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THIS AND THAT

By H. L. D.

Since so many people seem to be interested in our plans for building a new house, it appears that we have a ready-made continued story for this column for the next few weeks in telling just what a couple of amateurs go through in their first attempt at a new home.

The site we have purchased is at Sauk, about a block down the railroad track from Frank McGovern's store. Instead of making the turn towards Rockport, you take the old county road straight ahead. A railroad sign "Montview" marks the stop and our new house will be just above the road at the sign.

We fell in love with the location because we have a beautiful view of the river and Mount Sauk. Other nice features are many old fruit trees which are still bearing; a year-around stream that flows thru an ideal picnic grove behind the house; and enough cleared land to give lots of breathing space.

The house is going to be a log cabin, simply built with beam ceilings and fireplace. Used to big rooms we decided on only three rooms to fit what we wanted into the size house we could afford. A combined living room, dining room and kitchen will take up most of the space, with a big bedroom and bath completing the home. A car port with a utility room will round out the building. We already have a cute little cedar woodshed and another shingled building to make use of on the place.

The log house idea is something new in this area and its progress is due to draw a lot of interest. We have been busy up to now with details of getting a water system, lights, foundation, etc. After several false starts we think we are now making progress. The foundation is now started and work on the house should start some time before the first of the month.

Bill Bailey Comes Home

William Bailey, whose sudden departure for Firlands Sanatorium a few weeks ago, shocked his many friends here, was back in town this week to resume life as usual. The series of tests given him at the sanatorium proved that he did not have tuberculosis.

The possibility of TB showed up in a routine X-ray for a bad cold. Immediate hospitalization is the rule in such cases until tests can be made to prove further treatment necessary.

Another local resident, Martin Spargo, is now undergoing the same tests, and it is hoped will find the same happy result.

Represent Skagit 4-H

Miss Donna Lea Eldridge of Marblemount will be one of the 4-H Club members to represent this county at the 4-H State Fair at Yakima this year. She will participate in the State Dress revue and will leave September 30th with the judging team. The fair will be strictly a 4-H Fair for club members and leaders only.

Auction Planned

Got anything saleable and useable around your place that you don't want? If so notify the Rural Fire District commissioners, Albert Frank, B. G. Gregory or Ben Weir. They are planning a big auction in the near future and can use a wide variety of material for it. Proceeds from the sale will go to swell the fund for fire equipment for the rural district.

Daughter To Marry

Announcements were received here last week of the marriage on September 27th of Miss Billie Harndon of Eugene, Oregon to Mr. James Brewster Monson. The wedding will be held in the St. Mary's Episcopal church in that city.

Dr. Bergholz Leaves

Dr. Warren Bergholz, who has been associated with Dr. Monzingo at the Concrete Clinic, moved last week to Bellingham where he will enter practice and make his future home.

Don Eldridge Speaks At Concrete Lions Club

Don Eldridge, state representative, was the speaker at the Lions Club meeting last night. His topic was "You and Your Community" and he outlined the reasons why service clubs are important to a community and why work on civic projects is rewarding to the individual.

He cited the case of the Dalles bridge, a local Lions Club project, as an outstanding example of what can be done when an idea arouses public interest. As a sidelight to his talk he gave the club a detailed story of just how the recent bill for purchase of the Dalles Park went through the legislature. The interesting part was the number of times the bill had to be read or referred out of various committees before final passage.

Start Boom For Mountain Road

Representatives of Skagit, Snohomish and Whatcom county civic bodies met Monday night in Mount Vernon as guests of the Mount Vernon Chamber of Commerce to prepare a program to be presented at the state Good Roads Association meeting in Aberdeen this week end.

As an outcome the group prepared a resolution asking for immediate construction of a north cross-state highway through Skagit county to the Okanogan valley. Other projects endorsed were a roadway from Anacortes to March's Point (site of the new oil refinery) across Fidalgo Bay; and a proposal of a merger of the state toll bridge authority with the highway commission for more efficient use of highway dollars.

