

### Buckeroo Supper At Monument Is Popular Event

By MRS. MILLIE WILSON  
The Monument grange held their annual buckeroo supper on

come one of the main entertainments of the year. There was a large crowd on hand to partake of the delicious steaks, fried potatoes, camp bread and coffee, all of which was cooked over a huge campfire at the rear of the grange hall. All this was supplemented with pickles, applesauce, beans and berseraderish. It really was a feast. The men did the cooking and the women enjoyed eating—not even having to wash the

dishes. Mrs. Bessie Aubrey is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jessie Batty. She came from Klamath Falls with her nephew, Gilbert Batty. Mr. Aubrey will come when elk season opens.

Frank Stein from Seattle is spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cook. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wright and son Kenneth of Rhea Creek spent Thursday with Mrs. Wright's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jackson.

Rush Crabtree, who has been visiting his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jackson, left Monday for Willits, Calif. Mr. Crabtree expects to spend the winter in Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Maley of Condon were week-end guests of Mrs. Maley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jackson. The Maleys enjoyed the buckeroo supper.

Mrs. Louise Fleming and her daughter Mrs. Clint Mellor were business visitors in John Day on Saturday.

Earl Johns took his wife to John Day Monday to consult a doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simas took Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hunt to Prairie City where Mr. Hunt entered the hospital. He has been in poor health for some time. Mrs. Lester McKinney is keeping the Hunt children while their parents are away.

Mrs. Laura Simas is now working in the postoffice.

Ona May Leathers and her mother, Mrs. Belle Neal were shopping in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Harshman were attending to matters of business in John Day Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Theo Owings, assisted by Mrs. Goldie Rounds, is cooking the hot lunches at school this week while Mrs. Ona May Leathers is setting her household furnishings moved from the ranch at Top to her home on the river.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lesley drove to John Day Friday to consult a dentist about an ulcerated tooth which has been giving Mr. Lesley a bad time.

Rev. and Mrs. Harris expect Mr. Roberts of Medford next Monday night. Mr. Roberts will show Bible pictures at the Community church Monday night. The Harisses expect a large crowd out for the entertainment, which will be of an educational nature.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Page are home again after spending the summer in Canada. They are driving a new car which they purchased before leaving Canada. Mrs. Page flew from her home in Canada to Alaska to visit her son, Jack Nucomb.

The MMM club held its second meeting in the grange hall Thursday. There were 12 ladies present. Mrs. Doris Capon was chosen president and Mrs. Maud Harris vice president. Mrs. Louise Fleming was re-elected secretary-treasurer. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Ethel Schaefer's with Mrs. Doris Capon as co-hostess. Friday night. This event has be-

licious potluck lunch was served. After the business meeting a de-licious potluck lunch was served. The first meeting of the year was held two weeks ago at the home of Mrs. Darrel Farrans with Mrs. Lois Hall as co-hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stirratt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shanks and daughter Laura Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shanks and daughters Kay and Dee Ann spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Swick. The men helped Howard brand calves while there.

Mrs. Cecil Musgrave was calling on friends in Monument on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Musgrave came from their home at Tonasket, Wash. this week. They will take another load of household furnishings back with them. They report the weather as being quite cold at Tonasket last week.

Kenny Rounds of Long Creek is driving stage for Dewey Tanler this week.

Thomas McLaughlin principal of the high school, took Mrs. McLaughlin to John Day Friday to consult a doctor. She is suffering from a throat infection.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Farrans drove to The Dalles Sunday where he expects to enter the hospital. He will undergo surgery in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Lendon Wright visited her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McLaughlin over the week-end. The object of their visit being a hunting trip. They hunted on the Clarence Holmes ranch and reported good luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard West were hosts to a party given Saturday night. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cutts, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Spurgin, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Batty and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johns. The evening was spent in playing cards. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. West.

Mrs. Earl Sweek has received a letter from Dr. Keith M. Godfrey of Eugene. Dr. Godfrey, Dr. Bennett and Rutherford have formulated a program which is intended to educate the people as to the merits and values of specific chiropractic. They have requested Mrs. Sweek to get a date for them to show their hour long film in the new gymnasium. Announcement of the exact date will be made later. The town of Monument is fortunate to have the opportunity to see and listen to such an educational program.

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### Polio On Increase Latter Part of Year, Health Board Notes

If Oregon's polio pattern continues to follow trends which the disease took in the state in 1943, Oregon's residents can expect to count an additional 150 cases by January 1, 1950.

This year's polio incidence in Oregon bears a striking resemblance to the 1943 outbreak, according to the state board of health. For example, it was pointed out that the heaviest infantile paralysis onslaught of that year, a total of 33 cases, and 33 cases also were reported for the 41st week of 1949. It was the state's worst polio week of the year and also its worst since the 41st week of 1943. Dr. Samuel B. Osgood, state epidemiologist informed the Portland office of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Dr. Osgood's report to the March of Dimes agency said that the state board is wondering "if 1949 will continue to adhere to the pattern of 1943 when a gradual decline began after the 41st week and continued right into January." The number of cases recorded between October 15 and December 31, 1943 was 150, Dr. Osgood added.

Commenting on the sharp outbreak of cases after this year's cool weather had set in, Dr. Osgood said he "rather suspected that more cases of the milder type are being recognized." He explained that, due to the widely-spread nature of this year's polio attack, there is a greater familiarity now with abortive and non-paralytic types of infec-

tion than there might have been at the outset of the season when it was possible that some milder cases were thought not to be polio.

The 33 cases of the 41st week lifted Oregon's polio total for the year to 234 cases, approximately 100 more than had been counted

at the same time in 1949. National estimates place the final figure for 1949 at a record 40,000 to 45,000 cases.

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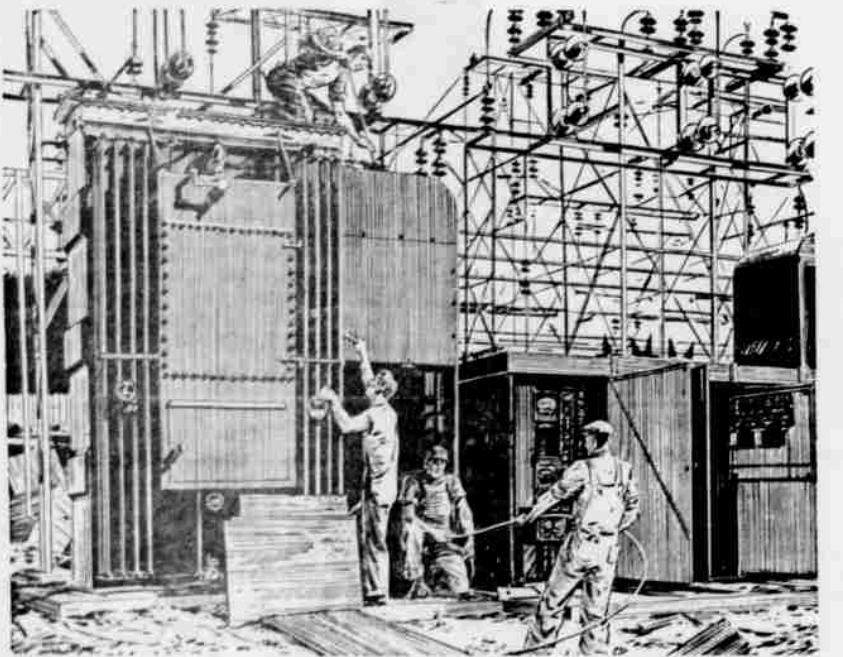
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