Bill Comstock, and Carolyn, Gilbert and Spencer Smith. Miss Marie Tenny left Monday with the 4-H delegates to attend summer school in Corvallis June 5th to 16th. The Stanfield Grange is the sponsor of her scholarship. Marie completed three projects last year besides offices held in the various clubs.

Morris Hutton of Tillamook is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Wilbur Gifford. Rev. and Mrs. J. K. Griffith and daughters Esther and Margaret, have returned to Pilot Rock after having conducted the vacation Bible school here for the past two weeks. In lieu of the usual sermon the evening church hour was devoted to children's day exercises in charge of Mrs. Griffiths.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hoosier and Miss Rose Hoosier of Ashland are being welcomed by friends. Mr. and Mrs. Hoosier are visiting relatives in Echo. Hermiston and Stanfield while Miss Rose is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Hoosier. She will attend summer school at Ashland upon their return early next week.

The William Behme family have moved to their home which they purchased recently from the Ling estate.

Mrs. N. D. Bard and Mrs. S. P. Smith attended the Monday meeting of the Hermiston Garden club. The ladies were much impressed by the excellent reports given by Mesdames T. A. O'Grady and Mrs. F. B. Belt, delegates to the state garden club convention in Forest Grove recently.

About thirty ladies attended the semi-monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid Thursday afternoon. Mrs. G. E. Greathouse presided during the business meeting. Miss Elva Berry, financial chairman, reported for the month of May and turned in money from the "waist line" project.

Mrs. J. K. Griffith had charge of a missionary program followed by musical numbers by the Misses Margaret and Esther Griffith and Marie Lane. Mrs. Ha Wallace served during the social hour.

COLUMBIA NEWS

By Lois Hutchison

Bennie Boylen, who is employed at Talon's Barber and Beauty shop, was home from Milton over the week end.

Mrs. Emma Christley and son Del attended the Union stock show Saturday. They also visited friends and returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Belle Caldwell of Irrigon, grandmother of Mrs. Bob Woodward, visited at the Woodward home Sunday. Miss Agnes Caldwell was also a visitor.

A. R. Blinston celebrated his birthday Sunday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. U. Edwards, and Cleve Metzger, whose home is in Montana but who has been attending school at Corvallis.

Mr. and Mrs. James Arnborg of Irrigon attended the Townsend picnic in Columbia park Sunday, and in the evening visited old friends in this district.

Mrs. A. R. Blinston, Mrs. W. B. Foeter, Mrs. Hughes and Mrs. Barham called on Mrs. Percy Corman Friday afternoon. Mrs. Corman was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ried left Saturday for Corvallis and returned Monday with Barbara Ried who has been attending O.S.C.

Mrs. J. A. Roundtree was a recent visitor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Dixon. She lives at Klaber, Wn.

About 200 people attended the Townsend picnic in Columbia park Sunday. A good time as well as a profitable one was reported. Mrs. L. W. Dixon was lucky lady and received the quilt.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hooker were business visitors in Echo Monday. Rachel Weeks is home after spending a week with her sister near Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of Umatilla were visitors at the Henry Hooker home Thursday evening.

B. E. Getchell left for Denver Thursday of last week where he will be employed on the U. P. railroad. Elmer Dixon was a Walla Walla visitor recently.

Mrs. Alton Hooker, who has been quite ill, is better and has returned to her home.

UMATILLA NEWS

By Mrs. Glenn Ostrom

Mrs. Paul Walsh and children Verna Dale and Merlin of The Dalles arrived here for Memorial day to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Byrnes, for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Lewis Fowler has returned to her home in Portland after spending several days at the home of her brothers, Floyd and Don Harryman. Mrs. D. R. Brownell of Spokane was here last week getting her house cleaned up to rent. E. Whisman is doing the work.

Don Harryman spent from Thursday to Sunday in Portland on business.

Mrs. V. D. Bramer and son Jim left the first of last week for a two months vacation in Portland and Oswego where she will be at the home of Stella Bramer. Mrs. Bramer has operated the Bunella Beauty Shop for the past year and will continue after she returns.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Storgard have moved into Sara Rix's home for the summer months. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Butterfield have moved into the Glenn Linn home for the summer.

Margie Mustard is staying at the home of her aunt at Grandview, Wn., while she is employed there.

Bud Hiatt of Pendleton spent the past week at the home of his brother Urel Hiatt and family. He returned Saturday accompanied by his mother who has been visiting at the

Hiatt home for some time. Mr. and Mrs. O. Warnstrom of Pendleton visited at the home of their son Fred and family here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Byrnes and daughters Jean, Mrs. Glenn Ostrom and Mrs. Paul Walsh and children, spent Memorial day in Walla Walla, and also visited at the Ed Byrnes home in Touchet.

Jean McKenzie spent Friday in Pendleton where she visited her sister Betty who is a nurse in St. Anthony's Hospital.

Mrs. Bill Switzler and Mrs. John Lennox spent Memorial day in Walla Walla.

Rod. Kring motored to Portland Saturday, returning Sunday with his wife and four months old daughter, who have been with her mother. Jean McKenzie, who won the Eastern Star 4-H scholarship, left Sunday for Corvallis where she will attend summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. Urel Hiatt left the first of the week for Portland where Mr. Hiatt will attend a meeting of firemen. Mr. Hiatt is fire chief of Umatilla.

Mrs. William Conlon and Mrs. Elmore McKenzie spent Monday shopping in Pendleton and visiting Betty McKenzie.

Albert Vieg of Seattle is visiting his mother, Mrs. M. Vieg.