Sig Hjaltalin, mayor of Bellingham, acted as chairman of the meeting.

Sig Berglund of Sedro-Woolley presented the case for the cross-state highway with facts as to the need of such a road because of the rapid growth of this area. He also added the argument that the northern 40 per cent of the state is without a single mountain pass highway.

Route of the road and the pass to be used will be left up to the state highway department. All the group will seek is legislative appropriations for immediate completion of the highway.

Trio Accused Of Entering Rockport Home Illegally

Ida Sam, Len Watson and Wilfred Sam of Rockport have been charged with breaking and entering the home of Lester Morgan of that community. The case came out of a complaint by Mr. Morgan alleging that the trio had broken into his house one day this week and removed a number of articles.

Ida Sam and Len Watson have been arrested and placed in the county jail on \$300.00 bail. Wilfred Sam is being sought and was still at large yesterday. The trial has been set for September 23rd in the court of Judge H. Follman of Mt. Vernon.

Hospital Shower

Mrs. Ray Johnson of Rockport and her triplet sons, Robert, Richard and Russell, were honored before leaving the Skagit General hospital with a shower given by the nurses and Dorothy Ross. The nurses dining room was the setting for the gathering.

The baby boys, born at the hospital August 20th, were presented with three bassinets trimmed with blue plastic bows, name rings and blue receiving blankets along with numerous other gifts.

4-H CLUB NEWS

Monday evening, September 14, the Lucky Fours met at the home of Donna Johnson. The girls discussed what articles they should make to complete their projects.

The projects and record books are to be completed by the first of October. Mrs. Ed Johnson served refreshments to the girls before they went home. The next meeting is to be at the home of Erva Vae Scott on September 28th.

Dorothea Theodoratus has been admitted to the University of Washington and will study there this term.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoover were visiting at the H. H. Hoover home over the week end.

Mrs. Clarence Butler returned home from a visit with relatives in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brooks left Tuesday for a visit in West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Eckerson and children were visiting in Seattle over the week end.

Mrs. Sadie Van Cleave visited last week with relatives in Anacortes.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Phillips were in Mount Vernon Saturday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stafford and children spent Sunday visiting at Alger.

Mr. and Mrs. George Day and children were visiting at Vancouver, B. C. Sunday.

Mrs. Sue Gardner of Marysville is visiting with her sister Mrs. Riley Crooks for a few days.

Mrs. Vern Craft, Mrs. Loren Scott and Mrs. Ted Boyd were shopping in Bellingham on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Meyer spent Friday visiting with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warren of Auburn.

J. E. St. John drove down to Sedro-Woolley Wednesday afternoon to bring John Whitehair home from the Memorial hospital where he has been receiving medical care.

Birthday Surprise Party

Mrs. Frank McGovern was the honor guest at a surprise birthday party held at her home at Sauk Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. McGovern had been on a three day trip to Vancouver, B. C. and on their return home found about 30 friends and neighbors gathered on the back lawn with a big picnic supper spread out and waiting. The group presented Mrs. McGovern with a large mirror as a birthday gift.

Marriage License

Grant M. Conrad of Sauk and Navah E. Radesdale of Sedro-Woolley have applied for a license to wed at the county auditor's office in Mount Vernon recently.

The Annual Roll Call for Members of Concrete Rebekah Lodge No. 226 will be held at the next regular meeting, September 22nd at 8:00 p. m.

Historical Highlights of Washington's First 100 Years

Compiled By Dr. Keith Murray
WESTERN WASHINGTON COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, BELLINGHAM
for WASHINGTON TERRITORIAL CENTENNIAL
Sponsored By WASHINGTON STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY, TACOMA

What Was The Dispatching Of "Remarkable Reports" From Washington Territory?

At the front of the fight for Washington Territory's right to statehood in the 'eighties was Governor Watson C. Squire—famed as the "reporting" governor.

