

Grass Valley

by Ann Balzer

Sixty-eight people gathered at the Donald von Borstel home the Fourth of July for a picnic dinner. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Kulick and children from Springfield, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Walter Koch of Oregon City, Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Anon and daughters of Newport, Miss., Margaret Brogan of Bend, Mr. and Mrs. Ted von Borstel and the Misses Cassie and Mabel Holmes of The Dalles. The children played games and the others spent the day visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Peters and Mr. and Mrs. Arden Peters left Sunday for Coos Bay to go deep sea fishing, leaving the 4th for Newberg to visit Dr. and Mrs. Frank Wilcox, returning home July 5.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Kulick and daughters of Springfield, Ill., are spending this week visiting at the Carl, George and Don von Borstel and Kenneth Hattrup homes, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Reynolds have as their guests from Monday till Friday her mother, Mrs. C. F. Kellogg and their nephew, Scott Kellogg of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hartmann of Wasco spent Sunday visiting the A. F. Balzers.

Mrs. Harold Owens was hostess at a party at her home Tuesday June 27 honoring her son, Robert on his ninth birthday, also celebrating Mrs. Olan Stark's birthday anniversary. Those present were Mrs. Stark and children of Kent, Mrs. W. D. Barnett, Mrs. Virgil Oltmann and Kelly, Mrs. Curly Eichler and Carmen Johnson. Refreshments of cake, ice cream, punch and coffee were served later by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Blaylock went to La Grande Saturday to visit their son in law and daughter.

ter, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Higley returning home the Fourth.

Tom Pokorny and his father of Gresham were overnight guests July 3 at the Harry Stark home. The Fourth they went to Kent to visit the Olan Stark family the men went fishing in Pine Hollow.

Mrs. T. M. Rolfe and Mrs. Harriett Wells went to The Dalles Saturday evening to meet the former's cousin, Mrs. Glennie Sempey who arrived from Los Angeles for a visit.

Mrs. Gladys Worthington of Glide arrived Friday and spent a week here visiting Mrs. Harriett Wells at the home of Mrs. T. M. Rolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lemley and family spent from Wednesday till Friday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Crews at Cannon Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Elliott and family of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Reynolds and family spent the Fourth of July with their parents Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Kock were hosts at a farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. Arden Peters at their home Saturday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Alley, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Alley of Wasco, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Creighton, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jaeger of Moro and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dean Eakin. The evening was spent playing pinochle. Arden Peters held high score and John Alley low. Refreshments were served later by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Eben Kee had as their guests several days last week his nephew Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Dierck and family of San Bruno, California, who were on their way to Tacoma and Spokane to visit relatives.

Mrs. A. von Borstel and Phil spent Sunday at Washougal, Wn., visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arzell Lemley and son, Gordon, went to Arlington Sunday evening where they will start harvesting.

Patty Crews, Connie Ketter, Christine Cantrall and Leta Ann Eslinger of the Brownies went to The Dalles Wednesday and left for Camp Yollani where they will spend a week.

Mrs. Kenneth Crews and Nancy and Cathy and Mrs. Frank Ketter and Holly were business visitors in The Dalles this Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arden Peters moved their trailer house to Madras Saturday, where Arden has leased the Union Oil Station tak-

ing over July 17. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Peters went up Sunday to help them get settled. Mr. and Mrs. Arden Peters went to Seattle Sunday where Arden will attend mechanical school for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eben Kee enjoyed picnic dinner at Bear Springs the Fourth with the Tex Rzyk and Lester Barnum families.

Mrs. Walter Ruggles left Monday for her home in Heppner after spending ten days here visiting Mrs. O. N. Ruggles.

Mrs. Harold Owens and Mrs. Virgil Oltmann and Joy Ann and Kelly were in the Dalles Saturday where they met Mrs. Oltmann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ellis of Arlington. Joy Ann went home with her grandparents for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Stark and Kathy went to The Dalles Friday where Kathy entered a hospital for an appendectomy Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Owens and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lemley and family, Loretta Sullivan, Ruth Alley and Carolyn Johnson enjoyed a weiner roast at the Johnson home the Fourth of July.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brinkert and Gary, took his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brinkert for a dive Sunday to The Dalles and Goldendale.

