

# Sentinel

COQUILLE, OREGON.

JULY 21, 1949.

## At Riverton

The picnic grounds by the river at the store was the scene of one of the most enjoyable family reunions. Mrs. J. E. McGowan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Ryan, of Vista, California, were happily surprised when her sisters and brothers and families gathered for a pot-luck eat and visit.

This was the first time in 20 years that they had been together. The party consisted of 44 people, including grandchildren. Those attending were Mrs. Sara Steckel, of Eastside; Mr. and Mrs. Elden

Sumner, of Sumner; Mr. and Mrs. Luke Ryan, of Vista, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corthell, of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rupp, of Riddle, Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. Thelo Steckel and Donna, of Sumner; Mr. and Mrs. George Chalmers, Sr., and Isabel, Eastside.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shult, Carolyn and William, Coos Bay; Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Sumner, Karen and Judy, of Sumner; Mr. and Mrs. George Chalmers, Jr., of Eastside; Mr. and Mrs. Russell McGriff, Gerald and Sally, of Coos Bay; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Phillippi, Barbara and Wesley, Jr., Coos Bay; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McGowan, Nancy, Sharon and Richard, of Riverton; Therman Sumner, of Sumner; John H. Cook, of Millington; Bud Holden, of Eastside; Denny Steckel, of Millington; and Homer Ryan, of Riverton.

The Riverton ferry is closed from July 19 to 23rd, on account of installing a different ferry and building new ramps and general improvements.

The Riverton Service station, under new management, is getting a paint job on Tuesday.

Ira Baumgartner is painting his house this week.

A birthday party for Russell Johnson was held at the home of his parents, Lloyd Johnson's Monday evening. Among the guests were the W. E. Frazier and Willard Knight families.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dornath of Coquille visited relatives and friends here on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Holbrook made the trip out to Myrtle Creek last week to visit relatives but cut their stay short due to hot weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wright of Seattle visited at her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy T. Johnson and Carol Ann were in Coos Bay on Saturday.

Mrs. Anna McNair and Vera Johnson of Myrtle Point and Virginia Holbrook, Ronnie and Bruce, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Holbrook last Sunday.

Overnight guests at the George Shelton home on the week-end,

included Mr. and Mrs. Clem Tanenner of Myrtle Creek on Friday and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Slabaugh of Roseburg on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Albertson have moved from Lampa Creek to Third and Division streets, in Coquille.

Mrs. Nelson Russell, Mike and Audrey, visited with relatives at Myrtle Point from Wednesday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Watson moved to Myrtle Point the first of the week.

A birthday dinner was held in honor of J. E. McGowan last Thursday evening at the home of Homer Ryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Mapel and family of Gates, Neb., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Cook.

Wendelin and Joe Fetch visited at Myrtle Point last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ewin Fetch and family.

Mrs. Ira Baumgartner spent several days last week with friends, Mrs. George Clark and Eudie and Marion Marcellus, at White River cottages on McKenzie river.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Ferris and son of Fresno, Calif., stopped in for a short visit with Chet Turner one day last week.

Roy Yager's family have moved into the Lloyd Johnson house vacated by the Crawford's.

Birthday greetings this week go to Beulah Sell, Betty Hall, Wesley Wright, Patricia Younce and Duane Simmons. With best wishes for a happy year ahead.

Mrs. Mary Rocco is truly proud of her daughter, Dora—Mrs. Kaye Howard—of Hauser, postmaster of a fourth class office. She was elected to serve as state president of our national postmasters' association. Congratulations!

R. K. Hart family has as their guests this week his sister and family, the Christen's of Nebraska.

Mrs. C. V. Smith and Mrs. Florabelle Boober of Coquille were callers at the post office and the home of Mrs. Roy T. Johnson on Tuesday afternoon.

## At Arago

Lester Strong of Washougal, was in Arago last Wednesday, trying to find some of the old timers who could tell him where his old home was located when he left Coos county at the age of five years, in the year of

1905 or 1906.

It was his heart's desire to find his old home where he had lived as a youngster with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Strong.

J. W. Strong came to this vicinity from near Kirby, Oregon, then later moved to Washington, where he died in 1942 at the age of 82, at Washougal.

His wife, Mrs. Kathrine Strong, is 83-years old now and lives with her son, Lester, at Washougal, Washington.

[Correspondent's Note—If any of my readers are acquainted with these old timers, I am sure Mrs. Kathrine Strong would be grateful to hear from old friends of this vicinity. It would bring back cherished memories of by-gone years.]

Mrs. Margaret Whitnall left for her home at Alameda, California, Thursday. She was accompanied by her grandchildren, George and Margie Whitnall of Powers, who plan to spend a month there.

Mrs. Whitnall has been a house guest at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Clyde Lillie, the past four weeks.

Billy and Eddie Harper returned home Saturday from Klamath Falls, where they spent two weeks visiting their grandmother, Mrs. W. P. Myers.

Mrs. Sutphin, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Sutphin of Myrtle Point were guests at the Clyde Lillie home last Tuesday.

