

Grass Valley

By Mrs. A. F. Balzer

The American Legion auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Wallace May Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Donald von Borstel, past president, presided with ten members present. Mrs. C. von Borstel of Oregon City was present. Election of officers was held with Mrs. Donald von Borstel elected president; Mrs. Wallace May, 1st vice-president; Mrs. A. A. Dunlap 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Bob Tatum, secretary; Mrs. Frank von Borstel, treasurer and Mrs. J. E. Norton, historian. The picnic will be held July 1 at Hunt Park in Tygh Valley for Legion and auxiliary members and their families and friends. It will be pot luck with coffee furnished. Refreshments were served buffet style from a decorated table at the close of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blagg had as dinner guests Father's day Mr.

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and Mrs. Jimmy Blagg and Sandra and Michael from Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Blagg and grandson, Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Blagg and family, Mrs. Clair Balzer, Mrs. Ernest Eslinger of Moro, Mrs. Marcus Eslinger and daughters from Springston, Idaho and Bud Eslinger. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McNeely of The Dalles were callers in the afternoon. Sandra and Michael Blagg stayed for a longer visit with their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Floyd of Condon spent Monday visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Stark and family.

Keith Smith of Dufur spent the weekend here as a guest of Larry Smith.

Sam Stark and Harry Stark were business visitors in The Dalles Thursday.

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Lois Kelley Bride of Guy Powell In Church Ceremony At Grass Valley June 17

At an afternoon ceremony Sunday in the Grass Valley Baptist church Miss Lois Elaine Kelley of Grass Valley became the bride of Guy Evans Powell Jr., son of Mrs. Hazel Powell of Prineville. The Rev. Donald Leach read the double ring ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Fern Kelley of Grass Valley.

The bride given in marriage by Carl Kelley, brother of the bride, wore a white floor length gown of tulle and lace over satin with a shoulder length veil. She carried a bouquet of white rosebuds and stephanotis.

Miss Dorothy Kelley, sister of the bride, maid of honor, wore a light blue ballerina length dress and carried a bouquet of white daisies.

Bridesmaids were Miss Eileen Dunch of Grass Valley and Miss Ieta Martin of Madras. They wore light blue ballerina length dresses and carried bouquets of white daisies.

Gerold E. Noble of Prineville was best man and ushers were Van Moore of Prineville and David Lomergan of Newport. Flower girls were Karol and Karen Scholz, nieces of the groom. Jerry Kelley, brother of the bride, and Johnny Duncan, were the candle lighters.

Donald Earl sang "I Love You Truly" and "God Gave Me You". Mrs. Orville Ruggles was organist and also played the wedding music.

Mrs. Kelley chose for her daughter's wedding a dress of navy blue lace with navy and white accessories and wore a corsage of white carnations. The groom's mother wore a pink shantung with a white carnation corsage.

A reception immediately following the ceremony was held in the recreation room of the church.

The lace covered table was centered with the three tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom and flanked by white candles. After the bridal couple cut the first piece of cake it was cut and served by Mrs. Ralph Bolen assisted by Mrs. Owen Eakin. Mrs. Ralph Rust of Grass Valley presided at the coffee urn and Mrs. Nellie Watts of Madras at the punch bowl. Mary Jean Duncan and Kay Kirkelle had charge of the gift table and the guest book. Those assisting about the room were Mrs. Ber-

nard Martin, Mrs. Dell Olds, Mrs. Edgar Alley and Mrs. Sim Duncan.

For traveling the bride wore a navy blue suit with white accessories and wore the rosebud corsage from her bridal bouquet. After a short wedding trip the young couple will be at home in Prineville.

Out of town guests present were Mr. Hazel Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Scholz and family, Sarah J. Yancey all from Prineville, Mrs. Nellie Watts, Mrs. James Easter and son, Roy and Miss Reta Martin all from Madras, Ruby Ann Reitmunn from Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bolen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McNeely and Yvonne Kirkelle all from The Dalles, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fox from Milton-Freewater and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Draga from Portland.

A group of FFA Union high school students and their teacher, Wes Sorenson from Etna, Calif., are on a tour of Oregon to learn the different methods of farming and machinery used in different parts of Oregon. They stopped at the Fred Cox & Son Mt. View Hereford ranch Thursday morning to look at the machinery and grains raised here and also looked at the cattle. They were served refreshments by Mr. and Mrs. Cox before they left for Prineville.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Roberts and children, Rodney and Linda, arrived Wednesday from Corvallis to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cox. Thursday they all drove to Paulina lake and spent the weekend. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Roberts left for their home and Mr. and Mrs. Cox and grand children came home. The children will spend a week here with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Elliott and daughters, Carol and Sandra, of Portland arrived Saturday to visit her brother, Gene Reynolds and family and spent Father's day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Reynolds. Carol stayed for a longer visit at the Owen Reynolds' home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cox and Mr. and Mrs. John Rust were dinner guests Wednesday evening at the H. O. Dugger home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Bayer went to Carlton, Wn., Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Guy Vintin re-

turning Sunday.

Mrs. Dick Beckman and Mrs. Frank E. Bayer were visitors in The Dalles last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Reynolds returned home June 11 from a five week trip that took them from Flint, Michigan where they picked up a new car and drove to Inagura Falls and on to Pennsylvania and then started on their way home. They report having a wonderful trip.

Dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Rolfe celebrating the eighth birthday anniversary of their daughter, Sheri Lee, were her grandmother, Mrs. T. M. Rolfe, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kelly of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Donaki Hagen and three children of Richland, Wn., visited Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. T. M. Rolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Barnett and son, Keith, Mrs. Orville Ruggles and Mrs. O. N. Ruggles drove to Ione Thursday where the women attended a layette shower for Mrs. Earl McKinney.

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Down in the garden there are some onions bent on becoming the biggest onions ever grown; or a squash that seems destined to grow bigger than any squash ever before; or a little green tomato on a big vigorous bush that will be the reddest and smoothest by fair time; or some beans that will drag the ground by early September when the fair is on.

THE DATES ARE SEPTEMBER 6-7-8-9 THIS YEAR

And if there's nothing outside that attracts interest, there is time to put up some fruit in a particular way so it shows off to best advantage; or some colorful fruit or berry that will sparkle when made into jelly to attract the eye of a beauty loving judge; and there is time to do some fancy work while the men are in the harvest field.

Of course those with fat calves will keep them fat and slick, those with colts will teach them to lead and show off, those with lambs will have them trimmed and white in time for the fair. That goes without saying. And there will be room for more such animals this year because the old exhibitors are always moving on.

A little extra care to the rose bushes, a shot of fertilizer to the cucumbers, some suckering of the corn may make a first prize winner at the county fair—and may make it a bigger and better fair.

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