

### Grass Valley

By Mrs. A. F. Balzer

The reception given by Gary and Kay Brittain honoring their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brittain of Parkdale on their 25th wedding anniversary, was held at the IOOF hall in Grass Valley, Sunday, November 25, from 1 to 3 p. m. The hall was beautifully decorated with bouquets of silver pine needles and cedar boughs and yellow and white chrysanthemums. A large white bell decorated the piano. Two silver bells hung above the white linen cloth covered table that held the three tiered wedding cake. The cake baked by Mrs. Brittain and daughter Kay and decorated in silver and white was surrounded by pine and cedar boughs and flanked by white candles in silver holders, was served by Mrs. Brittain, wearing a silver corsage. Her sisters, Mrs. Josephine Park-

hurst and Mrs. Frank E. Bayer poured, they wore carnation corsages. A lace covered table held the punch bowl and a bouquet of silver pine needles and cedar boughs flanked by white candles in silver holders, was presided over by daughter, Kay. She wore a flower wristlet.

The lace covered gift table, centered with a silver tree, was in charge of Mrs. Harry Stark and Mrs. Omar Brittain. Mrs. Olan Stark, Mrs. Hadley Stark and Curtis Stark, assisted about the room, they all wore corsages of silver cedar boughs and snowberries. Omer Brittain had charge of the guest book.

Those signing the guest book were Mr. and Mrs. Omer Brittain, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kuhlman and children and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Conley and son, all from Tygh Valley, Mrs. Georgia Norval and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sawtell from The Dalles, Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Stark from Terrebonne, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Stark from Bend, Mr. and Mrs. Olan Stark and family and Mrs. Josephine Parkhurst from Kent, Donald Martin and Mrs. Leta Esslinger from Moro, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Bayer, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stark and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eakin and Mona, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Blaylock, Mrs. Clyde Stradley, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Oids, Mr. and

Mrs. Ted Trimble, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oids and Robin, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blagg and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Payne and family, all from Grass Valley.

The Stark family had their Thanksgiving dinner at the IOOF hall Saturday, November 24. A pot luck dinner was served at 4 o'clock followed by an evening of singing, square dancing and playing games. Those enjoying the dinner and evening were Mrs. Josephine Parkhurst and Mr. and Mrs. Olan Stark and family from Kent, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Stark from Bend, Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Stark from Terrebonne, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brittain, Gary and Kay from Parkdale, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Bayer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stark and family.

The Baptist Mission society met at the church last Tuesday afternoon with ten members present. Mrs. Don Leach, president, conducted the meeting. After packing several boxes, Mrs. Donald MacInnes had charge of the devotionals. Mrs. James Earl served refreshments at the close.

The Grass Valley Rebekahs met at the IOOF hall Wednesday evening for their regular meeting. Mrs. Kenneth Crews, noble grand, presided with 18 members present. Election of officers was held

with Mrs. Jack Brady elected as noble grand; Mrs. Claud Bayer, vice-grand; Mrs. Art Schilling, treasurer and Mrs. Willard Barrett, secretary. Following the regular session a party was held for members with birthdays and wedding anniversaries in November. Those honored with birth days were Mrs. Herman Ziegler, Mrs. Art Schilling and Mrs. James Easter, anniversaries honored were Mrs. Art Schilling, Mrs. Claud Bayer, Mrs. Jack Brady, Mrs. Lola E. Barnett, Mrs. Jack Adams and Mrs. Sam Alberty. Refreshments were served at the close by Mrs. Donald von Borstel and Mrs. Frank Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Blagg and family left Wednesday after work for Lebanon where they were overnight guests of her brother and sister in law, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Coyle. Thanksgiving day they went to Corvallis to the football game and to Albany that evening for Thanksgiving dinner at the home of her sister and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Cutts, Friday they went to Newport to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Coyle and back to Portland Saturday where they were overnight guests of his brother and sister in law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Blagg, and home Sunday.

Mrs. Willard Rolfe gave a dinner Saturday evening honoring her husband on his birthday anniversary. Guests included his mother, Mrs. T. M. Rolfe and George Wilde of Portland. Callers later were Mrs. Eugene Spencer of Seattle and her sister, Joelle Blaylock and Mr. and Mrs. L. W.

Brockway and family of The Dalles spend the holiday and weekend with his mother Mrs. C. R. Andersen.

