

Travis Bernard Top Cow Hand At Dayton Centennial Rodeo

DAYTON, July 26—Final day of the Dayton centennial was held Sunday in conjunction with the annual Old Timers' picnic in the city park and featured the finals of the two-day rodeo.

Winner of the trophy for all-around cowboy for days of rodeo events was Travis Bernard, who took many honors in a variety of events. Winners of the "whiskerino contest" were, first, Delton Magness; second, Phil Morgan; third, Bill Wright, for the most luxurious beards at the celebration.

Events and winners included: Bareback bronc riding—(1) Billy Boag, (2) Dick Murry, (3) Duane Graham; calf roping—(1) Henry Hess, (2) Wayne Edwards, (3) Travis Bernard; wild cow milking—(1) Karl Loop, (2) Travis Bernard, (3) Jim Pyatt; saddle bronc—(1) Art Fisher, (2) Jay Durham, (3) Johnny Hubbard; steer riding—(1) and (2), tied, Duane Graham and Billy Boag, (3) Jay Durham. Cow girls' quarter mile race—(1) Donna Moon, (2) and (3), Barbara Ritter and Ellen Filler, tied; flag race—(1) Pioneer Riders' team, (2) Yamhill posse, (3) Sheridan Riding club; junior cowboy and cowgirl quarter mile race—(1) Johnny Pyatt, (2) Harold Lomother, (3) Dick Cabe; half mile derby—(1) Barbara Ritter, (2) Carl Becker, (3) Charles Hopkins.

Finals for two days of events: Bareback bronc riding—(1) Duane Graham, (2) Billy Boag, (3) Bud Spencer and Dick Murry, tied; calf roping—(1) Henry Hess, (2) Travis Bernard, (3) Lewis Gallagher; wild cow milking—(1) Travis Bernard, (2) Jim Pyatt, (3) Homer Franze; saddle bronc riding—(1) Jay Durham, (2) Johnny Hubbard, (3) Earl Hasland; steer riding—(1) Duane Graham, (2) Art Bowlen, (3) Ronald Platt.

Valley Briefs

Silverton—Mr. and Mrs. I. H. McDonald of Bend have bought the city market on Oak street from the E. T. Toffes. The McDonalds have three children and have also purchased the Ray Myhrum home at 813 Bartlett st.

Pringle—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murphy have rented their place on Pringle road and are on a trip to California.

Turner—Guests of the Robert Mitchells last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Philip McKay, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Kelley, Mrs. Max McKay and Mabel Peterman, all of Washougal. Max McKay and Mabel McKay of Pendleton came to Salem earlier in the week to attend the PITTA shoot at the Salem Gun club.

Silverton—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bristol of Hanford, Calif., are visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Errol Ross, at Silverton and his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Nye O. Bristol, of Hillsboro. Both Bristol couples are graduates of Silverton schools. Mrs. Raymond Bristol is the former Amy Ross and Mrs. Nye Bristol the former Marie Jones.

Turner—Mrs. George Farris suffered a stroke while attending church Sunday and was taken by ambulance to the Salem Memorial hospital.

Silverton—Newly installed officers of IOOF Silver lodge No. 21 are Jones P. Taylor, noble grand; Martin Hannan, vice grand; Webb Napier, warden; Olum Larson, conductor; Lial McClure, inside guardian; F. B. Renwick, outside guardian; W. C. Larson, James L. Taylor, H. D. Carsten and Paul Carsten, supporters; and Harvey Reed, chaplain.

Pringle—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Roback of San Jose, Calif., visited last week with Mrs. William Schindler, the Ollie Schindler and other friends while en route home from a trip into Washington. Others visiting in this vicinity included Mr. and Mrs. George Adams, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kenyon and Mrs. A. McCulley of Dallas. Mrs. George Adams' birthday was observed Sunday with a picnic in Dallas city park.

Valley Obituaries

Donald Wayne Montgomery—LEBANON — Funeral services for Donald Wayne Montgomery, 23, killed in a motorcycle accident Sunday night north of the Santiam bridge on highway 99E, will be held from 10 a. m. to 12 p. m. this week. Born March 29, 1925, in Aurora, Ill., Montgomery came to Sweet Home in 1942 and served with the navy on Guam during the war. He was discharged with the rating of seaman first class. Besides his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Montgomery, he is survived by three brothers and two sisters, John E., Clarence, Wilbur and Ruth of Sweet Home and Mrs. Mildred Bennett of Scottsburg, Ore., grandfather, Dennie Davis of Sweet Home.

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FALLS CITY — Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Travis and children of Boise, Idaho, visited the former's aunt and family, Mrs. M. L. Thompson, son, Hal, and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Frink, the last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lovell and children of Portland spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Henthorne.