Miss Rosalind Lennox of Portland is visiting a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lennox at the Bill Switzler home.

The cabins at the Texaco service station are completed. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ostrom will have charge of them.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Van Schoelack have moved into their own home recently vacated by Mrs. Art Bousquet, who bought the Frank Clark residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Jackson and daughter Louise, Mae Wurster and Mr. Jackson's brother left Wednesday for Goldendale to visit, and then on to Portland where the two girls attended the Rose Festival, and the others will visit in Hubert, Ore.

PINE CITY NEWS

By Mrs. Bernice Wattenburger

Marion Finch and Clayton Ayers were Pendleton business visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wattenburger and Donna Busiek, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim La Marr spent Saturday in Pasco visiting Earl Wattenburger and family. Mr. and Mrs. Jim La Marr obtained work in Kennewick.

Mrs. Marion Finch and daughter attended the quilting at the John Brosom home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ayers and Mrs. Beulah Helms and daughter spent Sunday in Pasco getting strawberries for canning.

Mrs. George Currin and son Ronald spent Sunday at the John Harrison home.

Miss Marie Healy is spending a few days in Heppner visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Wattenburger was trading in Ione and Heppner Thursday.

A number of people attended the dance at Lena Saturday evening. August Rauch, Malcolm O'Brien and Guy Moore left Monday for a two weeks course at Corvallis in 4-H club work.

Mrs. Luke Jarmon, who has been living at Bakersfield, Cal., left this week for Hichamfield, Hawaii to visit her son Robert Jarmon and family. She plans to stay until September. Mrs. Jarmon and family have lived on Butter Creek for a number of years. Miss Shirley Jarmon and Miss Opal Jarmon from Portland are spending a few days at the Sloan Thomson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Myers and family spent Monday in Pasco and Walla Walla.

BOARDMAN NEWS

By Ruth Fisher

Doris Wilson spent the week end visiting with the Fords.

Phyllis Wilson is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Weed, in Condon.

Asta Skoubo went to Walla Walla Saturday where she has employment.

Lil Healy of Heppner is visiting her cousin, Geraldine Healy. Charles Massey moved his family from Stanfield to Castle Rock last week. Mr. Massey is section foreman there.

The young adult Sunday school class held a party at the Geiss home Sunday afternoon. A large crowd attended.

Glen Hadley is visiting his family this week. His son Stanton will return to Dale with Mr. Hadley where he is shearing sheep.

Elaine Fisher, Geraldine and Mrs. Funkhauser were dinner guests of the Jones family Friday.

Silver tea will be held June 7 at the home of Mrs. Claude Coats.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Geiss will leave soon for Mt. Harris where Mr. Geiss will act as lookout man.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bleakney Sr. motored to Walla Walla Thursday to attend the graduation exercises of their daughter Awilda.

Mrs. Mike Hudspeth came from California to join her husband here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan and Roy Partlow, Neal Bleakney Jr., Albin Sundsten and Richard Colosal boarded the special F. F. A. train Monday evening to attend the fair at San Francisco.

Mrs. D. Skoubo and John Fisher are confined to their homes with the flu.

Phil Jones, Mable and Woodrow Walker came from Estacada Friday evening.

IRRIGON NEWS ITEMS

By Mrs. W. C. Isom

Mr. and Mr. Ned Leach and Cloyd Leach of San Francisco, Cal., are

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visiting Cloyd Leach's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Isom and other relatives for a few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Leach and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Isom motored to La Grande Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haddox have purchased the Ted Carroll place west of town, which was formerly occupied by Earl Connell. They moved their household goods Saturday.

Elmer Benefiel, who has been in the Veterans' hospital the past two years, is visiting his brother Bert Benefiel.

Alvin Rand of Portland is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rand.

Dave Graybeal from California is visiting his mother, Mrs. J. A. Graybeal. Mr. Graybeal was here six years ago on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lamoreaux have moved to Arlington where Mr. Lamoreaux has permanent employ-

ment in a garage. Mrs. Edna Ferguson and family of Gresham, Ore., visited her mother, Mrs. Nora Wilson last week.

Walter Grider is enjoying a visit from his mother this week. Her home is in Portland.

Mrs. Belle Walker is visiting her brother, Frank Fredrickson and family.

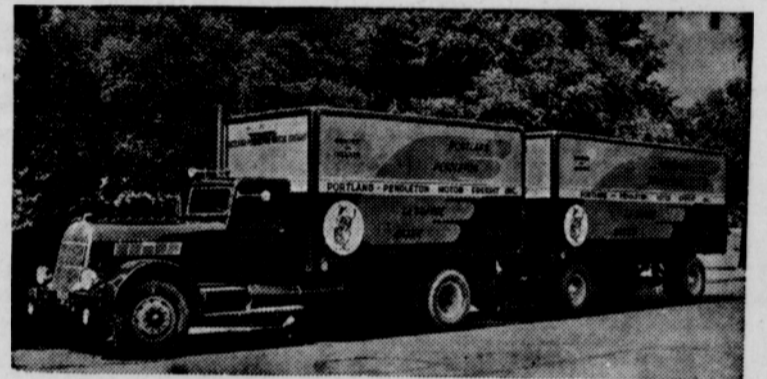
Mrs. Carl Knighten is visiting relatives in Wallowa.

Mary Acock has gone to Portland to attend a business school.

Miss Juanita Volle and June, and Jean Stevens left Tuesday to attend 4-H summer school at Corvallis.

Quite a number from here attended the Bible conference at Hermiston Tuesday.

Adult pygmies of Africa stand about four and one-half feet tall.



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