

Trio Attends Reception in Ontario For Participants in Recent Contest

By Mrs. Wilson Witt

NEWELL HEIGHTS—Mrs. Dick Krieger and daughter, Karla, went to Ontario Monday to attend a reception in the Moore hotel Rose room, given for the girls who participated in the Daughters of the American Revolution Citizenship program. Glenn Ward, who acted as sponsor for Karla, also attended.

Karla placed second in a test given the girls in December.

Jack Gordon Buys Area Franchise For Ford Tractor

Jack Gordon, Zone Manager for Columbia Tractor and Implement Company, Portland, Oregon (Ford Tractor Distributor) for the past eleven (11) years has purchased controlling interest in the H.G.L. Tractor Company.

Mr. Gordon will operate under the name of the Ontario Tractor Company. He will be General Manager in charge of sales. Gene Goin will be vice president of the Ontario Tractor Company working in the capacity as Parts, Service and Credit Manager.

The Gordon family will become residents of the Ontario area as soon as housing can be found for the family. Mrs. Gordon and four children, Angie 15, Linda and Gloria 13, and Jim 9, presently reside in Walla Walla, Wash.

Mr. Gordon is originally from Mississippi, being born and raised on a cotton farm, youngest of eleven children. He holds a B.S. Degree in General Agricultural and Animal Husbandry from Southwestern Louisiana University. Here he was very active in collegiate sports, playing in the SIAA basketball tournament two years in succession in Bowling Green, Kentucky, having been a vo. ag. instructor at Union High School, Union, Mississippi, between World War II and the Korean War. It was during this period that he also farmed 100 acres of row crop land and switched this operation from horses and mules to Ford tractors. This was the act that sold him on Ford farming.

His military service consisted of 4½ years in World War II and a hitch in the Korean War, all his service being in the Pacific Theater from a deck hand to Senior Lt. He was Executive Officer and Navigator aboard ship upon his being released to inactive duty in 1952.

Having been the Ford Tractor Zone Manager since the beginning of the Meeker Taylor Tractor Company, he is known to many residents of the area. His Ford Tractor franchise will cover four counties—Malheur in Oregon, Adams, Washington and Payette Counties in Idaho. He looks forward to getting better acquainted in the community and invites all into the Ontario Tractor Company for an inspection. He says he expects a real Mississippi-type "Ho-Down" in Oregon just as soon as he can get the ship in "Ship Shape."

The Ontario Tractor Company is located at the Ontario Airport entrance. (Advertisement)

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MONDAY, FEB. 11, 12 Noon—Located 3 miles west of Cairo Junction on Vale highway, then 1½ miles south on Lincoln drive and ¼ mile west on Morgan avenue. 19 DAIRY CATTLE. Good gentle cows, picked for fast, easy milking. Most cows vaccinated. Public invited to see before sale day. (RIDING HORSES and Saddles, TWO CO-OP TRACTORS, Other Farm Machinery and Miscellaneous Items, Consigned by Mrs. Lyle King.) HAY, STRAW and GRAIN. MILKING EQUIPMENT. MARTIN SAYERS, Owner. Terms, cash. Lunch on Grounds.

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WEDNESDAY, FEB. 13, 12 Noon—Located 5 miles west of Vale on Graham boulevard, then 2½ miles north on Bully Creek dam road. 30 REGISTERED JERSEYS, 9 GRADE JERSEYS, REGISTERED GUERNSEY. Public may inspect herd before sale day. Cattle represent lifetime of breeding. FOUR HORSES and FARM EQUIPMENT. PAUL FLEMING, Owner. Terms, cash. Lunch on Grounds.

PUBLIC DAIRY AUCTION

THURSDAY, FEB. 14, 1 p.m.—Located 5 miles southwest of Nyssa on Adrian highway to Grand avenue, then 2 miles west and ¼ mile south on Highland drive. 40 DAIRY CATTLE. Majority of cows vaccinated, tattooed and carry service of Oregon Dairy Breeders. Cows give from 5 to 9 gallons of milk when fresh. Public invited to see herd before day of sale. MILKING EQUIPMENT. CATTLE FEED. G.E. Ironer, Sink with Garbage Disposal and Dishwasher. CLIFFORD BECKSTEAD, Owner. Terms, cash. Free Coffee. Lunch.

Birthday Events Highlight News In Apple Valley

By Mrs. Waldo Smalley

APPLE VALLEY—A group of friends went Sunday, Jan. 27, to the home of Carol Ann Booth for a surprise party on her birthday anniversary. The group went ice skating on a pond at the Jim Miller home and later had a winner roast at the Chet Iiams home.

Apple Valley Boy Scouts held a regular meeting Jan. 22 in the George Griffin home. Mrs. Griffin served ice cream and cake in honor of Gary's birthday anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Griffin and family were Sunday visitors in the Gene Honey home. A fire-place picnic dinner was also given in observance of Gary's anniversary.

