

Balzers Entertain Son and Wife Home on Leave

Mr and Mrs A. F. Balzer entertained relatives with a dinner at their home Sunday in honor of their son and daughter in law, T. Sgt. and Mrs. Melvin D. Balzer of Everett, Wash. Other guests included Mr and Mrs C. R. Bruckert of The Dalles, Mr and Mrs Gus Hartman of Wasco, Mr and Mrs W. E. Pruckert of Klondike, and Mr and Mrs R. J. Bruckert of Moro.

Miss Cassie Holmes came home Saturday from The Dalles to spend the week end with relatives.

Miss Cassie von Borstel went to Portland Sunday where she will be employed.

Henry Kelly was taken to The Dalles to the mid-Columbia hospital for medical attention.

Mr and Mrs Frank Pike went to Portland Wednesday and Mrs Pike entered the hospital Thursday to have a chicken bone removed from her throat. They returned to their home Monday.

Mr and Mrs Dean Olds of Portland and son, Pvt. Willard Olds, who is home on furlough from Fresno, California, came up Sunday to visit relatives and friends. Miss Natalie Wassermiller of Portland accompanied them here to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs Jacob Wassermiller. Mrs Emma Chamberlain came up with them to spend the week end visiting her sister, Mrs Matt Simon and family.

Lloyd Kelley with the U. S. Navy is home from Farragut, Idaho to visit his parents, Mr and Mrs B. M. Kelley and friends.

Mr and Mrs J. S. Newcomb and Mrs John Engstrom were business visitors in The Dalles Saturday.

Fred Cox took a truck load of hogs to the Portland market Tuesday.

The Baptist Mission society met at the home of Mrs W. J. Dav's Wednesday.

Mrs Anita Barnett came home Thursday from Carlton to spend the week end with her parents, Mr and Mrs A. A. Dunlap.

Mrs Alfred Kock returned home Wednesday from a hospital in The Dalles where she has been for several weeks.

Mr and Mrs A. A. Dunlap and Mrs Kock went to The Dalles on Thursday and returned Friday.

Arzell Lemley went to The Dalles Sunday to meet Mrs Lemley who returned from Portland where she has had medical attention.

Pvt. Robert Rolfe came home Thursday from San Francisco to spend a six day furlough with his parents, Mr and Mrs T. M. Rolfe.

Mrs Helen Bayer, Miss Harriet Cole, and Dorothy Barnett were visitors in The Dalles Sunday.

Cpl. Wallace Stark, who is stationed in New Jersey, and Miss Marjorie Miller of California, were married recently at New Brunswick, New Jersey.

Mrs J. W. Blagg and daughter, Marie, returned home Saturday from Forest Grove where they have been with her mother, Mrs Asa Eslinger, who is very ill in a hospital there.

Willard Rolfe, U. S. Navy, now stationed overseas was promoted to 1st Class A.O.M.

The next Red Cross meeting will be held Wednesday, April 26, at the Grass Valley library. Everyone is welcome to come and help sew hospital supplies.

John Rolfe and family have moved to Bourbon on the P. N. Lemmon ranch recently purchased by T. M. Rolfe.

Shelton Fritts and sons, Ed and Doran, were business visitors in The Dalles Saturday.

Mr and Mrs C. P. Adams of The Dalles spent the week end with their son in law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Don Clodfelter.

The Ladies Social Service club met at the home of Mrs W. F. Schilling Thursday afternoon with 14 members present.

Mrs Maynard Nelson arrived here Saturday from Rockford, Illinois, to spend several weeks with her parents, Mr and Mrs George Wilcox.

Dr. Wendell Ball of Tillamook visited several days last week at the Ted Ball home.

Mr and Mrs W. C. Todd, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Todd, and Mrs A. Schilling were business visitors in The Dalles Tuesday.

Mrs O. N. Ruggles is caring for her mother, Mrs William Cauthers, who is ill. Mrs Cauthers arrived from Moro Friday.

Lyle Olds, A.M.M. 2nd Class, arrived here Saturday from San Francisco, California to spend his leave with relatives and friends. He recently returned from 22 months overseas. NOTICE: Anyone having a sewing machine they would like to loan the Red Cross please contact Mrs Dorothy Olds Perry.

Burrell Case

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He came to Portland occasionally, and was sometimes interviewed by the police, willingly. He was always watched. Two weeks ago he came to Portland to go to a new ranch he had bought near Orofino, Idaho. He talked to police. Last Thursday, April 13, he again came to Portland, on his way to see about buying more land near his ranch. Police met him at the train, talked to him, got him to fill in the missing links.

Friday he was brought to Sherman county and confessed to a story substantially as follows: Early November 7 he had met Burrell at Missoula and arranged for the trip to the coast where Morgan was going to see a woman. Burrell paid for the gas on the trip for his passage. It was Morgan's car.

