

GATES

House guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tex Allen the past week were Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Whaley of Spokane, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ambers have returned to Gates from Medford and are again operating the Maples tavern on the highway east of Gates.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey, and son Lee, vacationed at the beach the last week, returning home Sunday evening.

Pfc. Ed Keith Oliver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Oliver, is hospitalized at the Salem Memorial hospital following an accident Monday of last week. Oliver who was spending his furlough, from his station at Fort Lewis, at the home of his parents, was thrown from a cat he was operating, which went out of control and rolled 160 feet down a hillside at Turner. He sustained six broken ribs,

numerous cuts and bruises, according to reports. He will be removed to an army hospital as soon as his physician deems it advisable.

Mr. and Mrs. Verner Evans and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Martig and family left Thursday for Gold Beach. After spending a short vacation there the Evans continued on the Prescott, Ariz., for a month's visit there with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Martig and family are spending several days with relatives in Seattle.

Mrs. W. F. Struckmeier spent the week in Vancouver, Wash., where she joined her mother, who had arrived in the states from her home in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hearing and two children drove to The Dalles for the week. Hearing operates the Gates barber shop.

Harold C. Bayley of Portland was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Millsap the last of the week.

Former friends of Virgil Heath may be interested to learn that his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Heath, have received word of his transfer from Anchorage, Alaska, to San Francisco, where he and his family will reside. Heath has been in government employ in Alaska for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Oliver have received word that their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oliver of Corvallis are visiting in New York City and other eastern places of interest. The trip is in the nature of a belated honeymoon for the couple who were married this spring. They will also visit at the home of his sister and husband. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Smith (Jean Oliver) in Virginia. They are making the trip by air.

Mr. and Mrs. Layton Gosnell and son, Larry, were over the weekend guests at the home of her mother, Mrs. Laura Joaquin. The Gosnell were enroute to their home in Roseburg following a month's visit with relatives in the Carolinas and New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Turnidge and daughter, Carolyn, of Cutler City visited her mother, Mrs. Chris Kuntson, the last of the week.



Painting the name "Allen Field" on the rear of the press box in preparation for the coming State Softball Tournament are Sue Mikkelsen (left) and Barbara Barton.
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Have you ever "skittered" for pickerel, northern pike, or black bass when they are hiding beneath the lily pads in shallow water?

This method often brings the big boys to net, in early morning or late evening, when fly casting doesn't seem to be as effective. It has long been practiced to advantage in many sections of the South, and has been tried with excellent success in waters of the North.

Generally a 12 to 16 foot cane pole is used, with a stout linen line about half the length of the pole, a long-shank double-nelled hook of size 1/0, and a pork chunk, frog, or belly strip of perch for bait. You dabble and skitter this bait among the lily pad clusters, stumps, and protruding logs, and in the narrow set-backs. The fish dart up and smash into the bait, you set the hook firmly, steer the quarry away from entanglements, and play them until they are completely tuckered.

The object is to make the bait create a fuss or commotion, and incite the bass or pike into striking with a rush. Then you have to skilfully lead the fish away from the pads and into open water, or get hung up quickly.

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When you travel to the seashore this summer, be sure to take your regular bait and fly casting rigs. This tackle can be used with great success on many of the inshore fish, especially over the reefs and sand bars. Take large plugs and spoons, streamer flies, feathered jigs and big spinners. Also be sure to take a supply of the new Nylo-Trace, a nickel plated swivel and snap fastened to stainless steel wire 6, 9, or 12 inches in length covered with nylon.

For helpful dope on other tackle you will need for both salt and fresh water fishing, and when and where to catch the various game and pan fish, send for your free copies of Old Hi's illustrated booklets "Fishing For The Millions," "Salt Water Sports Fishing," and "Pacific Coastal Fishing." A postcard request, sent to me in care of this newspaper, will bring copies to you.

The last booklet also contains an informative section on how, when, and where to catch the different species of Pacific salmon, and anyone planning to visit the coast from California to Puget Sound and Vancouver, or who wishes to enter the popular salmon derbies, should have a copy of "Pacific Coastal Fishing."

When the lakes are "in bloom" during August, you should search for the lanes where the lake currents—set in motion by force of the winds—are strongest, for this action causes the water to be clearer in that area and instills more oxygen. Game fish may be located in those lanes, where they will be more active, and so your trolling efforts will meet with better results.

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Mr. and Mrs. Don Miley had as their guests this week, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Miley and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Fennell and daughter, Nadine, all from Long Beach, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Don Miley recently returned from Salem where he was attending summer school at Willamette university.

At the Warren Varcoe home over the weekend were her mother, Mrs. Rose Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bach and Joe Marriage, all from Portland.

Mrs. Gwen Schaer and Mrs. A. T. Barnhardt, teachers in the local grade school, returned Friday from Monmouth where they had attended summer school for the past six weeks.

Billie Mills of Newport has been at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kelle for the past two weeks.

Raymond (Pete) Smith who has been seriously ill and hospitalized in Salem, was brought home Thursday of last week, much improved.

Mrs. Marshall Lake of Portland spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her grandmother-in-law, Mrs. Lillie Lake. Mrs. Marshall Lake is employed in Portland while her husband is with the armed forces in Korea.

Mrs. Mabel Warmeth from Santa Rosa, Calif., and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kaylor of Molalla and daughter, Margaret Jane, were weekend guests at the Burrell Cole home.



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Game 1—Saturday
August 16, 4:30 p.m.

District 15 — CORVALLIS

Game 7—Sunday
August 17, 7:00 p.m.

District 6 — EUGENE

Game 2—Saturday
August 16, 5:45 p.m.

District 1 — OSWEGO

Game 11—Monday
August 18, 9:30 p.m.

District 8 — CENTRAL POINT

Game 3—Saturday
August 16, 8:00 p.m.

District 2 — TILLAMOOK

Game 8—Sunday
August 17, 8:30 p.m.

District 12 — NYSSA

Game 4—Saturday
August 16, 9:15 p.m.

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Game 14—Wednesday
August 20, 7:30 p.m.
(And Game 15—If needed, to follow)

Loser Game 1

Game 5—Sunday
August 17, 3:00 p.m.

Loser Game 2

Game 9—Monday
August 18, 7:00 p.m.

Loser Game 8

Game 12—Tuesday
August 19, 7:00 p.m.

Loser Game 3

Game 6—Sunday
August 17, 4:30 p.m.

Loser Game 4

Game 10—Monday
August 18, 8:15 p.m.

Loser Game 7

Game 13—Tuesday
August 19, 8:30 p.m.

Loser Game 11

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