

Cornelius Soldier Says Local Canned Pears Received in England; Called 'Best Ever'

CORNELIUS—Pvt. Sgt. Leval R. Mann sent his mother, Mrs. Martha Mann, their "Chapel Chimes" from England. It showed the picture of his nephew and niece, Jerry and Sally Guy. He said they had recently eaten canned pears which had been canned at the Maling cannery in Hillsboro and they were the best pears they had ever eaten.

Home Improved
Miss Oleva Berger is having her house and roof painted. John Matthews is doing the work.

The Frank Dooher is having their house redecorated inside. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Mosberry entertained Neighbors of Woodcraft at a pot-luck dinner at their home Sunday. Those from Cornelius in attendance were Miss Oleva Berger, Mrs. Edna Russell, Mr. and Mrs. R. Schultz, and the Frank Dooher family.

Miss Bernice Barlow is working this summer at Ecola Inn near Cannon Beach.

McKinley Votes To Join Beaverton Union High District

McKINLEY - ELMONICA—Nineteen votes were cast August 8 at McKinley school concerning the formation of a Beaverton union high school district. Seventeen voted to join the district, two voted against it.

Property Sold
There have been several sales of property in this area. The Johnson acreage adjacent to the Leonard property, has been sold to Mr. Burt, a mining engineer from Nevada. He is building a home on the property.

Mrs. Susie Laell has sold her home to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith. Mrs. Smith is the former Evelyn Light of this community.

The old Barnes property on Walker road has been sold to the Walton family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Haskell of Portland, recently of Forest Grove have bought a home in Walker road and moved in. The old Thurston place on Walker road has been purchased by Dewey Drobough of Beaverton.

Returns to Duty
Fred Courtwright Jr. returned Friday to Seattle, after spending a part of his leave from coast guard duty with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Courtwright.

Freak Shower
A freak shower last week chased men under cover on the Foege place while inching in the adjoining field was uninterrupted by only a few drops of rain.

Mrs. Dan O'Meara, daughter of Eugene and Misses Martha and Mary Katrik spent last week at the beach.

Drills New Well
Fred Courtwright is drilling a new deep well on his ranch. The prospect well is low a month earlier than last year.

The Baseline road past the Sunset Gardens tract and the road joining it with Walker road have been graded, rocked and oiled.

Yield Good
Wheat yields in this area have been unusually good despite the dry season. The average has been 30 bushels per acre. Ralph Wiseman had one small field which yielded 75 bushels per acre.

Ben Lamb is installing a gasoline pump in his store at Elmonica and expects to be ready for business this week.

Mrs. Charles Struger and Mrs. O. Shepherd have gone hop-picking.

Recuperating at Home
Mrs. A. Waterbury is recuperating at home, following hospitalization.

Bert Hedgepoch has built a new garage.

Gary Williams is adding a new kitchen to his home.

Sisters Return Home
Mrs. La Rae and Mary Jane Martyn are expected home August 20 from Chicago. Mary Jane has been spending the summer with her sister, who is at Northwestern. La Rae will return after a two weeks' visit with relatives.

School to Install Furnace
Work on the new addition to McKinley school is progressing rapidly. A new furnace has been bought and will be installed.

Son Flies from New Mexico for Brief Home Visit

CORNELIUS—Gene Hills of Alamogordo air base in New Mexico flew up from that base on P-51 and made a 24-hour visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hills. Gene is Mrs. Hill's son.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Jackson and children spent last week at Pacific City. Mr. Jackson was enjoying a week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Road, Mr. and Mrs. Sharon, all of Portland and Mrs. Jesse Johnson of Witch Hill were visitors during the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Creekpaun.

Peaches Ready
Some early peaches are being picked here now and put on the market. They are the early Chasford, are nice sized, and of good flavor. Peach harvest will soon be an item with a full swing.

Visiting Hough
Mrs. C. B. Hodge entertained at a luncheon at her home given in honor of Mrs. Josephine Coates. Mrs. Coates is the sister of Mrs. Fred Hodge, an aunt of C. B. Hodge. She has been visiting her relatives here.

Hall's ambulance had the longest trip of its career last Tuesday when called to Stevenson, Wash. to take Charles Burghdofer to St. Martin's hospital in Portland. He is a brother of George Burghdofer and Mrs. Anna Greiner of the Mountaineer district. Mr. Hall was also called to Redding to bring Charles Simmons to the doctor's office in a car. He had broken some ribs in a fall.

J. Straughan, who suffered a stroke several weeks ago, is improving slowly.

Bad Price of Camp Shelby
Miss, arrived home Sunday to spend his furlough with his grandmother, Mrs. Bertha Weidner, and his sister, Mrs. Hubert Shaver, and other relatives and friends.