And two years after Squire died as territorial governor, enough settlers and attention had been directed to the Northwest that Congress was urged to grant Statehood.

Chief credit for spurring interest in Washington's admittance as a state has been given by historians between Squire and the railroads.

One of the duties of the territorial governor was to dispatch reports to the Secretary of the Interior, a duty that had been long neglected. The term of Gov. Squire was a notable exception.

His most comprehensive report on the Territory of Washington was described by the Secretary of Interior as one of the first ever written. The national government printed 5,000 copies of this report an edition which was soon exhausted.

The Squire report was prepared from facts sent him by officials of the territorial counties, chambers of commerce and railroads. Also included in detail were descriptions of Washington geology and bird and plant life.

A second report also attracted widespread interest. The Squire administration ended in 1887 and Washington became a state in 1889.

Number From Here On October Jury Panel

Seventy-five residents of Skagit county were notified this week of their selection to serve as petit jurors for the October term of the Skagit superior court which opens October 6th.

Those called from this district include Dora McGovern, Howard Boulton, Viridelle Gates, Herbert M. Prater, Rudolph Johnson, Lucille Carroll, and Clarence Butler of Concrete; and Myra Benton of Rockport.

SALMON BARBECUE SUNDAY, SEPT. 20th

Like barbecued salmon? Well, you can get your fill of this tasty dish prepared by experts at the Salmon Barbecue to be held this Sunday afternoon, Sept. 20th, at the Rockport gym. The meal will be served from one o'clock until four.

The barbecue has been an annual affair of the Cascade Club ladies at Rockport and this year the proceeds will go toward the Bellingham Orthopedic hospital. Tickets can be obtained from any of the Rockport women in advance, or can be purchased at the gym Sunday.

Past dinners have proven so popular that another huge crowd is expected to eat Sunday dinner at Rockport this week end.

Opening Game At Lake Stevens

The Northwest Tri-County "B" league of football will open tomorrow for all teams in the league except Oak Harbor. The Oaks got a bit of a jump on the rest with a practice game against Anacortes last Friday night, being trimmed 20 to 7, and will open their league play next week.

Concrete plays Friday night at Lake Stevens. LaConner entertains Langley. Monroe will play host to Granite Falls. Twia City will play at Sultan.

Few advance reports have been circulated about the various teams although Oak Harbor is rated high in reserve strength from last year. The opening games will probably show just what the fans can expect in the way of title contenders.

Coach Christensen has a good starting line-up of veterans, but is not too sure yet of what he will have on the bench to back them up. The Lake Stevens game tomorrow night will give him an opportunity to size up his game strength for the Sultan contest here on October 2nd.

Hunters Find Crashed Plane On Sulphur Mt.

Hunters hiking over Sulphur Mountain near Darrington yesterday reported finding a single-engine military plane containing two skeletons, wrecked at the 7,000 foot level of the mountain. They reported the wreckage of the plane in color and then found an emergency kit with letters RCAF on it near the scene.

American and Canadian air force personnel are now checking to determine the identity of the aircraft. The hunters estimated that the accident occurred three or four years ago.

To Decide on Hospital

at Meeting Monday Night

The big public meeting on the subject of a emergency hospital for Concrete and the upper valley has been called for next Monday night, September 21st, at 8:00 at the grade school auditorium. At this meeting it will be determined whether or not the people of the upper valley are sufficiently interested to go ahead with organizational plans and start working for funds to make the hospital a reality.

As public reaction is the key factor in the meeting Monday, all communities in the upper valley are requested to have representatives present to hear the story and give their own viewpoints upon need of a hospital.

The facts of the case will be presented by the hospital guild, after which a general discussion will be held with an opportunity for asking questions and presenting any arguments for or against the plan.

The last meeting drew a crowd of about fifty. To make a fair decision at least three times this many should be present Monday evening.