Miss Freda Bretzel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bretzel, became the bride of Elmer Robinette of Myrtle Point on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Miller and son, Steven, drove to Bandon Sunday.

Mrs. Harvey Myers and son, Joseph Simmons, and Vernon McMichael were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lillie.

Arnold DeWald of Myrtle Point and Misses Jaylene and June Simmons spent Sunday at Coos Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Schroeder and family of Coquille were callers at the homes of J. D. Carl and Frank Burbank.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yoakam and children, Ross and Patsy, of Coos Bay, were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burbank.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Carl and daughter, of Salem, spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carl.

Kenneth Carl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Carl, went back with his parents, after spending a few weeks with his grandparents.

J. D. Carl was a Thursday overnight guest at the home of his brother, Will Carl of Applegate. J. D. Carl was on his way to Ash-

land, where he attended a Rotary club meeting before returning home Saturday.

Misses Rachael and Ruth Woodward are spending a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tyrrell Woodward. Miss Rachael Woodward is from Bremerton, Wn., and is spending the summer with Ruth Woodward at Brookings, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Carl and children of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carl and Herbert Carl were Saturday evening dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melden Carl.

Mrs. W. P. Myers and daughter, Mrs. A. L. Davison of Klamath Falls, are visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Harper.

Rev. Carl Sisson has been repainting the Arago Community church and has it almost finished except for the white trim.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lane of Prosper were Saturday guests at the home of Frank Lane.

## Coos Bay Man Buys Cope Jersey

Rodney Post, Coos Bay, Oregon, has purchased the registered Jersey, Eagle Boy Raisy. The animal comes from the herd owned by Ralph E. Cope, Jr., Langlois, Oregon.

The purchase adds to the steadily growing number in this area. Dairymen buy Jerseys because of the high quality of the milk they produce.

Purebred Jerseys are registered by The American Jersey Cattle Club which has its national headquarters in Columbus, Ohio. Several programs are now available through The American Jersey Cattle Club to help breeders get the most profits from their Jerseys.

From Idaho—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lavoie of Bonner Ferry, Idaho, are visiting in Coquille, at the home of Mrs. Lucy Severson.

Return Wednesday—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nelson and Mrs. Nelson's sister, Juanita Hartley, returned on Wednesday from a two-week vacation trip. They visited Reno, Nevada, Yellowstone Park, Glacier National Park, Calgary and Banff, Canada. They returned via the Oregon coast highway, and are of the opinion that the Oregon scenery is unsurpassed.

Home From Salem — Mrs. Loren Simmons, who has been a patient in the sanatorium at Salem, returned to her home in Coquille on Saturday. Her husband drove to Salem and accompanied her home.

## VISITING AT SMITH'S

Mrs. Mary Eakin of Bandon is visiting in Coquille this week at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allen C. Smith.

## PICNIC PLANNED

Daughters of the Nile will hold their annual summer picnic July 24 at the W. E. Bosserman cabin on Rock creek. Dinner will be pot-luck.

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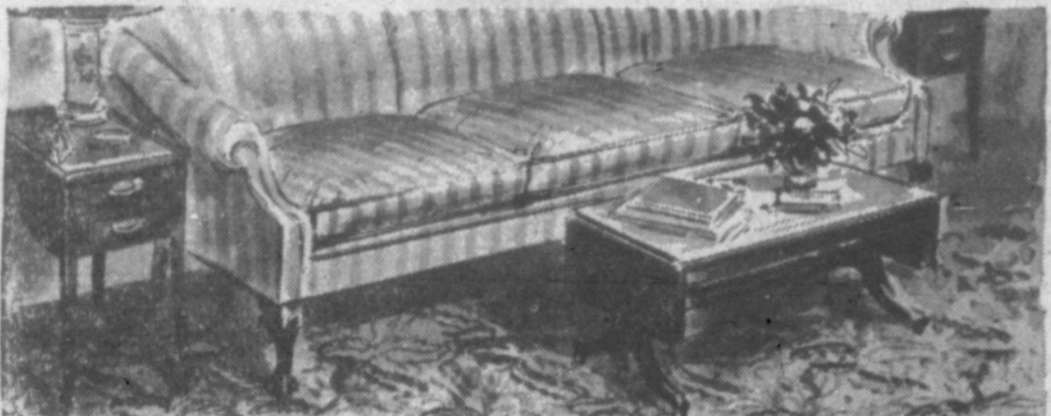
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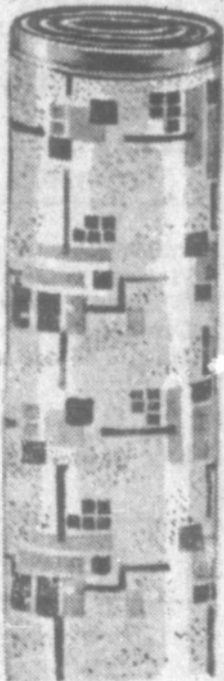
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