Mrs. Frank E. Bayer was hostess at a party honoring her daughter, Helen on her eighth birthday and Linda Sargent on her eighth birthday on July 1. Those invited were John Sargent, Wayne Cantrall, Shelley Reynolds, Margaret Hammond, Donna Kay Schilling, Holly Ketter, Debbie Earl, Diana Clough of Arlington and Lori Perrigo of The Dalles. Mrs. Bayer took them swimming at Lester Barnums and returned for refreshments. Then the girls opened their gifts. Older girls present were Julia Bayer, Virginia Todd, Annie Wilson and Loretta Sullivan, mothers present were Mrs. Gene Reynolds, Mrs. Bob Schilling, Mrs. Harvey Sargent, and Mrs. Joe Hammond came later.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Clodfelter and Wendell and Mr. and Mrs. Frank von Borstel joined the Don Marsh and Bruce Eccles families at the Craig Rat Hut in Hood River July 5 for a picnic dinner and visiting. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Marsh of Hood River joined them later. Mr. and Mrs. von Borstel were over night guests of the Don Marsh family.

Around 75 or 80 attended the Eakin family reunion held at

Bear Springs Sunday. A pot luck dinner was served at noon. The children played games while the parents spent the day visiting. Owen Eakin was elected president for the coming year. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Owen Eakin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eakin and Mona, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Eakin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Eakin and family and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Blaylock from Grass Valley.

Mrs. O. N. Ruggles and Mrs. Walter Ruggles of Heppner attended the Searcy family reunion at Bear Springs Sunday.

Mrs. Frank T. Bayer returned home Friday from the hospital in The Dalles where she spent over a week for medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Bayer and Helen took their daughter, Julia, back to Monmouth July 4 where she is attending summer school at OCE, after spending four days here.

BORN: To Mr. and Mrs. Gary Schilling a son on July 4 at the Dalles. The baby was named Brian Keith and weighed six pounds and thirteen ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Crews and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schilling of Grass Valley, great grandmothers, Mrs. W. F. Schilling of Grass Valley and Mrs. Henry Roth of Olympia, Wash.

Gary Schilling and Mrs. Kenneth Crews went to The Dalles Saturday and brought Mrs. Schilling and infant son home from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stark and family went to Cove where Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Stark and their houseguests, Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Stark of Anaheim, California joined them on a trip to Pine Hollow for a picnic on the Fourth of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eakin and Mona, went to Camp Sherman on Saturday and spent over the Fourth there. Others there were Mrs. Hazel Zurlinden and her son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Manning and family of Portland.

Mrs. Sam Alberty, Mrs. Everett Cantrall, Mrs. Dick Rust, Mrs. William Brinkert and Mrs. Frank Ketter were hostesses at a baby

shower honoring Mrs. Gary Schilling, held at the IOOF hall Friday afternoon. Fresh flowers were used as decorations about the room arranged by Mrs. Alberty. In the absence of Mrs. Schilling, who was in the hospital with the new son, her husband opened the gifts assisted by his mother, Mrs. Roy Schilling and mother in law, Mrs. Kenneth Crews. Refreshments of cookies, punch and coffee were served from a linen covered tea table centered with an arrangement of flowers. Mrs. Alberty presided at the coffee service and Mrs. Art Schilling served the punch.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Garland were visitors in The Dalles Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Stark of Anaheim, Calif., here on vacation spent from Saturday till Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stark.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald von Borstel and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Reynolds and family enjoyed a picnic dinner at Viento State Park July 6 with Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Baumgartner and daughters, Jeannie and Leslie of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Iver Garland of Bend and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Pleasant of Dallas, Oregon had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Len Garland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Singer and son, Ralph, of Tina, Mo., stopped here Monday afternoon to visit his cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Owens, on their way to Fresno, California.

Mrs. A. A. Dunlap had as her guests during the week of July 1 to 8 her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Haynes and family of McMinnville, her sister in law, Mrs. Gladys Haynes of Yamhill, her brother, Donald Haynes of Los Angeles, Calif., and her brother in law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Kylo of Eugene.

About fifty attended the Haynes family picnic held at Creston Park in Portland Sunday July 9. After enjoying the picnic dinner the afternoon was spent visiting.

Mrs. A. A. Dunlap was the only one from here attending. Mrs. Dunlap, her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shipley of Eureka, Calif., and her sister in

law, Mrs. Bill Haynes drove to Longview, Wash., to visit their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McLean, who recently celebrated their 58th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Shipley came home with Mrs. Dunlap Monday and left for their home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Reynolds left Friday for Portland to visit their son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Elliott and family. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds accompanied the Elliots to Tacoma where open house was held for Mr. Reynolds' mother, Mrs. O. C. Wisner on her 90th birthday anniversary. All her five children and their families were present. Gene Reynolds went down Monday on business and brought his parents home.

County Ramblings

County Agricultural Agent

A special livestock judging and showmanship event has been scheduled for July 29 at the Hudspeth Land and Livestock show barn. The event will get underway at 9 a. m. on the ranch one mile east and one mile north of Powell Butte schoolhouse. Sherman County 4-H, FFA and adults are invited. The program includes a judging contest, demonstration and discussion on fitting, showing and feeding of beef cattle. A tour of feed lots and show ring will be included. The high scoring 4-H beef club will receive a Hereford steer calf donated by the Hudspeth Land and Livestock Co.