Sheriff's Poses To Hold Competition Sunday

The Skagit County Sheriff's posse will play host to posers from Island, Whatcom, Clallam and Snohomish counties this coming Sunday, Sept. 20th at the Skagit Valley Riding Club grounds four miles west of Mount Vernon on the Anacortes highway. The program for the day is a competition between the posers and individual members in various riding events. All this adds up to a fine show, which will be free and open to the public.

The show will open at noon with the grand entry parade by all the posers in full uniform. This will be followed by ten-minute drills by each of the various groups, plus a number of competitions between various teams. There will be a pole-bending contest; a bareback relay; a posse relay; a back-up race; 440 yard race, trailer loading contest; and 220 yard race.

All posse members will ride the same horse in competition as ridden in the grand entry. Drill teams will be scored for points and ribbons awarded to 1st, 2nd and 3rd. A trophy will be awarded to the Posse collecting the largest number of points during the meet.

H. C. Lisherness of this city will be one of the Skagit County Poses appearing in the competition.

P. T. A. Seeking New President For Year

The local Parent-Teacher Association has run into difficulty in getting started this year through the enforced resignation of Mrs. Alvin Harris, president. Mrs. Harris will be unable to take over the duties of the office due to illness.

Under the normal procedure this resignation would make Stanley Brown, vice president, her successor, but he feels that the president should be one of the parents rather than a teacher. As a result the executive board will meet at the new high school to discuss the problem and to select a new president for the coming year.

With this accomplished the regular meetings will begin soon.

Many More Trout Go Into Favorite Fishing Streams

Fish planting activity continued last week in the upper valley with sportsmen collaborating with the game department in setting out a lot of good trout fishing for the future.

Upper Jackman creek was stocked Saturday with 10,000 fry; and Diobsd Creek got another 10,000. On September 12th the crags put 10,000 each in Kindy Creek, North Fork of the Cascade and this week end will stock Thunder Creek with the same amount.

On the 26th the men will put 10,000 each in Stettville and Goddell Creeks.

BROTHERS VIE FOR STARTING BERTH AGAINST COLORADO



THE LINDSKOG BROTHERS from Olympia, Jack (left) and Vern, have waged a family fight for the starting assignment at center for the Washington Huskies and one will get the nod on Sept. 19 when the Huskies open against Colorado. Vern is captain of Coach John Cherberg's first eleven and both are lettermen. The Husky line will have veterans at almost all positions this fall, lending hope that it will be the best in recent Washington history.

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Sitting back in our small town and looking at the world situation it is easy to see how nine-tenths of our problems could be solved with common sense and some old-fashioned direct action. The difficulty is that over the centuries rules have been developed that forbid any such method of dealing with nations. You must never say what you think, or do what you would like. The result is polite confusion and courteous impotency. The rise of dictators in recent years is no phenomena—a man who will talk and act has the world at his mercy. Our form of government does not create supreme authority, yet the wishes of the people are definitely expressed and men are elected to carry out these wishes. Somewhere after that the men lose courage and the people lose faith. We have become caught in the damp rot that is destroying old nations, when we should be opening new paths with our own vigorous conceptions of truth and integrity.

It all depends on how the political wind blows. The Democrats, recently shouting about cuts in defense appropriations, are now urging disarmament. Having thrown millions into our war machine, we now should throw away the machine.

Money is rapidly losing its appeal as a means of getting someone to work for you. People have money. New future medium of exchange will have to be something intangible and non-taxable.

It is said that need creates accomplishment. We are spurred on to greater heights with a national program of taxing us more than we could possibly save.

Humor is the ability to laugh at your misfortunes without seeming theatrical, and to laugh at the other fellow's without getting a punch in the nose.

One advantage of genius is that a lot of people will accept boorishness and bad manners as eccentricities of a brilliant mind.

Today is constitution day. Use it to try and recall how much of our original guarantee of freedom is still uncanceled.

