

FATHER OF OREGON TRAIL WOMAN ILL

OREGON TRAIL, July 28—Mrs. B. F. Rookstool was called to Greeley, Colorado because of the serious illness of her father.

The Merry Matrons club met Wednesday afternoon, July 20 with

Marie Holmes as hostess. The afternoon was spent finishing the scrapbook. Eight members were present. Roll call was answered by "My Favorite magazine and suggestions for club improvement." One of the suggestions was adopted. Starting with the next meeting the hostess will furnish a door prize. In a guessing game Alberta Bowen and Gladys Byers received prizes. Lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Opal Holmes. The next meeting will be held August 3, with Opal Holmes as hostess. Roll Call will be answered by "Famous Quotations."

Kenneth Ritter of King Hill, Idaho is visiting at the Elmer Olson home.

Mrs. Leah Curran, who has been ill, is able to be up.

Bill Holliday of Ukiah, Oregon visited at the P. G. Holmes home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bowen and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Cleaver picnicked at Vale Sunday

and attended the Junior Legion baseball game.

Harley Tucker of Joseph was a dinner guest Thursday at the P. G. Holmes home.

KOLONY RESIDENTS ATTEND PICNIC

KINGMAN KOLONY, July 28—Mr. and Mrs. N. P. French attended a picnic at the K. S. and D. ranch by the Sunshine club of Arcadia community. Mrs. French was the only charter member of the club present.

Shirley Sparks spent the weekend at Weiser as a guest of Jean Dille.

Ardyce Hurst of Boise spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hurst. She is doing stenographic work in connection with the veterans vocational agriculture program.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ratigan were pleasantly surprised by a visit from Mr. and Mrs. Hank Clausen of Seattle and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Weaver of Caldwell Thursday evening. On Sunday the Ratigan family visited in Caldwell at the Beaver home. Mrs. Hank Clausen is a cousin of Mr. Ratigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Toombs were supper guests at the Jim Phifer home Sunday evening.

The Kolony 4-H Riding club took their horses to Nyssa for the three days of the rodeo. They rode in the parade and the grand entry each evening and presented a drill Thursday evening.

Art Sparks combined for Gregory Thiel Monday.

Mrs. J. G. Lane and Mrs. Lillie Bach were among the friends who attended the open house at Earl Winn's new home. Modern in design, with a beautiful view of the river, it is one of the most charming of the new homes in this vicinity.

Here From Idaho Falls—

Mrs. Arthur L. Harker and infant son, Robert, of Idaho Falls spent the week-end visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ruth Anderson. Mrs. Anderson and son, Lee, took Mrs. Harker home.

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COLUMBIA FARMERS ARE STACKING HAY

COLUMBIA AVE., July 28—Mrs. Pete Van Oord and Mrs. Dick Stam of Oregon Trail spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Jake Groot of Arcadia.

Rikus van Twist, who has been visiting relatives and friends here, returned last week to his home in Milwaukee, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Groot and Mrs. Kris van Zelf called on relatives in this community Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Z. Davidson of Parma entertained the members of the pinochle club Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Dick Groot held high score, Jake Groot, low. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

C. M. Tensen was a business visitor in Ontario last week.

Mrs. Joe Stam of Nyssa called on friends in this community Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Weatherspoon were in Ontario Monday. Their youngest son, who has been a patient in the Ontario hospital, returned home with them.

Mrs. Darwin Jensen and her sister, Miss Montgomery of Ontario, were in Adrian Friday.

Farmers of this community started digging potatoes and are baling their second crop of alfalfa.

Mrs. Joe Stam of Nyssa and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Groot called on Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pratt of Newell Heights Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Edward C. Larson was in Ontario Wednesday.

POTATO MEN STUDY WAREHOUSE COSTS

BOISE, IDAHO. (Special)—The Idaho potato industry coordinating committee suggested at a meeting in Boise July 12 that a study of warehouse costs in handling potatoes be made as an aid in determining the amount the federal government should allow for marketing expenses in fixing price support.

Such a survey would include various marketing expenses such as sacking, sorting, and loading into cars.

Method of making the study is to be considered further by members of the committee.

The committee went on record in favor of exporting B grade potatoes, providing they are accompanied by a certificate showing they are not to be released in commercial channels in the United States. The committee felt that such an assurance would eliminate interference with normal movement of the Idaho potato crop.