The 4-H cooking division met Thursday, Jan. 24, in the Robert Hopkins home with all members and one new member present. The two Hopkins boys demonstrated making a cake and Betty Dunbar demonstrated table setting.

Leaves for Minneapolis

Mrs. Ella White, sister of Mrs. William Poppe, left Jan. 22 for her home in Minneapolis. She had been visiting with the Poppes for the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. William Poppe and Mrs. Ella White were recent evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Norris of Payette.

Mr. and Mrs. William Poppe were Jan. 27 visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meek of Caldwell.

Mrs. Martha Norland was a Jan. 24 overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Norland in Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick French of Caldwell were Jan. 27 evening visitors of Mrs. Martha Norland. A large group of friends and neighbors enjoyed visiting and admiring the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Fritts at their open house reception held recently.

Mrs. Charles Pitman left by train Jan. 27 for Fort Lewis to visit her son, Kerby, who has been confined in a hospital with a serious illness. He is reported to be improving rapidly.

Attend Wrestling Meet

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson and family and Marilyn Gonyer of Nyssa attended the Parma-Boise wrestling meeting Boise Thursday, Jan. 24. They were also visitors in the Duane Fuller home.

Mrs. Dorothy Mason also took a group of young people to the Boise wrestling meet that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boston and Mrs. Bob Shippy of Weiser attended funeral services Jan. 23 for Dick Nedrow in Nampa. The deceased was an uncle of Mrs. Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boston visited Jan. 22 with Mrs. Lucy Rogers and other relatives in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Grimes and Miss Ruth Weed of Caldwell, Mrs. Marshall Hays and children of Parma were Jan. 27 afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Smalley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Fritts and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Ostermeir of Fruitland were Jan. 27 evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Tuning of Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Thaniel Botner and family of Ontario were Jan. 27 dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Conley Wilson. In the afternoon they all attended the open house reception for Mr. and Mrs. Don Fritts.

Sunday, Jan. 20, Mr. and Mrs. Conley Wilson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Dick of Nampa and all had dinner together at the Mission Inn at Boise.

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Lincoln Heights

By Mrs. Vern L. Smith

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Dejmaj recently received a phone call from their son, Roger, stating he had returned to Santa Barbara, Calif., after a trip to Bremerton, Wash. He had attended a wedding there and also visited relatives. He also visited his brother, Ked and family at Sweet Home, Ore.

Church Class Holds Party

Junior high school class of Malheur Baptist church held a party Friday evening at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Vern Smith. Indoor games were played, followed by devotions and refreshments. Present were Marty Jayne Sayers, Janine Meyer, Doris Maggard and Bruce Penn.

Sunday guests at the Amos Dejmaj home were the Rev. and Mrs. George Hooper, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Sayers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Robb and family of Nyssa were Tuesday evening dinner guests at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. George Hooper.

State Dept. Returns Estray Animals Worth \$100,000

Estray animals worth \$100,000 were returned to their owners last year through work of brand inspectors and livestock officers of the state department of agriculture.

Roy Nelson, livestock division chief, made this report in Salem this week. He said the value put on the 615 estrays handled is "conservative."

He added that last year the department impounded \$200,000 while it established "beyond question" ownership of 1349 animals sold at public sale rings or stockyards. The volume of animals impounded last year was almost double that of the previous year, which Nelson says indicates tighter controls on the requirement that sellers give proof of ownership.

The department recorded an all-time high in livestock brand inspections last year; the 1,099,284 head inspected was 92,340 more than the previous high mark set in 1961. This was the second time in the history of Oregon brand inspection that the million-head figure was reached.

In other 1962 activity in connection with the movement of livestock, Nelson said the department made 24 arrests, issued 149 warnings, conducted 726 investigations, made 308 road checks and 278 license checks. Livestock personnel spent 93 hours in court and attended 53 meetings.

The brand inspection work is self-supporting with fees paid by livestock owners.

BOISEANS VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Squire of Boise were Sunday dinner guests of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Farr.

Cascade Gas Corporation Reports Rapid Growth During First 10 Years

Cascade Natural Gas corporation this month marked the 10th anniversary of its formation.

Cascade was established Jan. 3, 1953, to serve gas to a total of nine communities. Today it serves customers in 53 localities, according to a report issued by R. J. Garrett, vice president of the corporation with headquarters in Seattle.

The company initially acquired by merger or exchange of shares the operating facilities of a number of small gas companies in Oregon, Idaho and Washington and during 1956 and 1957 converted a major portion of these facilities to natural gas.

Facilities in the single Idaho town were sold in 1958. Distribution lines were being continually expanded.

Aug. 21, 1956, marked the date of the first town in Cascade's system to receive natural gas. This town was Baker, Ore. At the end of August, Cascade had 7,680 active customers. By year end, customers numbered 10,512 and 20 towns were being served natural gas. At the end of 1957, 27 towns were being served.

