

TOPICS OF THE TOWN

James C. Caywood, ACMM, son of Mrs. A. E. Wood, was home for a week to visit his mother before leaving last Friday for Memphis, Tenn., to get his discharge from service. He will have completed 10 years in the navy, 18 months of that time being spent on war duty in the Pacific. He plans to return here the first of the coming month.

Ray Mills, who is attending summer school at the University of Oregon at Eugene, was home last week end. He is taking courses in public school building, basic school organization and audio-visual education. His classes will end about one and one-half weeks from now.

Tom Gosa, former employ of the Inman-Poulson Lumber company who worked here before 1929, was a visitor here late last week. He is residing now at Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Smith from Long Beach, California, will spend two weeks here visiting the H. A. Thackers. They arrived a week ago Sunday. Mrs. Smith is the former Betty Thacker.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Shipman and sons, Bill and Pete, and Mrs. Mossman spent the 4th of July at Aloha where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Robertson are the parents of a boy, Donald Ray, born early last Saturday morning at the Forest Grove hospital.

Mrs. Etta Warring and Mrs. Evelyn Waring have left for their home in Oakland, California, after visiting here with Mrs. Lulah E. Fullerton.

Joe Finnerty, former manager of the Safeway Store, was here over the week end visiting with Mrs. Fullerton and other friends. He is now located at Beaverton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bateman and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reichwein spent the July 4th week at Nes-kowin. They returned here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brickel spent July 4th and 5th there also.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sessman and children of Jewell visited in Vernonia the 4th of July at the home of Mr. Sessman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sessman.

Rev. and Mrs. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Roswurm, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston and Mrs. Dent were July 4th dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Kate McDonald.

Our Great America *by Mack*

ONE TREE WILL MAKE A MILLION MATCHES.—ONE MATCH WILL BURN A MILLION TREES! MORE FOREST FIRES ARE STARTED BY SMOKERS THAN ANY OTHER SINGLE CAUSE. (MORE THAN 25% OF FOREST FIRES IN AMERICA ARE TRACEABLE TO CARELESS SMOKERS.)

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Mr. and Mrs. Emil Messing entertained four couples at their home with a dinner July 4th. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hartzell, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hartzell, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sturdevant and Ellen Hanlon and Jack Shortridge. The party spent that evening at Hillsboro.

Mrs. Ollie Roberts, who has been ill for the past five weeks, is showing considerable improvement the past few days, it is reported.

Mrs. John Rosa, mother of Bud Borton, is recovering satisfactorily from a recent serious operation which she underwent three weeks ago Tuesday at the Good Samaritan hospital.

Mrs. Nettie Alley, assistant nurse officer in the U. S. public health service, arrived here Monday to spend about three weeks visiting friends in this part of the state. She is stationed at Cheyenne, Wyoming, and is acting as tuberculosis nursing consultant for that state. Miss Alley was formerly county nurse for Columbia county and has many friends in this area.

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Will Duggins of Bakersfield, California, left Tuesday after a three-week visit with his sister, Mrs. Robert Spencer. He also visited old-time friends and enjoyed fishing and clam digging. Mr. Duggins plans to stop and visit other friends and relatives on his way home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGown entertained on the 4th for Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Christensen, Mrs. Olive Powell, Ernest Herman, Mrs. Edna Brose, who is staying with the McGowns, and John Peterson, brother-in-law of Mrs. Brose from Houston, Texas. A chicken dinner was served.

A picnic was a July 4th event for the Fowler family and friends. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Hal Fowler and sons, Melvin and Rex, Ben Fowler, Lucille Chambers and son, Allen, Mrs. Maeva M. Peters and children, Tommy and Joan, Andy Brimmer, Ruth Brownlee and daughters Marua and La-Vonna, from Gaston, Mr. and Mrs. John Winslow and children, Jack, Esther, Alline and Beverly, of Birkenfeld, and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Blehm and sons, Dickie and Jimmie, from Oregon City.

Mrs. H. W. Sherman, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred J. Tousley, will leave Friday for Chicago. Upon completion of her visit there she will return to her home at McAlester, Oklahoma.

Sic John Wilcoxon received his discharge from the navy Saturday at the personnel separation center at Bremerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. Mike White attended the funeral of Albert Hall at Nehalem Saturday. He is the brother of Mrs. Ruby Smith, and Mrs. Edna White and an uncle to Mr. Fuller and Mr. White.

Mrs. Russell Thompson and Mrs. Helen Fuller took Mrs. Maude Sollin to Portland Tuesday where she will take care of her daughter and the new granddaughter who are coming home from the hospital Friday. The new arrival is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Carlson who lived here. Mrs. Carlson is Mrs. Thompson's sister.

Floyd Weidfog of Rockaway spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike West last week.

Visitors at the R. S. Merckling home Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith of Alameda, California, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Alstat and son, John, of Oxnard, California, Mrs. Marian Hall and Mrs. Esther Corder of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mahar.

Mrs. Ed Frazee and Betty Lou and Jim left early this week for Stayton where they will pick beans.

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Richard Hagen, brother of Mrs. H. H. Sturdevant, stopped here part of Monday and Tuesday to visit before continuing to his home at Roseburg. He had just returned from Minnesota, his and Mrs. Sturdevant's home state, and reported that crops were flourishing in that region.

Mrs. Laura Brimmer of Seattle, mother of Harold and Andy Brimmer, arrived Tuesday for a short visit with friends and relatives.

Holiday Week End Guest Named

MIST—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lane were here from Roseburg during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Wills from Seattle, and Mr. and Mrs. Chet Alexander from Vernonia, visited their mother, Mrs. I. E. Knowles, during the week end.

Mrs. Austin Dowling and son, Bernard, spent the 4th at Long Beach, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keaton, and Elsie, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kinsel and baby all from Roseburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Keaton were guests at the Bridgers' home during the week. They all went to Seaside, leaving for home Saturday.

The L. P. Wickstrom family spent the 4th at Seaside.

Shady Lane was in the village Saturday.

Wayne Kyser is working at Hebo. He was here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Garlock and Mrs. Bern Bliss visited Sunday, with their parents, the Ray and W. M. Garlocks. The guests live near Tillamook.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Batson

spent part of last week with their daughter at Alesa.

Mrs. Eva Murphy is working at Clatskanie.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodger Quarin are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter at the Clatskanie hospital.

Sunday guests at the Austin Dowling home were Mrs. J. L. Dowling of Portland, and Cal. Atcherson of Seattle, relatives of the Austin Dowlings.

Mrs. J. Houry spent a few days last week in Seaside, Mr. Houry going down after her the 4th.

There may not be a cough in a carload but the spark from a carelessly thrown cigarette can be plenty irritating. When in your car, use the ashtray; when walking, grind out the butt in mineral earth or rocks. KEEP OREGON GREEN.

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