Depression, as it is now pictured, would be a return to selling goods and services at what they are worth.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Cream Whips Main Street Traffic

Big traffic jam in front of the office last week. Thought everybody in the county was coming in to buy *The Clarion*, but they weren't.

Seems a 5-gallon can fell off Whitey Fisher's truck, spilling cream all over the street. Our cop on duty, Tiny Fields, halted traffic so Whitey could pick up the can. Tiny was about to wave the cars on when a kitten ran out and started lapping up the cream.

Well, traffic piled up, but Tiny paid no heed. Light changed

green three times. After the kitten had enough, Tiny waved the traffic through.

From where I sit, this was just a "Tiny" demonstration of the way people in our town are. They're usually pretty considerate and tolerant. If one of our neighbors prefers a good glass of beer to his friend's coffee at dinnertime, it's just each to his own taste and everything's "smooth as cream" between them.

Joe Marsh

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NEWHALEM ITEMS

Spike Johnson was transacting business in Concrete Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Johnson spent the week end on Samish Island.

Bob Waech spent the week end with relatives in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Finch and son Bradley attended the Rodeo in Ellensburg last week end.

Mrs. Margie Rupe and children of Diablo visited on Sunday at the Harry Nelson home.

Mrs. Art Swenson and daughter Deanna were shopping in downriver towns Saturday.

Mrs. Louis LaFleur and son Eddie Vogt of Rockport spent Friday visiting with old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hunziker were visiting friends in Rockport on Friday evening.

Mrs. Walt Johnson and Mrs. Geo. Hunziker were visitors in Marblemount on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. Warton and son of Sedro-Woolley spent the week end with relatives at Newhalem.

Mrs. Ed Byers spent several days in the Memorial hospital in Sedro-Woolley receiving medical care.

Mrs. Johnny Childs was shopping and visiting in Bellingham on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Higgins left on Monday for a week's vacation at Cody, Wyoming.

Mrs. Elsie Higgins was a Mount Vernon shopper Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Lora Nelson and Mrs. Vera Hunziker visited on Tuesday with Mrs. Margie Rupe of Diablo.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Motz were visiting friends in Concrete Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Lorentzen spent Tuesday and Wednesday at Soap Lake, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Al Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Howe and family of Bellingham moved last week to Newhalem where Mr. Howe is employed.

Arlene Motz and Albert Howell were visiting friends and relatives in Concrete Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sharon visited a few days at their home near Bellingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Klein were visitors in Rockport on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Menne and son Jimmie were fishing at Ballard in Seattle on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nelson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Madison at Hermosa Beach near Marysville on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Smith and daughter Gale spent the week end in Sedro-Woolley with Mr. and Mrs. Lou Nelson.

BIRDSVIEW ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Steen were pleasantly surprised last Saturday night by the arrival of their daughter, Maudie Rankin and husband from Usk, Washington. With them were Miss Nancy Malton and Dewey Gardiner. A pleasant afternoon and evening was spent with Tom Royal and family on Sunday. Monday all enjoyed a trip to Mt. Baker. The Rankin's and friends left for home Tuesday morning.

Mr. Baker of Seaside, Oregon visited Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Starkweather.

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By Mrs. Edith Sloan

Mrs. Ida Horn of Concrete called on Edith Sloan Friday.

Wanda Pakenham of Birdview was an overnight guest at the Otto Peterson home.

Harold Vall of Vancouver, Wn. spent three days at the home of his parents this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Ripley left on Saturday for an extended trip through Eastern Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Peterson, Lowell Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. James Heims spent three days at Monogram Lake this week.

Mrs. Margaret Harrington is visiting a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Petty in Bellingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Peterson are spending a few weeks at their hunting lodge in Eastern Washington.

Drury Clark, who will attend Washington State College at Pullman this year, left for school on Saturday.

Bridge Club met at the Orville Witham home Thursday evening with two tables playing. Mrs. Karl Lindahl won first; Mrs. Iras Wondkye, second and Mrs. Vashli Hooper, low.

