

“What Happened this Week in History”

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“Fine Vacation Trip Reported by Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman”

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Zimmerman returned to Townsend Sunday from Bremerton, Wash., where they had visited their son, Loris, and family for a month. They both enjoyed the trip and sojourn in the lower altitude and found the rest and vacation very beneficial. Among the many pleasant events of the vacation was a get-to-gether of former Townsend friends of Mrs. Zimmerman, she reported upon her return, when Mrs. Geo. Mattock, who will be remembered as Winnifred Brooking entertained at her home in honor of Mrs. Zimmerman. Mrs. Mattock has a beautiful home at Eldorado Beach and invited Mrs. Cyé Wells, Mrs. Lottie Swift, Mrs. Pearl Ogle in Seattle, who arrived for the reunion. Others in the party were Mrs. Wm. Brooking, Mrs. Ann Alexander and Mrs. Loris Zimmerman. It was a happy occasion and needless to say, the questions were put in quick succession for Mrs. Zimmerman to answer, and also reminded to take greetings back to Townsend to all of their old and dear friends.

Mr. Zimmerman met former Townsend citizen, Martin Baumgartner, who resides in a suburb of Seattle. But George says you can't tell where the city begins and leaves off, it is so large and the rural districts so thickly populated. A trip to the Pacific Ocean and other interesting sites made the vacation month pass all too quickly.

“Celebrates Birthday”

Miss Barbara Brown was honored on her seventh birthday at a party given by her mother, Mrs. Ed O. Brown, at which several of her little friends were invited to make merry and have dinner with her. Halloween decorations and favors were used to make the party more enjoyable. Those invited were: Laurie McCarthy, Betty and Ann Gabisch, Betty Lou and Pauline Tomcheck, Dorothy Dumholt, Polley Golley, Joan and Sheila McCarthy, Margaret Ann Ragen, Peggy Pennell, Roxy Ray Ward, Doris Plymale, Pat Hooks, Bill and Jeff Doggett and Barbara, Charlotte and Matt Brown.

“Personal Happenings”

Mrs. J.D. Doggett spent the week end in Straw visiting her sister, Mrs. Herman Guagler and husband. She motored with W.G. Ragen who made a business trip to the Lewistown country Friday.

Burton Thompson returned home from Helena Sunday. He had been in St. Peter's hospital for several weeks being treated for a badly injured hand. He is recovering satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Noble of Helena visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lenahan, parents of Mrs. Noble, in Townsend last Sunday. This young couple recently announced their marriage which occurred in Boulder on August 25th. Mrs. Noble is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lenahan, and Mr. Noble is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Noble, both families being Broadwater County prominent families.

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“Rainbow Girls Install Officers”

Public installation ceremonies for Rainbow Girls officers was held Sunday afternoon at the Masonic Temple at 2 o'clock. Installing officers were Judy Duede, worthy advisor; Susan Mattson, marshal; Marylou Thompson, Chaplain; Vicki Huth, recorder and Ann Kirksey, musician.

During the program Jack Lokowich sang two solos, “May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You” and “The Lord’s Prayer”. A Rainbow bible was presented to Judy Duede, outgoing Worthy Advisor. Immediately after the ceremony, a reception was held in the dining room of the Temple. Nancy Marks played background music during the reception.

Officers installed were: Worthy Advisor, Marcia Lots; Worthy Associate Advisor, Nancy Marks; Charity, Susan Rains; Hope, Sharon Adams; Faith, Cindy Holland; Chaplain, Susan Webb; Drill Leader, Candy Davis; Members of the Bow: Love, Pam Leanhart; Religion, Marie Kirscher; Nature, Linda Noyd; Immortality, Janice Johnson; Fidelity, Nancy Fryhling; Patriotism, Linda Schwisow; Service, Stephanie Rains; Confidential Observer, Marcia Thompson; Outer Observer, Linda Huth; Musician Shelly Iverson; Choir Director, Carlon Kolberg.

Members of the Choir: Donna Doig, Lois Campbell, Diana Biggs, Rita Castleberry, Jane Williams, Glenda Campbell, Sandy Ewing, Dorothy Doig, Lynda Damuth, Debra Holland, Teri Williams, Vickie Foss, Jan Kirscher, Loralee Flynn, Carol Geisser, Pat Huth, Janet Campbell, Leslie Foos Sharon Kolberg.

“Local News”

Robert McCarthy returned to his home in Denver last week after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fairfax McCarthy.

Mrs. Ruth Carson, County Superintendent of Schools, left Wednesday for Lewistown where she will attend the Annual Convention of county Superintendents Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. H.G. White entertained members of her bridge club and 2 guests at her home Tuesday night. Guests were: Mrs. Barry White and Mrs. Mike Massa. Members were: Mrs. Fern Mayo, Mrs. Floyd Kirley, Mrs. Claude Cartwright, Mrs. Paul Green and Mrs. Chas. Tomcheck. High score went to Mrs. Mayo; second high to Mrs. Tomcheck; low to Mrs. Green and Mrs. Massa had honors.

Evan Stiner is spending a 20-day leave from the service with his mother, Mrs. Ann Marie Stiner.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Kearns and son Bill, Mrs. J.J. Davey and Miss Phoebe Kearns spent the weekend at Lodegrass visiting Mrs. Arthur Westwood. She is a cousin of the late Joe Davey.

Cap Gorman was displaying some large potatoes he raised at his place near Deep Creek Pavilion. One weighed 2 ½ pounds and he had four which came out of one hill which weighed 7 pounds.

Among college students home for the weekend were Sharon Rains, Kathleen Iverson, Sydney Sherwood and Bobby Miller.

Mrs. Veva Smith and Veva Alice of Helena and Mrs. Mary Bill Kavanaugh of Seattle, Wash., were guests this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Hooper.