At Spokane they bought a pint of whiskey and had stopped occasionally for a beer. They ate at Dinty's Service Station in a quarrel about whether to go on down the highway or take the Sherman highway to Redmond where Burrell wanted to work. They started up the Sherman highway, Burrell apparently having won the argument. Within a mile they were fighting, Burrell giving his heavier opponent a good tussle. Morgan's hand came in contact with the hammer lying back of the seat. He struck Burrell and knocked him out.

Either in violent anger he struck again and again until Burrell was dead or after he had dragged the limp form to the

brush, he hit him again to keep him still. This was all on the evening of November 7, 1938. Morgan was back working in ten days. long before the body was discovered November 21. Discrepancy in the dates made the case harder to fathom. Morgan is a native of Missouri where he was raised by an aunt, his parents having died when he was young. He had no previous criminal record, had been a steady worker, good mechanic. Assisting in the case in various capacities since it began were C. C. Wilson, sheriff who conducted first investigations in Oregon towns, A. K. Lumsden, captain of state police investigation bureau, Sgt. Thomas Sheridan, Sgt. Charles U'Ren, Sgt. Frank Grimm, when in charge of The Dalles station, Officers H. L. Benninghoff and D. A. Petrie.

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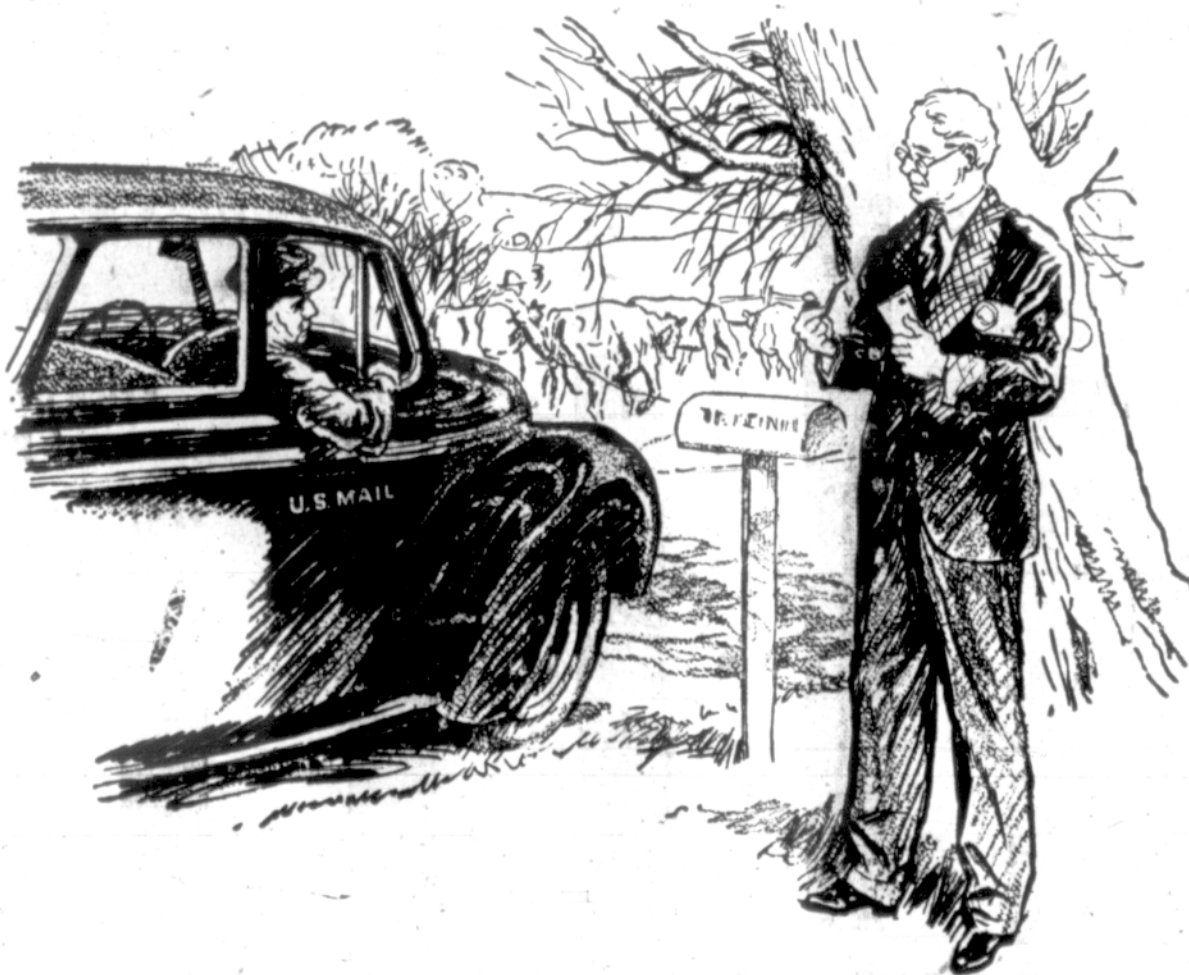
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