Public Relations Bobble

Many items on the farm situation scene periodically come to the attention of farm people that are distorted or present only part of the true facts. This misinformation certainly has contributed to misunderstanding and criticism by the general public. Farmers sometimes themselves contribute to this as well as business, labor and all walks of society.

A recent case is one of note to cite. A farmers almanac printed by a business concern awarded national "Farm Efficiency Awards" to outstanding farmers

for efficiency of production and low costs. The efficiency award honored a northwest wheat grower who produced wheat for 55 cents per bushel. Checking further into this case we found only a portion of the costs were considered.

The author included only current cash costs. No consideration was given to machinery depreciation and reserve for replacement; taxes, both real and personal property; interest on investment must be considered if the farmer has equal rights with others to expect a return of his investment on the farm or elsewhere; crop insurance; and the operator's labor is a cost since he can hire out to someone else.

These were some of the costs excluded, but which a farmer must include in his over all farming business.

Farmers public relations need constant attention. The assistance of others to create a constant wrong impression about the nation's biggest industry doesn't help.

Cattle On Feed

Cattle marketings and slaughter have been heavy the past three months. And, official reports indicate feedlot operators have been re-filling their feedlots at a rapid rate during the April-June quarter last year.

For up-to-date information on recent trends in cattle marketing and feeding operations, watch for USDA's mid-year cattle and calves on feed report to be released July 17. OSU meat animals and wool market review of July 28 will carry highlights.

Use Good Paint

If you have a painting job to do this summer, keep this in mind—whether you do it yourself or hire it done, it costs several times more in labor than the price of the best quality paint for applying it.

Over a long period of time, the best quality paint that you can buy is usually the cheapest paint you can buy. The best quality paint will last longer and give better service, and usually doesn't need to be removed as sometimes is the case with an inferior quality paint.

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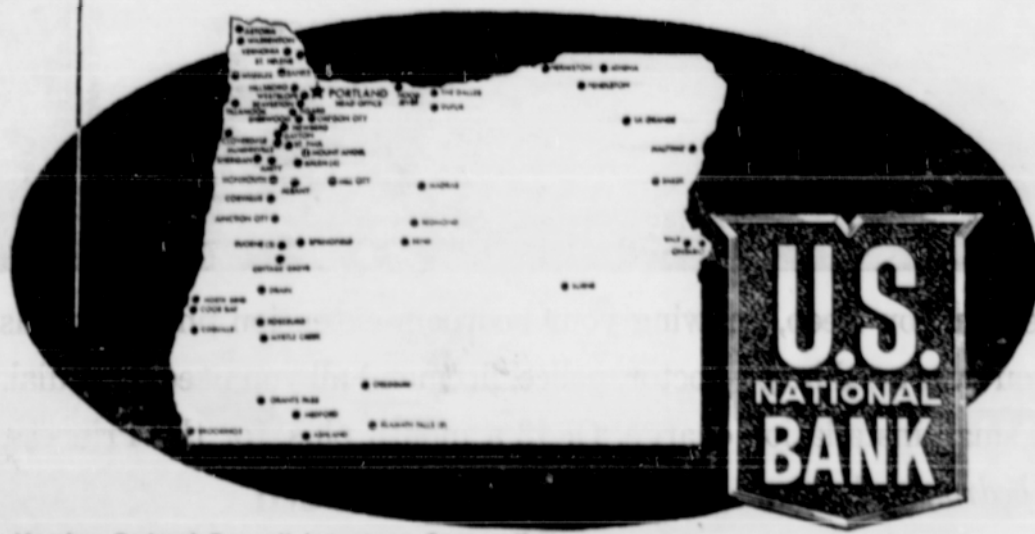
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| Cash on Hand and Due from Banks | \$151,021,912.95 |
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| Loans and Discounts—Net | 399,863,658.91 |
| Stock in Federal Reserve Bank | 1,500,000.00 |
| Bank Premises (Including Branches) | 16,109,285.58 |
| Customers' Liability on Acceptances | 1,916,732.66 |
| Interest Earned | 3,883,640.12 |
| Other Resources | 1,160,781.33 |
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| LIABILITIES: | |
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| Capital | \$25,000,000.00 |
| Surplus | 25,000,000.00 |
| Undivided Profits | 27,494,716.41 |
| Reserve for Contingencies | 19,397.74 |
| | \$77,514,114.15 |
| Reserves for Interest, Taxes, etc. | 4,660,062.56 |
| Acceptances | 1,916,732.66 |
| Dividends Declared | 812,500.00 |
| Deposits | 826,818,561.03 |
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