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UMATILLA NEWS

By Mrs. Glenn Ostrom

Lew Brownell and son, Bob, motored to Pasco on business Wednesday.

Patty and Marilyn Mahoney returned Sunday from Pendleton where they had spent a few days at the home of their grandfather, Clem Mahoney and his mother, the girls' great-grandmother. They are visiting here at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Springer, from their home in Seattle.

Miss Naomi Brownell of Portland returned to her home Tuesday after spending a few days here with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Er-

vin Chapman.

The Streamlined Seamstitches, a 4-H sewing club did their share for Uncle Sam this week when they collected 200 pounds of aluminum this week. Mrs. William Kennedy assisted the girls and hauled the aluminum to the council room in her car.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bitterwood spent Saturday in the mountains near Lostine, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grammer spent Saturday in Walla Walla.

James Byrnes and Mrs. Glenn Ostrom and son, Gary Dean, spent Thursday in Walla Walla on business.

Rosemary McCullough returned to her home in Portland after spending a couple of days at the home of her uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs.

Glenn Ostrom.

Katrina Porter returned to her home in Long Creek Sunday after spending a week at the E. McKenzie home. Katrina was the maid of honor at the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rankin (Betty McKenzie).

Mrs. Floyd Willingham and Barbara Linville of Pendleton were in Umatilla Sunday morning. The girls came down for the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rankin.

Mrs. William Switzer, Mrs. Minnie Sharpstein and Marjorie Enbys returned Sunday from Seaside where they had been spending the past month. Mr. Switzer is in the Portland hospital for his health which hasn't been too good lately.

James Byrnes motored to La Grande Sunday returning with Mrs. Byrnes and grandson, Jim Bramer. Mrs. Byrnes has spent the past six weeks in La Grande with her daughter, Mrs. V. D. Bramer because of her health.

Jay Berry of Portland arrived last week to be engineer on the first switch engine in place of Jess Connell, who is unable to work. Mrs. Berry accompanied him and they are staying with their daughter, Mrs. Clarence Fredrickson, in Irrigon.

Jeff Stephens, who is working in The Dalles is spending a few days here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Byrnes and grandson, James Bramer, spent Tuesday in Walla Walla shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Carlyle spent Saturday afternoon in Pendleton.

Robert McKenzie and Ray O'Connor of The Dalles spent Sunday and Monday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. McKenzie.

Mrs. Bill Switzer and nieces, Margaret and Ann Maureen O'Connell, who had spent since Sunday here, returned to Portland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Conlon spent Sunday in Portland where they attended the wedding of their daughter, Mildred, to Vincent Kemp.

Mr. and Mrs. Massey Hatley of Walla Walla spent Sunday visiting at the Ervin Chapman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Reese and children of Baker stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Salkeld enroute to their home from Portland Sunday. The Reese's formerly lived here.

Mr. and Mrs. John O. Gorham are parents of a boy born to them at St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton.

Mrs. George Kendler spent Sunday in Spokane where she attended the funeral of an old school mate, Mrs. Mary Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Spencer spent Monday in Pendleton.

Mr. and Harlan Dervis and two sons of Condon spent the first of the week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hiatt.

Ervin Chapman and Herbert Thompson were business visitors in Walla Walla Tuesday.

George Kendler had the misfortune of smashing a finger while working at the gravel pit Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hiatt and son, Don, who is home on a furlough, and Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Dervis and two sons spent Sunday and Monday in Baker visiting at the home of

their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. David Earley and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. James Byrnes and grandson, Jim Bramer, Mrs. Ray Brandon and two daughters, Merna Roe and Barbara, Mrs. Glenn Ostrom and son, Gary Dean, spent Wednesday in The Dalles visiting at the home of the Byrnes' daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walsh and family. Mrs. Brandon spent the day visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Johnson.

Mrs. Eugene McFarland and son, Merrill, Mrs. Ray Brandon and daughters, Merna Roe and Barbara, and Margie Enbys spent Tuesday-afternoon in Pendleton visiting at the home of Mrs. McFarland's and Margie's sister, Mrs. Fred Ober.