In 1960 Cascade acquired the properties of Consumers Gas corporation in Bend, Ore., and the properties of Eastern Oregon Natural Gas company in four Oregon

communities. It also acquired over 98 percent of the stock of Pacific Natural Gas company. In August 1962 Cascade acquired the properties of Pacific by statutory merger.

Construction plans for 1963 involve expenditures of approximately \$9 million. Transmission lines are to be constructed to deliver natural gas to Bremerton, Shelton and Port Orchard. The Grays Harbor area, including Aberdeen, Hoquiam, McCleary, Elma, Montesano and Cosmopolis, will also receive natural gas during 1963.

On Jan. 11, 1963, Cascade delivered a record of 150 million cubic feet of natural gas in the 24-hour period. The previous maximum day was 120 million cubic feet.

Cascade's growth is evidenced in the fact that the company now bills over 31,000 customers in its 53 areas of the Pacific Northwest.

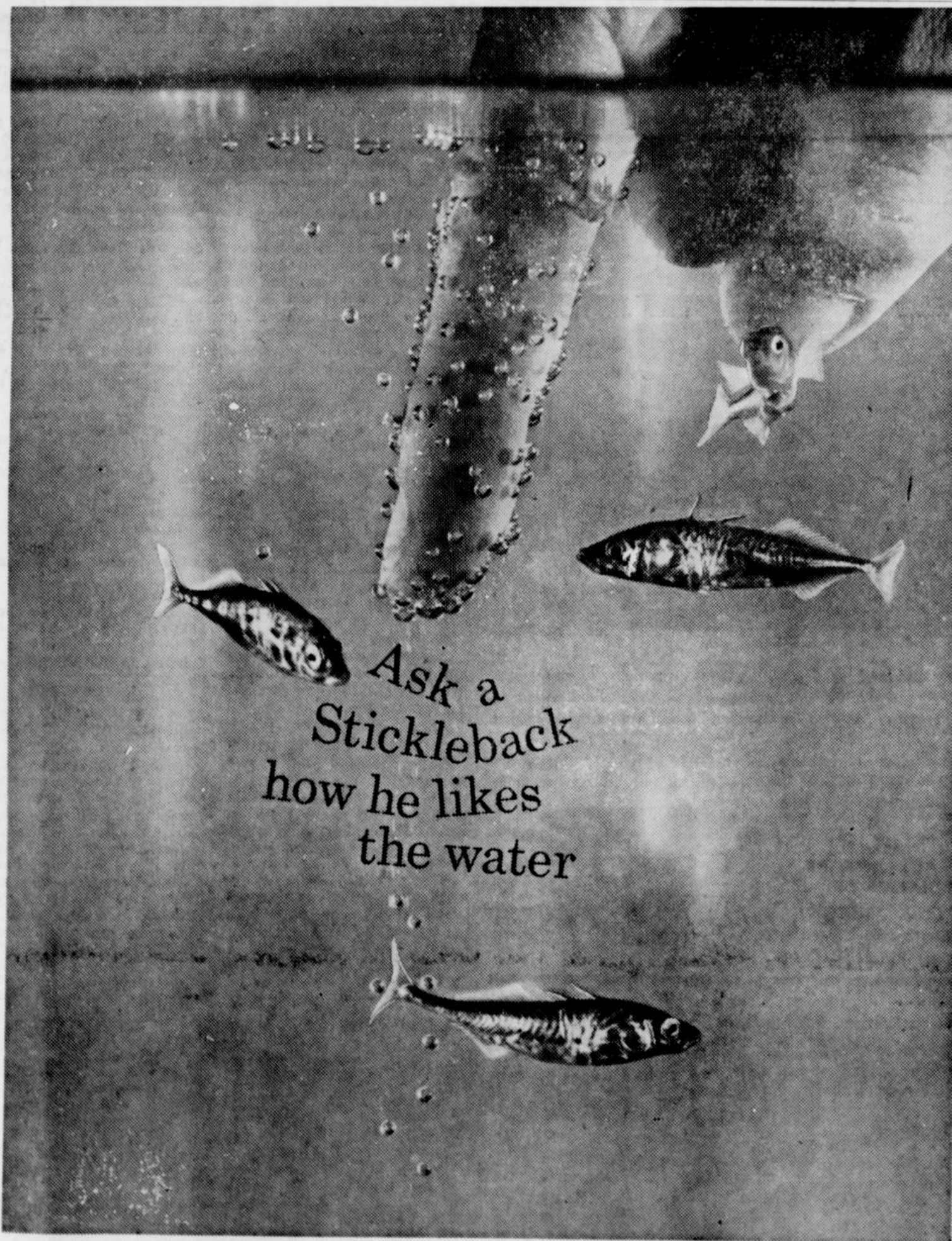
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