

Mrs. Leota Ditty's Health Improves

SUNSET VALLEY, Jan. 5—Mrs. Leota Ditty, who has been confined to her home since November, has improved greatly. Her first outing was Monday when she was a dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ditty. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Helmer Hintz of Payette, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hintz and family, and John Reeves. Mrs. Reeves is visiting at present in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wilson and sons were supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reed Saturday evening. Dave Wilson was an overnight guest at the James Robb home Tuesday while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wilson, attended the square

dance in Adrian. More and more couples in the valley are joining the square-dancing groups this season. T. Sandy arrived Thursday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Gregg, for a visit over the New Year holiday week-end. Mr. Sandy is recuperating from a recent stay in the hospital.

Pattie Ann Howard and her brother, Jerry, remained after Christmas to spend a week visiting at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cash Turner. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Howard of Bates, Oregon drove back for New Year's, visiting overnight and taking the children home with them the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wolfe and daughters were guests at the Burl Collins home Saturday. Miss Kathleen Wolfe of Nampa, sister of Mr. Wolfe, was also present as she had been a houseguest at the Collins home for several days. Miss Wolfe has made a remarkable recovery from her injuries sustained in the auto-train collision some time ago.

Gabriel Astoreca and Wallace Rataeyk visited Louie Astoreca in Boise Thursday at the veteran's hospital, and in the evening attended the annual Basque ball in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Parker and children of Roseburg and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lorensen drove to Boise and Caldwell Wednesday. They visited Mrs. Earl Leach, former Sunset valley resident. The

Parker family returned to their home Friday after visiting a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lorensen.

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Holiday guests at the Wilbur Chapin home included Tom Crow, of Pendleton, who arrived Tuesday for the holiday week, and Jim Wolcott arriving Friday. The group spent one day visiting in Nampa.

Sunday dinner guests at the Chapin home also included the Kenneth Lorensen family, beside the visiting houseguests. Their daughter, Miss Beth Chapin returned the first of the week to Madras, where she is teaching, and Tom Crow returned to La Grande, where he is attending college.

Mrs. Anna Gregg and son, Herschell Gregg, and his children moved into Mrs. Gregg's new home on her farm in Sunset valley last week.

C. T. Okano's children, who had attended the wedding of their sister in Portland and visited their parents, have separated for another few months. Miss Chiyu Okano left for her work in Chicago Sunday, college at Pullman, and Tets and Yoko returned to Oregon State college.

Kathrine Mittleider and her brother Howard of Meridian visited Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Rataeyk.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rataeyk entertained at dinner on New Year's day in their home. Besides Wallace Rataeyk and the families of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rataeyk and M. A. Rataeyk, a special guest was Mrs. Harold Park of Albany, Oregon, sister of Frank, who is visiting at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bowns, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Skeen, Mr. and Mrs. Ersel Beus, and Mrs. Anna West enjoyed a theater party Wednesday evening and late supper at the home of Mrs. Anna West. Master Robert Bowns celebrated his seventh birthday by taking his friend, Lee Ray Beus, to the theater Tuesday. Youngsters in the valley have enjoyed and taken advantage of the matinee shows held in Nyssa during the holiday week.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. Kikuchi of Tappanish, Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Okana and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arral at Jamieson. Mr.

and Mrs. Kikuchi, who had spent a week visiting their daughter, Mrs. Okano, remained at Jamieson to visit their daughter, Mrs. Arral.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Field of Sunset, Utah, arrived Monday to visit relatives for several days. They visited at the home of their sister, Mrs. Chester Bowns.

The newly-wedded couple, Mr. and Mrs. Tai Punutake, visited Monday and Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Punutake's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Okano. The bride, Nobu, is a dietitian at Oregon State college at Corvallis. The groom is a senior at the college. The couple were married December 20 at the First Baptist church in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Woolley are visiting for a week in Utah.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Strickland and daughter were Sunday dinner guests at the Wyatt Smith home. Mr. and Mrs. La Varr Hawkins and son were also present.

Mrs. Stanley Reffett and three children of Nampa had Sunday dinner at the John Reffett home and were overnight guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reffett of John Day arrived Tuesday to spend a week at the John Reffett home. Jack is recuperating from an appendicitis operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Hite and family returned Tuesday to their home in Haines. Leaving the same day were John Reffett and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Hill, who were going to the Hite home to visit and also do some elk hunting.

The Leslie Ditty family of Ontario were overnight guests Sunday at the home of Mrs. Leota Ditty.

