

BASIN BRIEFS

MERRILL.
MRS. OTIS THOMPSON, her daughters, Kathleen and Kay, and daughter-in-law, Sherry, left by train for Stanley, Wis., to visit relatives. They plan to return by Sept. 1.

PETE FREDRICKSON and son, Dwayne, from Turner are guests of the Don Petersons. They will be here for about a week.

MRS. NELLIE ARNOLD fell some time ago and broke her arm. Her condition is satisfactory.

MRS. LUCKY FELT, her daughter, Donna Mae; son, Willard, and Barbara Jones were here to attend the wedding of Edwig and Sherry Parnell.

MR. AND MRS. LEONARD LISK, Jeanie and Larry, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Rodgers and family and Billy Thompson spent several days at Medicine Lake.

SANDY VAN METER from St. Helens has been visiting here with Jeannie Lisk.

MRS. BOB TROTMAN, Mark and Nancy, accompanied by their grandfather, Jess Trotman, have been to Portland. They visited with Mrs. Edith Gersten, mother of Mrs. Trotman. While there they also attended a gift show.

MR. AND MRS. CLIFF ONG. MAN and sons are on a week's vacation at Yellowstone Park.

MRS. DUNLEA, sister of Dennis Hickey, and her daughter, Rita, arrived here from Ireland. She attended her son's wedding in New York. She also visited a son in San Francisco.

MR. AND MRS. LAWSON KAN-

DRA took six children to Medicine Lake for several days. They were Judy Hayes, Glenna Deboy, Nancy Kandra, Kathy Kandra, Steve Kandra and Linda Seronice.

MR. AND MRS. CHUCK CUN- NINGHAM and children spent several days at Medicine Lake.

MRS. FORNEY SCRONE and Carl and Craig Fleck went to Medicine Lake for a few days.

STAR GAZER**
By CLAY R. TOLLAN
Your Daily Activity Guide
According to the Stars
To develop message for Tuesday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

ARIES	Taurus	Gemini	Cancer	Leo	Virgo
1-16-40-42-45-52-67	1-7-20-64-65-66-74	1-2-8-10-25-28-30-33-35	1-3-10-25-28-30-33-35	1-3-10-25-28-30-33-35	1-3-10-25-28-30-33-35
1-16-40-42-45-52-67	1-7-20-64-65-66-74	1-2-8-10-25-28-30-33-35	1-3-10-25-28-30-33-35	1-3-10-25-28-30-33-35	1-3-10-25-28-30-33-35
1-16-40-42-45-52-67	1-7-20-64-65-66-74	1-2-8-10-25-28-30-33-35	1-3-10-25-28-30-33-35	1-3-10-25-28-30-33-35	1-3-10-25-28-30-33-35

Both Vulnerable
North East South West
1-4-10-16-22-28-34-40-46-52-58-64-70-76-82-88-94-100
2-5-11-17-23-29-35-41-47-53-59-65-71-77-83-89-95-101
3-9-15-21-27-33-39-45-51-57-63-69-75-81-87-93-99-105
4-10-16-22-28-34-40-46-52-58-64-70-76-82-88-94-100
5-11-17-23-29-35-41-47-53-59-65-71-77-83-89-95-101
6-12-18-24-30-36-42-48-54-60-66-72-78-84-90-96-102
7-13-19-25-31-37-43-49-55-61-67-73-79-85-91-97-103
8-14-20-26-32-38-44-50-56-62-68-74-80-86-92-98-104
9-15-21-27-33-39-45-51-57-63-69-75-81-87-93-99-105
10-16-22-28-34-40-46-52-58-64-70-76-82-88-94-100
11-17-23-29-35-41-47-53-59-65-71-77-83-89-95-101
12-18-24-30-36-42-48-54-60-66-72-78-84-90-96-102

Growing Rental Business Turns Up Some Oddballs

NEW YORK (UPI) — If you don't own it, rent it. This slogan could be applied to almost anything from wigs to yachts, in these days of the booming rental service business.

If you have the money, you can rent the ballroom of a hotel, an art collection for your own enjoyment or to impress your friends, a mink coat, the decor as well as the caterer for a party, even a wedding gown and bridesmaids' dresses.

The rental business turns up some oddball information about its customers — there was, for instance, the man in Great Neck, N.Y. who feared that traffic would block him from making a plane, rented an ambulance to speed him to Idlewild Airport.

A Chicago office machine service rented a typewriter to a would-be author, but the machine was returned because the man claimed it did not inspire him.

A Long Island man rented a watch dog from a kennel, but the dog broke loose and returned to the kennel. While the man was at the kennel to pick up the dog again, his house was robbed.

A Providence, R.I. man, annoyed with a neighbor's child practicing the saxophone, rented a sax also — to get even. He became a musician and now teaches the youngster next door how to play.

A television repairman rented a motel room in Albany, N.Y. found that the television set needed service and took care of it. When he checked out, he handed

the room clerk a repair bill for the same amount as his room charge.

In Chicago, a night club strip teaser sued a costume rental firm when the zipper on her costume failed to work and she lost out on an audition.

A woman in Toledo, Ohio, rented a tent for her son's camping trip, but when he returned with poison ivy, she refused to pay the rental charge.