Donald Howarth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Howarth, who was injured in an accident on July 2 in an accident on Grand Route.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson of Buxton are guests at the home of the daughter, Mrs. W. Willis Sheele home.

Ray Sheele, chief petty officer in the navy repair unit, arrived home from New Orleans, La., last week for a visit with his wife and sons. He left Monday for Detroit, Mich., where he will take a six weeks' driving course.

Building Home Addition
The Henry Hoffmans are building an addition onto their house.

Mrs. Frank Pranger of Yakima, Wash., and Mrs. W. Willard Scholer of Hillsboro, and their son, Rev. L. Scholer of Eugene, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Schmidt of Cornelius the evening of August 9.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Liebeck left today (Thursday) for a visit with relatives in Spokane, Wash.

William Cook is spending the week at the Four Square summer camp.

Cornelius residents are undergoing great discomfort due to this area being infested with mosquitoes. Precaution has been taken by the city to oil the water drainage ditches which run through the city but this has not remedied the situation much.

Parents Visit
FARMINGTON—Visitors to the Albert Greener home last week were Mrs. Greener's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Eddy of Winlock, Wash., and Mrs. Greener's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Eddy of Raymond, Cal. This is Mr. Eddy's first visit here for 14 years.

Dick and Elaine Wise of near Portland spent last week at the Albert Greener home. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wise, were formerly employed on the Greener farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dumas of Vancouver, Wash., were guests at the Albert Greener home last Wednesday.

Kingsley Returns
McKINLEY - ELMONICA—Duana Kingsley returned August 9 from a four weeks' stay at the Boy Scout Coast Guard camp at Sand Lake.

Dick Kingsley spent the week-end with his cousin, Duane Kingsley. Dick will continue his studies at O. S. C. this fall.

Betty Slyter Scappoose, is a guest this week at the home of her cousin, Arline Murphy.

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Dugdale Dryer Nearly Complete

CORNELIUS—The Dugdale Dryer is fast nearing completion. The floor of concrete has been poured and work on the second story and roof have been completed. It is hoped to have the dryer in operation by September 1. The capacity of the dryer will be 30 tons a day. They will also have accommodations for custom drying. The first floor of the building is to be used for drying and storage.

Memorial for Daughter
Word has been received from the H. R. Scheuer family who are at a beautiful memorial service for their daughter Opal, who recently died of infantile paralysis. Opal was very active in previous camp meetings, being talented in music.

Mrs. Bert Anderson spent Thursday in Portland at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Marble. It was Mrs. Marble's birthday anniversary. She is Mrs. Anderson's daughter.

Mrs. E. Byrum is still convalescing at the Walter Chalmers' home in Forest Grove.

Mrs. W. R. Cooke has been very ill with flu.

Miss Jean Bellinger visited her sister, Mrs. Edna Russell, during the week. Mrs. Bellinger, who has had trouble since a fall in which she broke her hip, fell again recently and received bruises.

Mac Smith was complimented with a dinner party Saturday evening by members of his family on the 10th birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Rebekah is expected home the last of the week from St. Martin mineral springs.

Anna Grod is doing clerical work at the Forest Hills country club south of Cornelius this week. The Methodist Sunday picnic was held at Shute park in Hillsboro last Thursday evening. There were 60 in attendance. A picnic lunch was served. The children and young people played games and the adults spent the evening visiting.

Marie Benson of Bremerton, Wash. is visiting at the home of Mrs. Edna Russell, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Benson's brother, Oscar, also of Bremerton, has been here several weeks.

Move to Hillsboro
Mrs. Nora Clites was hostess to a group of neighbors and friends of Mrs. Paul Anderson at Mrs. Anderson's home on Wednesday. It was a farewell party in her honor. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and their daughter will move to Hillsboro this week. Mrs. Clites recently purchased a home there.

Oppenlander Transferred
Pvt. Clifton Oppenlander has been transferred from Camp Stoneman, Cal., to Camp Gordon, Fla.

Mrs. Oppenlander, who was with her husband in California, has returned to her home here. Clifton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Oppenlander.

Home From Hospital
Edward Lynn Phillips returned to his home here Thursday after spending over four weeks at Good Samaritan hospital in Portland. He is getting along nicely but is still in a cast. He broke his leg July 9.

Cuts Hand
Mr. and Mrs. William Van Lom left for Seaside Friday to spend a few days at the beach city. Mr. Van Lom is on a week's vacation from his duties as mail carrier.

Norma Ready of Hillsboro visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jones, last week.