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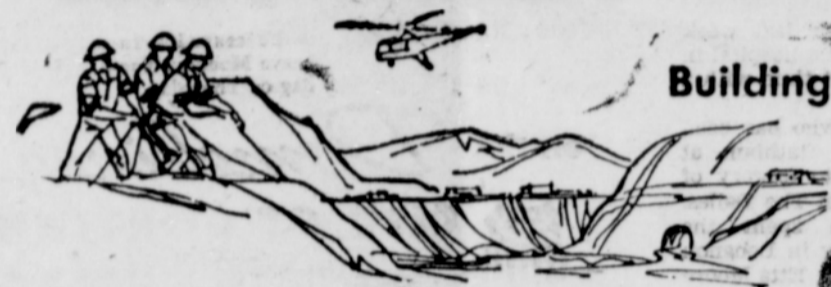
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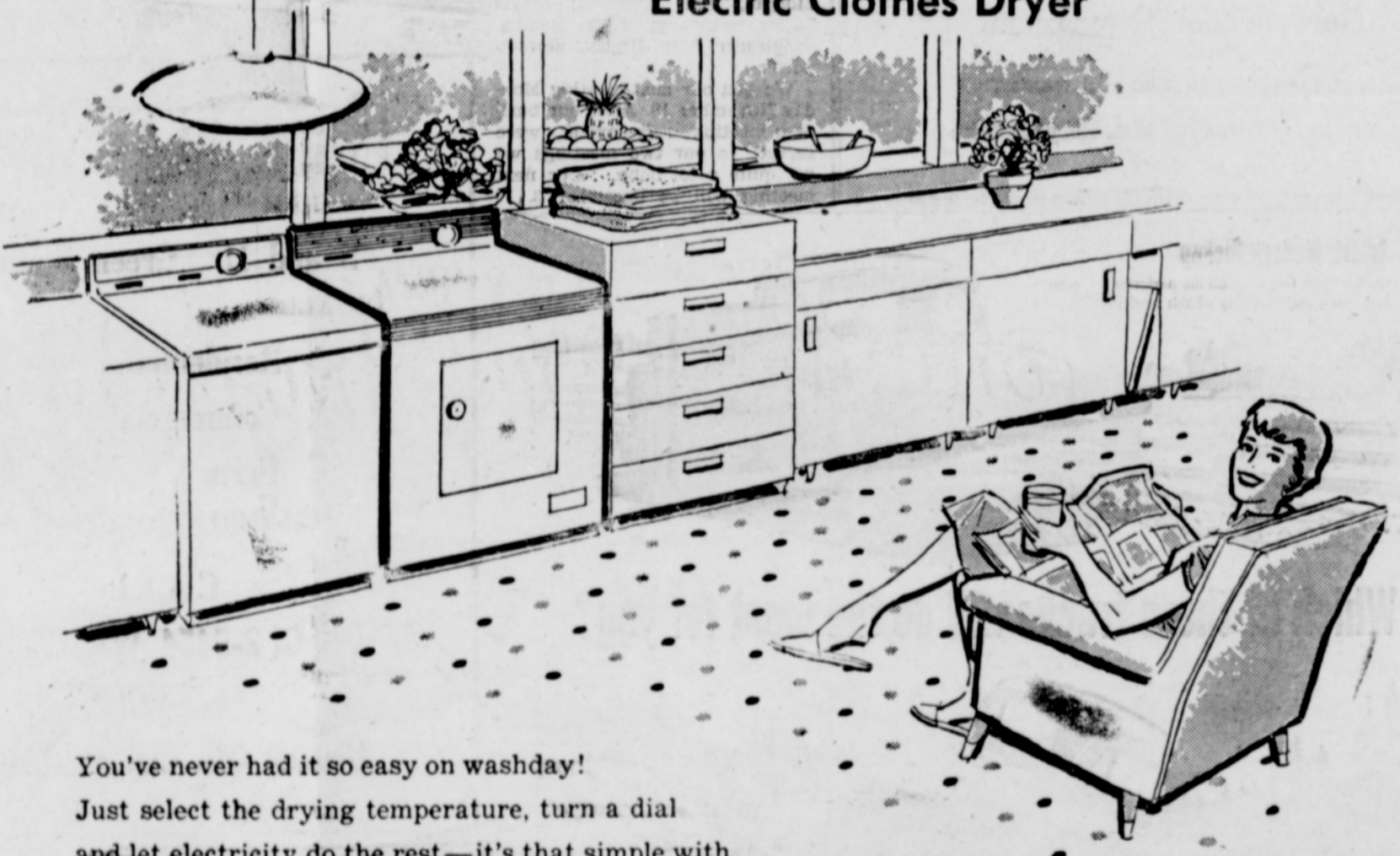


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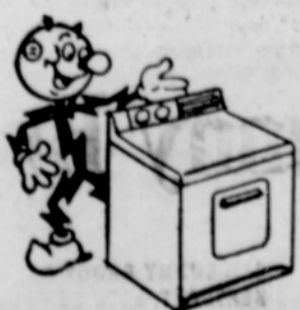
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