Mildred Wray is visiting at Oceanlake with her brother, Arch Montgomery.

Recent guests at the Bill Letterman home were Mrs. Kenneth Cummings and children of Oceanlake and Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Lettermann of Salem.

E. L. Grippen of Missouri is spending the summer with his sons, Leslie and Harold.

Mary Hyde of Philomath spent the past week with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strauss.

Mrs. Clay Guthridge returned to her home Tuesday after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Bancroft, of Salem.

Mr. George Loftis is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mervin Leidtke at Klamath Falls.

Jahice Ames spent the past week with Joane Crayne at Roberts.

Mrs. Lurena Smith of Portland and Mrs. Helen Marks of Salem are visiting their mother, Mrs. Lizzie Treat.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Grasey of Wheatland, Wyo., have been visiting their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Davis and son and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Davis and Norman Davis.

John Lacey and family of Portland and Hubert Lacey of Estacada were recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lacey.

Mrs. Faye Frink and twin daughters are visiting her sister, Linnie, of Lake Liberty, Wash.

Mrs. Virgil Davis and son, LeRoy, and her nephew, Gilbert Gary of San Francisco, attended the wedding and reception of Miss Evelyn Martin and Archer Meola at the First Congregational church in Salem last Sunday.

Dennis Bagger of Redding, Calif., is visiting the Floyd Graham home.

Mrs. Leo M. Humphreys and son Merle Gene, Mr. and Mrs. Earle E. Humphreys and children, all of Toledo, Albert T. Humphreys and grandson Donald, W. H. Humphreys, Mrs. L. A. Humphreys, Mrs. Mario Lauer and daughter Pat, all of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Doerfler and daughter Mary Linda; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Humphreys, Eugene; Mrs. Fred Manta, Myrtle Point.

Visiting of at least one American Indian smoking pipe which some experts say is in the form of the head of the extinct mastodon, has led to the belief that smoking was ancient practice among the Indians.

Gresham Folk Are Guests At Jefferson

JEFFERSON—Recent visitors at the Irvine Wright home were Mr. and Mrs. George Lane of Gresham, their daughter, Elinor, and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Lane and small son David. The party was returning home from Corvallis where William Lane registered at Oregon State college, majoring in electrical engineering. He was recently discharged from the navy, and is employed at the Gresham cannery. George Lane is a brother of Mrs. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Wright spent two days recently at the coast.

Irvine Wright is now employed by the U.S. forest service at Duffy Lake, and is in charge of trail building near the Skyline Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wright, Earl Wright and son, Earl, Jr., returned last week from Vashon Island, where they were guests of Mrs. Wright's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Smith of Burton, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Powell, their son-in-law and daughter, and Mrs. Frank Freeman, and daughter Perrie of Corvallis, and Freeman's father, from Walla Walla, Wash., spent last Sunday at the coast.

Postmaster Clarence Miller and George Brown of Salem fished recently at Clear lake.

Ivan Sutton has been quite ill, spending a few days in a Salem hospital.

Helen Kihs, who has taught in the Crabtree school for the past

four years, will teach in the Seio grade school this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Whitcomb and O. E. Martin of Tillamook were last Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bilyeu on Greens Bridge road.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freeman and daughter, Ruth, motored to Suttle lake last Saturday, picking up Paula and Stanley Smith who had been attending the Methodist camp there. The group fished at Paulina lake en route home.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Widener and daughter, Myrna, of Redmond, spent last week end here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Arnold of Greens Bridge spent Sunday at Newport and elsewhere on the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boyer of McMinnville were Tuesday visitors at the Hugh Bilyeu home on Greens Bridge road and at the home of their son, Leon Boyer, and family near Seio.

The Misses Laura and Flora Thomas on Marion road, spent Friday in Corvallis, guests of Mrs. W. E. Thomas and her daughter, Mrs. Tom Fairchilds of Seattle, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ferguson of Vancouver, B. C., were last Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Vasek on Greens Bridge road.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Blaylock and Tim Ried of Mitchell were recent visitors of Mrs. C. E. Blaylock of Greens Bridge. Last Sunday guests at the Blaylock home, were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Phillips and children and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Friend of Lebanon.

The Girl Scout troop led by Mrs. Howard Hampton enjoyed a skating party Sunday in Albany, inviting girls of Mrs. James Black-

well's troop and other friends as guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. DeWaal of Jennings Lodge were Wednesday guests of Mrs. DeWaal's sister, Mrs. Charles Smith, Jr.

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JUNIORS TO BE GUESTS

SILVERTON — The B and C baseball teams, sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars, are to be taken to Portland Sunday to

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