

Sherman County Fair Sept. 15-18

Mrs Ed Alley Home From Kansas Visit

Mrs. A. P. Balzer
Mr and Mrs Bruce Alley and children went to The Dalles Saturday to visit his mother, Mrs Ed Alley at the home of her sister, Mrs Gus Smith. She returned home from Kansas where she spent several weeks with her daughter, Mrs Wayne Karnes and family. Mr. Alley is still in Kansas with his daughter.

Mr and Mrs John Block and Mrs John Hays were business visitors in The Dalles Monday.

Mr and Mrs Don Smith and son, Larry, went to The Dalles taking his mother, Mrs Gus Smith to Portland for medical attention. The Smith's returned home Saturday.

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Mrs Bernard Martin and Mrs Owen Eakin and children and Dorothy Kelley were business visitors in The Dalles Thursday. Mr and Mrs O. N. Ruggles spent Sunday at Wasco visiting at the Walter Ruggles and Walter Bruckert homes.

Mr and Mrs Bernard Martin went to The Dalles Friday where Mr Martin received medical treatment.

SYNOPSIS OF ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE GREAT AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY, in the State of New York, on the thirty-first day of December, 1948, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

INCOME	
Net premiums received	\$43,233,510.47
Total interest, dividends and real estate income	2,591,687.77
Income from other sources	408,780.38
Total income	\$46,233,978.62
DISBURSEMENTS	
Net amount paid for losses	\$17,539,530.21
Loss adjustment expenses	1,214,587.21
Underwriting expenses	16,266,019.82
Dividends paid stockholders	1,950,000.00
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders	0
ADMITTED ASSETS	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	30,000.00
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	0
Value of bonds owned (amortized)	25,164,797.00
Value of stocks owned (market value)	45,051,847.00
Cash in banks and on hand	9,581,899.79
Premiums by course of collection written since September 30, 1948	5,324,886.55
Interest and rents due and accrued	173,971.00
Other assets (net)	1,576,255.23
Total admitted assets	\$57,693,656.52
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Total unpaid claims	\$ 8,268,709.57
Estimated loss adjustment expense for unpaid claims	220,000.00
Total unearned premiums	27,750,245.79
All other liabilities	2,976,550.34
Total liabilities, except capital	\$49,215,505.71
Capital paid-up	\$ 8,150,000.00
Special surplus funds:	0
Unassigned funds (surplus)	29,632,960.52
Surplus as regards capital	\$37,782,960.52
Total	\$87,003,656.23
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR YEAR	
Net losses paid	94,399.11
Net premiums received	\$ 165,426.51
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders	0

Mrs Orville Ruggles and Mrs Alfred Koch were hostesses at a shower for Mrs Lester Barnum and the two boys they adopted at the Barnum home Thursday afternoon. She received many nice gifts for the boys. Refreshments of cake, ice cream, and punch were served to about forty guests.

Mrs Frank Wilcox and daughter, Carol Lea, arrived Tuesday from Newberg to spend the rest of the week visiting her sister, Mrs Herman Peters and family.

Mr and Mrs Bernard Martin and daughter, Deanna, motored

to Bend Sunday where they met her parents, Mr and Mrs Frank Grubbe of Roseburg. They all went to Peterson's rock gardens. Deanna accompanied her grandparents home to spend a couple of weeks.

Quite a few have started harvesting and by the end of the week most will have started. The yield is pretty good so far. Bernard Martin took the first load of wheat to the new elevator. Harvesting was halted Tuesday on account of the rain.

Miss Della Walker arrived Saturday from Seattle, Wash,

to spend the week end at the home of Mr and Mrs Kenneth Crews. She left Sunday for her home accompanied by John Roth, who spent his vacation with his sister, Mrs Kenneth Crews and family.

Mr and Mrs Arch Cantrall motored to Toll Gate on Mt. Hood Sunday to meet their children, Gene and Sharon, who had been visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs Kendrick Dunlap and children at Carlton, who brought them to Toll Gate. They also met Mr and Mrs C. B. Marx, and Mr and Mrs Kenneth

Everett and family of Portland, and his mother, Mrs Leo Everett of Ontario. Mrs Everett came home with the Cantrall's to spend a few days.

Mr and Mrs Hollis Marple and Mary Alice Miller of Oregon City came Thursday and spent several days at the home of Mr and Mrs Fred Cox.

Mr and Mrs C. Kellogg of Portland arrived last Tuesday and spent the rest of the week visiting at the home of their son in law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Gene Reynolds.

Owen Eakin took a truck load

of cattle to Portland Sunday returning home Monday.

Dick Edwards and daughter, Luella of Leaburg, came Friday and were overnight guests of Mr and Mrs W. F. Schilling. Mrs John Engstrom accompanied him home for a visit. Duane Edwards went home with his father after spending three weeks with his grandparents.

Mr and Mrs John Block went to The Dalles last Monday and brought her mother, Mrs John Hays home after spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs Gus Smith.

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