The Women's Auxiliary of the fire department met at the home of Mrs. Donald Engelen on Monday evening. The firemen joined the ladies later in the evening and the hostess served lunch. There were 14 present.

Ted Smith Home From Missouri
SCHOOLS—Ted Smith visited relatives and friends in Scholls Sunday, following his arrival Saturday from Camp Crowder, Mo. on furlough. Following his visit, he will go to Sacramento, Cal. for further training. Mrs. Smith (Lorraine Demmin) and their daughter Patsy are living in the family home near Hillsboro.

Move to Midway
Mr. and Mrs. A. Zimbrick are moving this week from their former home near Farmington to the Thompson place at Midway. Mrs. Zimbrick is the mother of Mrs. Pudge Hitchcock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore, Mrs. Ed Seiffert and William Moore attended the wedding Sunday evening in Corvallis, of Miss Omer Moore, daughter of Mr. Omer Moore, to an army man from the east, the ceremony occurring at the Methodist church in that city at 8:30. Omer Moore is a brother of Jim and Ray Moore of Scholls.

Epworth League Meets
Members of the Epworth League of the local church held a party and cabinet meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore Monday evening. Eighteen young people were present.

Flax Man from Peru Located At Cornelius

CORNELIUS—Marcello Bert of Lima, Peru, is staying at the C. C. Ruth home. Mr. Bert is working at the flax plant to learn our methods of handling flax in this country. He has been manager of a flax plant at Lima for two years and expects to put his knowledge to use there when he returns. He states he likes it here very much.

Mrs. Anna Turner of Portland spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Shaw.

Soldier Here
Pfc Gordon Watkins of Salt Lake City, Utah, is spending a week's furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Watkins, Robert Colbert, U. S. M. C. of the Klamath Falls marine hospital base, was a guest of Miss Joyce Thomson over the week-end.

Mrs. Dolly Havens and her twin granddaughters, Pauline and Colleen Parrett of Astoria, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Barbara Smith and son, Mrs. Havens is Mrs. Smith's sister.

Frenches at Dayton
Mr. and Mrs. Fred French and children are spending this week at West Dayton. They will pick up a vacation this week from Oregon shipyard.

Mrs. J. J. Horn and her grandsons, Robert Wiss, Mrs. Wiss, and baby spent part of the week at Wenatchee, Wash., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wiss and daughter, Mrs. T. Wiss is a daughter of the Horns. She returned home with her mother and will visit her parents for awhile. P. J. Wiss departed for Camp Kohler in Colorado Sunday. He had spent two weeks here.

Frenches at Dayton
Sunday at the Methodist church Rev. Schreiber told of the ministerial "School of the Prophets," which he recently attended. There were 80 ministers attending. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Engelen sang a duet and Mrs. Lila G. Henderson was pianist.

Church school at the Methodist church will be at 10 a. m. and church service at 11 a. m. Rev. Schreiber's topic will be "The Uplifting Power of Great Hymns." There will be special music.

Former Teacher Visits
Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kathan and children visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Engelen during the week. Mr. Kathan formerly taught in the Cornelius schools.

Mrs. Emma Brooks of Montevideo, Cal., was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Oliver the first of last week. She is Mr. Oliver's sister.

Betty Jo Gresson was a weekend visitor at Salem and attended a formal fraternity dance at Willamette university Saturday evening.

Attends Retreat
Mrs. Frank Dooher attended the Lay Women's Retreat at Mount Angel from Friday until Sunday. She reports a splendid attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Henthorne have received word that their son, Henry had undergone an operation for hernia at the Naval hospital at Farragut, Idaho, last Thursday. He is getting along nicely and is receiving splendid care.

Senko Better
The condition of Paul Senko, who has been quite ill at St. Vincent's hospital in Portland, is reported to be improving.

Little Francis Baker's birthday anniversary was observed Sunday.

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at the Methodist church school. "The Prodigal Son" was read in dialogue by Rev. C. H. Schreiber, Mrs. Schreiber, Mary Ella Swank, Jack and Jerry Cartwright. The J. Finegan family held a family reunion at their home Sunday.

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Legionnaires Seek Veteran Protection
Problems concerning the welfare of returning veterans were the main topics of discussion at the state American Legion convention in Portland last Thursday, Friday and Saturday, according to E. A. Griffith, Hillsboro post commander.
Resolution calling for passage of an act by the state legislature guaranteeing to every war veteran his or her preferential right to employment under any existing law without the necessity of having to join any organization or society. The state was also redirected, Washington county now being in district one with Columbia, Clatsop and Tillamook county.
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