A Los Angeles woman rented a wig and won a marriage proposal.

For his son's birthday, a Trenton, N. J., man rented a pony to give the youngster and his playmates rides. The renter demanded that the stable owner re-seed his lawn after the wreckage from pony and party.

In a movie contest, a Brooklyn theater offered \$100 to the first person who could open a lock with a key. The theater rented the lock from a hardware store and gave away hundreds of keys to patrons. The first person in line opened the lock. He was the teenage son of the hardware store's owner.

Americans now use about 12 billion cubic feet of wood annually.

France Cool To Observer Post Idea

By PHIL NEWSOM
UPI Foreign News Analyst

Notes from the foreign news cables:

No Deal:
The French, who have refused to sign the partial nuclear test ban treaty, now also are confident that nothing will come of U.S. and Soviet talks aimed at setting up observer posts on both sides of the Iron Curtain frontier.

Two Governors Review Guard

FORT LEWIS, Wash. (UPI) — The governors of Oregon and Washington reviewed an estimated 6,000 officers and men of the Oregon — Washington National Guard today during the annual Governor's Day review ceremonies.

The ceremonies mark completion of the first half of the guard's two-week summer encampment.

Oregon Gov. Mark Hatfield awarded Col. John S. Panek of Portland the Faith Service award for the 30 years he has been with the guard.

Washington Gov. Albert D. Rosellini presented Col. Ronald Carter with the state's Legion of Merit for his 20 years of service with the guard.

in Germany to guard against surprise attacks. A first round of discussion in the NATO council last week showed West Germany and France cool to the idea. Several smaller NATO members are against any kind of direct Washington-Moscow deal.

The Mideast:
The French also see little serious danger that the latest outbreak between Israel and Syria will grow into a major conflict. They believe the Syrians and the Iraqis are interested mainly in pressuring U.A.R. President Gamal Abdel Nasser into showing his solidarity with the Baath-controlled governments in Damascus and Baghdad with which he has little real sympathy.

Spanish Bases:
Madrid expects developments shortly in U.S. and Spanish negotiations over U.S. military bases in Spain. The present 10-year pact ends Sept. 23. Spain is believed pressing for U.S. political support in a bid to enter the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. But Madrid observers are speculating that U.S. missile strength has reduced the importance of Spanish air bases and that the United States will not be willing to bid too high for them. Involved besides the air bases are the Polaris submarine base at Rota on the southwestern coast

and numerous smaller installations including posts for aircraft control and warning systems spotted throughout the nation.

Red China Shakeup:
Diplomatic reports out of Red China suggest that a major shakeup is in the making for the Peking government. Most likely to be affected, it is said, are those who map and guide Red China's foreign policy—not because of what they did but how they did it. These observers expect the Red Chinese hard line to be maintained but without some of the diplomatic credulities

that have become a trademark of many Chinese Communist diplomats.

Japan-Korea Relations:
Tokyo expects the South Korean military government to step up efforts for the resumption of normal diplomatic relations with Japan before the promised presidential and national assembly elections in Korea this fall. Successful conclusion of the protracted normalization talks between the two countries would be a feather in the cap of the military government and an accomplishment well worth exploiting in its election campaign.

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♥ K Q 2	♦ 9 7 5 4	
♣ Q 3	♠ A K 8 4	
WEST		EAST
♥ 7 5	♦ Q J 6	
♣ Q 10 3 2	♠ K J 8	
♦ 10 9 8 2	♠ K J 7 5	
♠ J 8 3	♠ Q 10 6	
SOUTH		
♥ A 10 8 4 3	♦ A 6	
♣ A 6 4	♠ 7 5 2	
Both Vulnerable		
North	East	South
1 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening lead—♦ 10		

South Plays So-So Hand

By OSWALD JACOBY
Newspaper Enterprise Assn.
Some of the best card play occurs in a hand that appears humdrum and prosaic.

South played the queen of diamonds from dummy and took East's king with his ace. The contract was not a lay down. In fact, South saw that he would probably have to lose a trick in each suit. But, if clubs would break properly for him and if the defense could be depended on to slip a trifle he saw a ray of hope.

Therefore, South led the seven of clubs at trick two and let it ride to East's queen. Most players would have cashed the jack of diamonds immediately, but East had not been hiding behind the door when brains were handed out. He realized that the diamond trick would keep, and that he had better attack hearts immediately. East led the eight of hearts.

South went right up with that ace and cashed the ace and king of trumps. Then he played three rounds of clubs. He hoped that East would ruff the last club, but East stayed out of that trap and merely discarded a diamond.

South got rid of his losing heart, but he still held two diamonds. He led a diamond from dummy, but it did him no good. East won with the jack; cashed his high trump and led a diamond to his partner.

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CARD Sense

Q—The bidding has been:
East South West North
1 ♠ 4 ♠ Pass 2 ♠
Pass 4 ♠ Pass 5 ♠
Pass 7

You, South, hold:
♠ A Q 8 7 ♥ A K 6 5 ♦ 4 3 ♣ 10 8 8 2
What do you do?
A—Bid five hearts. This does not take you past five spades, but is slightly more encouraging than a five-spade bid would be.

TODAY'S QUESTION
North continues with a bid of six diamonds. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

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