In The Superior Court of the State of Washington In and For Skagit County

IN PROBATE

NOTICE OF HEARING FINAL REPORT AND PETITION FOR DISCHARGE
No. 9270

In the Matter of the Estate of)
FRANK BITONTI, Deceased)
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Joseph Bitonti, executor of the estate of FRANK BITONTI has filed in the office of the Clerk of said court his final report and petition for distribution, asking the court to settle said report, to distribute the property to the persons thereto entitled, and to discharge said Joseph Bitonti; and that said report and petition will be heard on the 5th day of October, 1953, at 9:30 a. m. at the court room in the court house in the City of Mount Vernon, Washington.

SAMUEL E. WILHITE, Clerk of said Court
WILLIAM A. STILES, Jr., Attorney for Executor
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LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wallace and children of Newhalem visited at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wallace this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Monrad were visiting for a few days in Seattle this week.

The Royal Neighbor lodge will be postponed until September 30 at the home of Mrs. Elmer Larsen.

CARD OF THANKS

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Marblemount	7:20*	
Rockport	7:45	Lv.12:50
Sauk	7:52	12:57
Concrete	8:10	1:15
Birdsview	8:20	1:25
Hamilton	8:30	1:35
Lyman	8:35	1:40
Sedro-Woolley	Ar. 8:55	Lv.2:00
Sedro-Woolley	Lv. 9:00	Lv.2:00
Mount Vernon	Ar.9:25	2:30

EASTBOUND

Mount Vernon	9:50	5:10
Sedro-Woolley	Ar. 10:15	Ar.5:15
Sedro-Woolley	Lv. 10:30	Lv.5:45
Lyman	10:38	6:03
Hamilton	10:55	6:10
Birdsview	11:05	6:20
Concrete	Ar. 11:15	Ar.6:30
Concrete	Lv. 11:20	Lv.6:35
Sauk	11:32	6:47
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The Rockport Reporter

By Judy Kaminski

Miss Laura Bell Cook of Lyman was visiting in Rockport Saturday.

Ray Buchanan of Lyman was visiting Mollie Buchanan Monday.

Frank Holubar was in Mount Vernon Monday on business.

Don McLeod was in Bellingham Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Richmyer of Concrete were calling at the McLeod home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith took Mrs. Smith's mother to Monroe on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lora Holubar and son Russell and June Holubar were at Baker Lake Sunday.

Mrs. John Snyder, Mrs. Philip Wilson and Phyllis were in Sedro-Woolley Friday.

Mrs. John Snyder and Reba and Mrs. John Rider were shopping and visiting in Sedro-Woolley Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jarmin were Concrete business callers Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ray Jarmin and Mrs. Morgan Adair and Rhett were shopping in Mount Vernon Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Bartels and Mrs. Jack Olds were shopping in Sedro-Woolley Tuesday.

Miss Marlene Anderson stayed overnight with Veda Melton on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wilson and children were visiting at the John Snyder home Sunday.

Dinner guests at the L. K. Buchanan home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Buchanan and children.

Mel Benton was in Seattle Tuesday, accompanying his parents that far on their trip home to Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hubbard of Bellingham visited the Wm. Pressentin home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Barrett of Everett were callers at the George Moore home last week.

Mrs. H. Lundberg, Don Lundberg and Steve McDermid, all of Seattle, were visitors last week at the Fred Shular home.

Mrs. Gladys Ness and Mrs. Geo. Morehouse were shopping and visiting with friends in Mount Vernon Monday.

Mrs. Maude Wright is expected to return to her home in Rockport in a few weeks. She has been visiting in Northern Minnesota & Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Benton and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Benton spent Sunday in Vancouver, B. C. They enjoyed a two-hour excursion trip by boat to Wigwam Inn for dinner in the afternoon after driving through Stanley Park.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Benton and Miss Pearl Benton of Rosenberg, Texas, have been visiting at the Mel Benton home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hunziker of Newhalom were visiting with relatives and friends in Rockport Friday evening.