BOARDMAN NEWS

By Elaine Fisher

A crew of men is now at work on the bombing field south of here, hauling gravel and putting in forms.

Friends came from Heppner Sunday and took Mr. Denlan and daughter, Ida Hay, home with them for an indefinite stay. Mr. Denlan is convalescing from a serious illness.

A meeting of those who are signed up for the mattress making was called by County Agent Conrad at the Grange hall Tuesday evening. Mr. Conrad presided. He showed pictures of the mattress making and explained the rules and process. The material has not come yet.

Rev. J. K. Walpole was back in the pulpit at the Community church Sunday.

The watermelon men are beginning to ship this week. The melons are late this year because of the spring frost.

PINE CITY NEWS

By Mrs. Bernice Wattenburger

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Van Orsdahl spent Sunday at the E. B. Wattenburger home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neill left Sunday for Wallowa county to deliver lambs.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Winters left Monday for a trip to Iowa.

Many people attended the dance at Lena Saturday night. The dance was in honor of Miss Colleen Kilkenny, who is a princess for the Heppner Rodeo.

Miss Bette Finch who has been working at the Russell Moore home for the past two months is now home.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid Busick and family were visitors at the A. E. Wattenburger home Sunday and are going to Walla Walla Monday.

E. B. Wattenburger is helping his brother, Earl Wattenburger at Pasco, Washington.

Harold Neill and Mrs. Charley Plour and family spent Saturday at the W. D. Neill home.

S. M. Mathes, at one time preacher at the United Brethren church at Pine City visited in the neighborhood over the week-end.

Harold Wilkins was thrown from a horse Saturday and received a broken arm. He was taken to the Prairie City hospital. He will be there for two more weeks.

Jack, Cecilia and Helen Healy were driving to Portland Sunday and had the misfortune to have their car slide off the road. No one was injured.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ayers and daughter spent Monday afternoon at the E. B. Wattenburger and Marion Finch homes.

Malcolm O'Brien went with George Curran to Meacham to deliver lambs. Jasper Myers and Russell Moore finished harvesting last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hughes are the parents of a son born July 28. The baby has been named James Arthur.

Mrs. Stanley Struthers received word of the death of her sister-in-law last week.

Word has been received that John Moore, Jr., was married the latter part of June to Miss Betty Clemens of Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Healy were callers in Heppner Monday.

Allan Struthers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Struthers, on a ten-day furlough motored to Spokane where he married Miss Frances Germaine.

CONSERVATION OF SOIL AND TIMBER VITAL SAY PLANNERS

Constant attention to conservation of soil and timber resources during the period of accelerated demand for the products of field and forest is urged by the Oregon state land use planning committee in its proposed program for agriculture in this state. Continued educational work in soil conservation is recommended to be done by the O. S. C. extension service and other interested parties to acquaint farmers with erosion problems and erosion control practices.

Where farmers fail to use adequate protective measures, when conditions are serious enough to warrant them, the committee recommends that AAA payments be made dependent upon the carrying out of minimum protective practices. In developing such special programs the material available from the Soil Conservation service on classification of land according to its use capability can be used.

Where soil conservation districts will aid in carrying out of necessary practices, the state committee recommends that the county land use committees take the initiative in calling the attention of the district and the state committee to the needs of given areas.

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QUOTAS PROPOSED FOR POTATO CROP

Oregon potato growers are being asked to give their views on legislation pending in congress which would establish marketing quotas on potatoes, the state AAA office has announced. Meetings are being held in

the principal potato-producing areas, and in other counties county AAA offices are contacting growers to acquaint them with provisions of the proposed legislation.

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3rd	John Deere "A"	Laurence Kohas	8.2¢	10.7¢
4th	John Deere "H"	Laurence Gummow	8.2¢	10.8¢
5th	John Deere "H"	Gernis Boothby	8.2¢	12.1¢

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