After discussion of several methods of maturing potatoes before harvest the committee postponed recommendations or conclusions until another meeting.

Return From Trip—

Mr. and Mrs. Glea Billings have returned from a week's vacation spent in San Francisco and Sacramento. En route home they stopped at the Yosemite National park.

Fireside Chat Held—

The young people of the L. D. S. second ward held a fireside meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rosel Hunter after church services last Sunday night. Mrs. Thurn Baker, Mutual president, talked on the 102nd anniversary of the Mormon pioneers crossing the plains and entering Salt Lake valley. The Misses Noni Child, Belva Hunter and Cleo Flinders served refreshments to 22 guests.

Visitors Leave—

Mrs. E. C. Logan and Miss Patricia Logan, who have been visiting for the past two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hennaman, left last Friday for their home in Springfield, Nebraska. Mr. and Mrs. Hennaman and Jill and their guests spent a week at the beach at Newport, Oregon.

SYNOPSIS OF ANNUAL STATEMENT
for the year ended December 31, 1948, of the COLUMBIA CASUALTY COMPANY, of the State of New York, made to the insurance commissioner of the state of Oregon, pursuant to law.

INCOME	
Net premiums received	\$6,565,494.10
Total interest, dividends and real estate income	351,042.57
Income from other sources	56,759.21
Total income	\$6,973,295.88
DISBURSEMENTS	
Net amount paid for losses	\$2,888,625.51
Loss adjustment expenses	622,866.21
Underwriting expenses	2,828,079.68
Dividends paid to stockholders (C.S.A.B.)	None
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders	None
All other expenditures (including investment expenses, \$7,910.49)	43,725.61
Total disbursements	\$6,283,417.01
ADMITTED ASSETS	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	None
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	None
Value of bonds owned (amortized)	\$8,795,647.78
Value of stocks owned (market value)	2,271,700.00
Cash in banks and on hand	1,048,814.09
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1948	\$62,856.01
Interest and rents due and accrued	43,536.55
Other assets (net)	929,024.87
Total admitted assets	\$14,951,579.30
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Total unpaid claims	\$ 6,891,400.11
Estimated loss adjustment expenses for unpaid claims	30,000.00
Total unearned premiums	3,606,310.80
All other liabilities	463,214.35
Total liabilities	\$10,990,925.26
Capital paid up	1,000,000.00
Special surplus funds	None
Unassigned funds (surplus)	2,960,654.01
Surplus as regards policyholders	3,960,654.01
Total	\$14,951,579.30
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Net premiums received	\$54,144.53
Net losses paid	27,551.52
Dividends paid or credited to policyholders	None
Principal office in Oregon: JAK, McL WOOD, WEST & CO., 625 FAIRBANK Bldg., Portland, Oregon.	

Here From California—

Mrs. Curtis Foster and son, Charles, of North Hollywood, California arrived in Nyssa last week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bratton, and other relatives for a month. Accompanying Mrs. Curtis to Nyssa were Mrs. William Botham and children of San Bernardino who will visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Hilda Tensen.

SALE CALENDAR

PUBLIC DAIRY SALE—6 miles south of Weiser on the Oregon side or 12 miles north of Ontario on highway 30, then ¼ mile south. Sale starts 1 p. m., Thursday, August 4; 22 cattle and some dairy equipment. Cold drinks, etc., on the grounds. Terms—Cash. Ross Harvey, owner. Cois. Bert Anderson and Joe Church, auctioneers; L. H. Fritts, clerk.

PUBLIC FARM SALE—8 miles north of Payette on Oregon Slope

2 miles north of community hall, 1 mile east and ¼ mile north. Sale starts 1:00 p. m., Wednesday, August 3, 1949. Horses, machinery, and cattle, and miscellaneous articles. Terms—Cash. Lunch served on grounds. Auctioneers. Cois. Bert Anderson and Joe Church; L. H. Fritts, clerk; John L. Campbell, owner.

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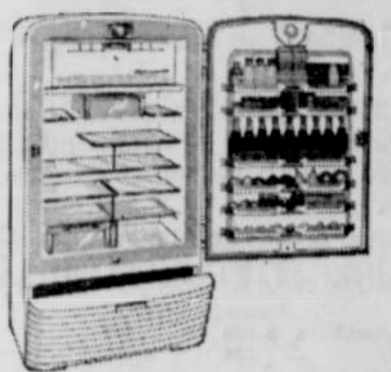
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