Vincent Kaminski and son Vance of California were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kaminski one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Amos and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gibson of Pendleton, B. C. were week end guests of the Clifford Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. George Moore and family returned home early Monday morning from visiting relatives and friends in Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Watson, daughter and son-in-law and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnston and family of Tacoma spent five days here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ellenberger of Concrete, C. V. Lewis of Concrete and Bill Lewis of Spokane were visiting the Lloyd Holubars on Labor Day.

Mrs. Al Corcoran and daughter Patsy of Sedro-Woolley were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gurnie Stafford on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Stan Selig motored to Snohomish Monday. Evelyn returned home after spending a week with her grandmother. Mrs. Selig's mother returned to spend a few days here.

Mrs. Wm. Pressentin, Mrs. Mel Benton, Miss Pearl Benton and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Benton visited at the Elmer Gustafson home across the river at Concrete Monday.

Air Cadet Edward Vogt, visited at his home in Rockport last week end. He completed his basic training in San Antonio, Texas. He is now going to Tillamook, Oregon, where he will attend Northwest Tech. Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jarmin entertained Mr. and Mrs. Gurnie Stafford and family, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morehouse, Mrs. Gladys Ness, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Williams and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Amos, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gibson, Larry and Vernon Willard, Wamie and Willis Johnson and Marlene Anderson at a barbeque salmon dinner on their front lawn during the week end.

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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. David Wright were at Mt. Baker Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ely were in Mount Vernon Tuesday.

L. Larsen returned to Everett after visiting here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Chambers were at Birdsview visiting Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Larsen were visiting at Birdsview Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McGovern of Anacortes were in town Sunday to visit with relatives.

Mrs. Earl Hornbeck returned on Wednesday from a visit in Southern States.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chamness were in Bellingham Friday on business.

Mrs. Joe Bitonti and son were in Bellingham Friday for a visit with Mrs. Bitonti's mother.

Mrs. Ray Arnold underwent major surgery at the Memorial hospital at Sedro-Woolley Tuesday.

Mrs. Norman Hornbeck and Mrs. George Day were in Mount Vernon Monday on business.

Mrs. Jim Wilson returned home Monday from the Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bullock were visiting relatives in Bellingham on Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Pressentin and Mrs. Fred Crinklaw were in Seattle on Thursday.

Carol Patterson of Maple Valley is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Alvin Crinklaw.

Mrs. H. A. Bronson entertained a group of women Friday at her home, honoring the birthday of Mrs. Jessie Roller.

Fred Heeck visited a few days in Sedro-Woolley at the home of his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tingley.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McKinney are proud great-grandparents this week of a baby girl, born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Woolhiser of Bremerton. The baby was born in the naval hospital and weighed 7 lbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Durham and children returned to Seattle Sunday after visiting at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Cunningham for a week.

Mrs. Beryl Valentine of Lyman was a visitor in town Monday.

Bessie Robertson left Wednesday for Wenatchee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Ford and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cupples were at Camano Island Sunday.

Mrs. Lorna Wiles of Wenatchee has been visiting her sister Mrs. John Whitehair this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Doyle were at Camano Island over the week end.

Mrs. George Ely was taken to the Rowley hospital Tuesday for medical care.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Boyd and Bruce were visiting at Newhalom Sunday.

Mrs. Ida Wolbert and son were at Roseburg, Oregon visiting with relatives last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Hoyer were attending to business matters in Sedro-Woolley Tuesday.



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Leo Byrd left this week for Portland, Oregon where he will enter Bible school.

Mrs. Tommy Siddon and Mrs. C. Cunningham were shopping in Sedro-Woolley Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stafford of Canada returned home after a visit here with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stafford.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Clay are the proud parents of a baby girl born at the Memorial hospital in Sedro-Woolley. She has been named Kathleen Marie.

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