John Raffett purchased a pair of tiny hamsters last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Albritton of Elgin, who spent the Christmas holidays at the Ira Price home, left Thursday for their home. Accompanying them were Mr. and Mrs. Ira Price, who were planning to continue on to Wallawa to visit at the home of Mrs. Price's brother, Ray Shiveley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gregg and Fred Klingback accompanied a group of young people to Arcadia Friday evening to attend the monthly meeting of the Malheur County Sunday School Association. Rev. R. G. Chandler of Caldwell was to be present for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cooper and Miss Mertrude King were dinner guests Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Snyder at Melba. Special guests at the Snyder home were Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Maxwell and family, who had just arrived from Nebraska, having been delayed en route by blizzards in Wyoming. Mrs. Maxwell is a sister of Mrs. Cooper and Mr. Snyder. Mrs. Cooper had not seen her sister for 3 years.

Special supper guests of Miss Vera Faye Council at the O. P. Council home Monday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Startin and Gene McKee. After supper, the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Startin and Miss Council and Mr. McKee drove to Nyssa, where the unsuspecting couple were seized by a group of charivariers.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Benson and daughter of Madras, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cleaver and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fivecoat and family were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis in Nampa. The Bensons were Sunday overnight guests at the Cleaver home, returning to Madras Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Fivecoat are planning on moving to their new home in Madras by January 15.

Fred and his brother, Hank Kollen, both of Madras, were guests at the home of their sister, Mrs. Leo Chard, four days last week. The Kollen boys, who formerly lived on the present Okano place, visited many friends and neighbors in the valley while here. Hank is the owner of a new Ford coupe.

Here From Hillsboro—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baldwin and Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Gates of Hillsboro are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fischer. Mrs. Baldwin is a sister to Mr. Fischer.

Visit In California—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burningham and family spent part of the holidays visiting in Salt Lake City with relatives. They went on to California, before returning to their home in Nyssa.

Parents Of Son—Mr. and Mrs. Jim Aston, former Nyssa residents, are the parents of a boy, Scott Jay, 7 pounds, 15 ounces, who was born December 27. Aston was graduated from Brigham Young university at Logan this winter.



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- 1 Red shorthorn cow, 6 yrs. old, giving 4 1/2 gallons.
 - 1 Jersey cow, 6 yrs., giving 5 gal.
 - 1 Holstein cow, 4 yrs., due to calve Mar. 28.
 - 1 Guernsey cow, 2 yrs., milking now.
 - 1 Black Jersey cow, 3 yrs., milking now.
 - 1 Guernsey cow, 2 yrs., milking now.
 - 1 Black whiteface cow, 2 yrs., milking now.
 - 1 Red whiteface cow, 2 yrs., milking now.
 - 1 Jersey heifer, 2 yrs., heavy springer.
 - 1 Holstein heifer, 2 yrs., springer.
 - 1 Holstein heifer, coming 2, springer.
 - 1 Guernsey heifer, coming 2, springer.
- These cows are all recently T. B. and abortion tested.

- 1 Hereford-Shorthorn heifer, yearling.
 - 1 Angus heifer, yearling.
 - 1 Jersey heifer, short yearling.
 - 2 Holstein heifers, short yearlings.
 - 7 Guernsey heifers, 5 months to yearling.
 - 1 Black whiteface heifer, 5 months.
- All these heifers are vaccinated.
Public invited to come see this herd before sale date.

- 1 Whiteface bull calf, 6 months.
- 1 Whiteface bull calf, 3 months.
- 1 Registered roan Shorthorn bull, 15 months, papers furnished.
- 1 Gray horse, 7 yrs. old, wt. 1700.
- 1 Sorrel mare, 6 yrs. old, wt. 1600.
- 2 Sets of harness and collars.
- 14 Hampshire red pullets.
- 11 White Rock pullets, now laying.
- 1 1939 model C. A. C. tractor with hang-on plow.

- 1 12-foot tractor buck rake, new.
- 1 Jenkins horse buck rake.
- 1 Overshot stacker.
- 1 5-foot Case horse mower.
- 1 9-foot McCormick dump rake.
- 1 I. H. C. manure spreader.
- 1 John Deere 2-section harrow.
- 1 Rose corrugator.
- 1 12-hole grain drill.
- 1 16-inch John Deere 2-way horse plow.
- 1 8-foot John Deere disc. 1 6-foot disc.
- 1 John Deere corn cultivator.
- 1 1-hole John Deere corn sheller.
- 1 Fertilizer attachment for corn planter.
- 1 Iron-wheel wagon and rack.
- 1 Double-wing ditcher. 1 8x16 float.
- 1 5-shovel 1-horse cultivator.
- 1 5-shovel hand garden cultivator.
- 2 International electric fences.
- 1 Roll of new hog wire. 1 Roll of roofing.
- 1 1000-pound self-feeder.
- 2 4x16 portable feed-racks. 1 Gas barrel.
- 1 rubber-tired milk cart.
- 4 10-gal. milk cans, strainer and pails.
- 100 feet of garden hose.
- 1 1934 Chevrolet truck, short wheelbase.
- 1 Norge refrigerator.
- 1 A. B. C. spinner washer.
- 1 Table model radio.
- 1 Dining table and 4 chairs.
- 1 Davenport and chair. 1 Writing desk.
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