

**Grass Valley**

by Anna Balzer

Mrs. Arzell Lemley was hostess to her bridge club at her home Thursday with invited guests including Mrs. Henry Barnum and Mrs. Loy Cochran of Moro and Mrs. Bill Pausch and Mrs. Earl Olds. Dessert was followed by bridge at three tables. Mrs. Barnum held high score, Mrs. D. L. Reynolds second high and Mrs. Pausch low. Mrs. Barnum also won the traveling prize. Other members present were Mrs. Herman Peters, Mrs. Alfred Kock, Mrs. Joe Peters, Mrs. Jack Adams, Mrs. A. A. Dunlap and Mrs. Donald Clodfelter.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Balzer and daughter, Sheila, left Friday for their home in San Leandro, Calif., after spending since Monday visiting his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Balzer in Moro and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Balzer.

The Payne family picnic was held at Warm Springs with the day spent swimming, picnicking and visiting. Relatives present were Mrs. Ben Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Fulkerson and family, Mrs. Irene Belshe and daughter Frances, S. Fraley and his father all of The Dalles; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Stark and Mrs. Beulah Mack of Cove; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Payne and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Payne of Grass Valley. Friends present were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Crews and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Olds and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ketter and family.

Gordon Lemley went to The Dalles Sunday and brought Mrs. Lemley home from the hospital where she had been since August 9 for medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Peters had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Arden Peters Sunday.

Ronald Rolfe with the U. S. Army, returned home the last of July from two years spent in

Germany. He is working for his uncle, Bill Rolfe. Mrs. Harold Owens and Juanita McClain were business visitors in The Dalles Tuesday.

Greg Earl of The Dalles spent a week here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lyons at Kent and Mr. and Mrs. James Earl and his uncle Don Earl and family.

Alfa Jean and Lois Payne returned home July 26 from San Francisco, Cal., where they spent six weeks visiting their sister, Mrs. Hal Gomez and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Messinger of The Dalles and Mrs. Myrtice Gray of San Diego, Calif., visited relatives and friends here Wednesday.

Bob Rolfe took David Wells to Albany Tuesday, after spending the harvest season with him, to visit his brother, Donald Wells and family and his mother, Mrs. Harriett Wells before leaving for

the Marine base at Camp Pendleton, Calif., after his leave here.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Stark had as guests Saturday and Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Case Hamlin and family of Eugene. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Owens and family and Mrs. W. D. Barnett had dinner with them there Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Stark and family and Mrs. W. D. Barnett were business visitors in The Dalles Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Payne had as recent visitors Ernie Porter and family from Duchess Albreta, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Elliott of Portland came Saturday and spent till Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Reynolds and to take their daughters, Sandra and Carol, home after spending a week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Reynolds and family had dinner with them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Balzer of Moro were dinner guests Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blagg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins of Portland spent from Thursday till Saturday here with their daughter, Mrs. Donald von Borstel and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl von Borstel and Mr. and Mrs. George von Borstel were business visitors in Portland Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted von Borstel of The Dalles spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl von Borstel.

Mrs. John Rust went to The Dalles Tuesday where she entered a hospital for medical attention.

Mrs. O. N. Ruggles and Mrs. Willard Barnett and Mrs. Walter Ruggles of Heppner went to Portland Sunday where they attended the Sherman County picnic held at Laurelhurst Park.

Mrs. A. A. Dunlap has as her guests her grandchildren, Terri

and Larry Dunlap of Bellflower, Calif., who came the first of August.

Mrs. A. A. Dunlap and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kock of Moro went to Mt. Hood Friday to pick huckleberries.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace May were in Hood River Sunday for a picnic dinner with her brothers, William Walter and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Walter and their son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook of Tillamook.

Mr. and Mrs. James Earl had as dinner guests Sunday honoring their son, Don Earl on his birthday anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Don Earl and family and Mrs. Elton Eakin and son, Leonard.

John Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson is in Emanuel hospital in Portland where he underwent an appendectomy last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Treabess and their son in law and daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Barella and son, Terry, left Wednesday for their return trip to their home in Chicago, Ill., after spending ten days here visiting Mrs. Treabess' brother and sister in law, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Balzer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Balzer spent Sunday in Wasco visiting the Gus Hartmanns.

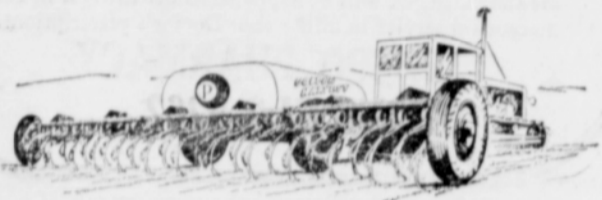
Mrs. Etta Buchanan and daughter Marian of Milwaukie, Wis., arrived from Roseburg, where they visited her daughter, Mrs. Marshall Sherwin, to visit friends in the Kent community. They were guests of the Ben Maxfields while here. They both taught in the Kent school several years ago.

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*Time to Relax, To Enjoy Yourself, To Let Yourself Go. Ah! That's the Question. GO WHERE?*  
**Sherman Fair is on**



The boys used to talk about reaching for the horn and getting a handful of grass and that seems what Buddy Martin did when he left Brown Bomber. Well, the ground was the only dependable thing around. Brown Bomber will be here this week end and so will Buddy if he's all in one piece by now.



They turn the bareback horses loose because the rider rides by a handhold on the surcingle anyway. This one is really unhappy and anxious to get rid of the rider and his pesky spurs in the shoulders. They say the eight seconds a rider has to stay on a bareback horse is the longest eight seconds of a whole year and we reckon that might be right.



This Muldoon is an Appaloosa and he has a hard kick as he hits ground which is a jarring thing for most cowpokes but Cecil Swagart of Ritter, Oregon, is doing alright—so far.

Bronc stomping is a legitimate skill of the stockman. He either broke horses to ride or walked, and it was a long way. He just throwed his saddle on and climbed up into it. Then maybe he walked after all.