

Service Men Visit Family

Jefferson Residents Host to Vacation Bound Travelers

JEFFERSON, Aug. 31—Erol Howell who has been with the marine service in Alaskan waters for the past year was an overnight guest of his father, E. E. Howell, Monday. He will leave for New York Monday for four months training for the service he is interested in. Mrs. Howell will accompany him.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, Jr., were Mr. and Mrs. Grover Stephens of Salem. They were enroute from Scio where they visited Mr. Stephens' sister, Mrs. Roy Alken. Mrs. Virgil Hall and small brother, Billy Chilton, returned Tuesday from Seattle, where they spent a week with their father, William Chilton, who is staying there receiving treatment for ear trouble.

Mrs. Hall's husband, Pfc. Virgil Hall of the US marine corps, stationed on Bainbridge Island, visited them while they were in Seattle.

Verl Sims, gunner's mate third class, US navy, stationed at Bremerton, Wash., has leased a furnished house in Port Orchard, Wash., and Mrs. Sims (Betty Chilton) left last week for Port Orchard where she will remain as long as her husband is stationed there. Sims has been in the navy over two years. He enlisted right after Pearl Harbor.

Leon Hampton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Hampton is spending two weeks in Oakland, Calif., visiting his uncle and aunt. He earned the money for the trip himself and plans to return home Saturday.

Vernon Harris is visiting his brother Pichlyn Harris at Long Beach, Calif., who is in the service. He is aviation machinist mate first class and is stationed at an air craft base near Long Beach.

George Bailey has completed painting the Devaney school house, and returned to Amity where he will teach this year. He is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hart.

Mrs. Alice McVay and daughter Norma of Medford were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Apling, who live on the Guy Aupperle farm.

Mrs. William Laverick left for her home in Hollywood, Calif., Tuesday after a two months visit with her sister, Mrs. H. W. Libby.

Large Checks Distributed To Swegle Bean Pickers

SWEGLE—Tuesday noon the harvesting of beans at the Hayes-Labish field was finished and a group of school children and adults in this community were ready to begin their work. For 20 days a truck driven by Ernest Page had taken a daily average of 25 out to this field. Most of the group were high school and seventh and eighth grade age.

When Harold Wantenpaugh, timekeeper, came into the Reed Community store to pay off the tickets \$2000 was distributed in the community as there were few checks for less than \$50, and some for over \$100. One eighth grade girl, Peggy Straw, did not miss any day and several only one trip. There was no Sunday picking and usually one day between the times for going over the field.

The season lasted four days more than last year and beans were picked smaller. There was excellent organization in the field under the direction of Clarence Fasely, very little play during working hours, and the hours were long, from 6 a.m. to 6:30 p.m., and on the rides to and from the field good order in the truck was maintained with no one person, but the driver in charge.

This is the fourth year this community of folks has harvested this bean field with the help of the neighbors and a few from Brooks. Only one came out from downtown Salem, but the best two weeks or eight school children from Hayesville came out on the truck.

The topping of onions for Robert Reed on his East Turner acreage began Monday and those who picked beans plan on working in onions this week and will begin in some hop or prune field next week.

Turner Man Will Supply at Willamina

TURNER—C. F. Trimble will supply the pulp at the Christian church in Willamina Sunday. The pastor, Harlan Woodruff is on his vacation.

Valley Obituaries

Mrs. Iner Mortensen

DAYTON—Mrs. Iner Mortensen, 57, died at her home in Dayton Tuesday night after a three months illness. She was the daughter of the late Mrs. William Hibbert who came to Dayton from Illinois in 1866. Mrs. Mortensen was born near Dayton August 1, 1887, and was married July 7, 1915, to Iner Mortensen.

She was a member of the Christian church, Missionary society, Rebekahs and Maccabees of Dayton.

Survivors are her widower, one brother, James Hibbert, both of Dayton; one step-daughter, Mrs. Cora Newcomer of Coultin, Calif. Funeral services will be held at the Dayton Christian church and burial will be at the Dayton Odd Fellows cemetery. The exact date awaits word from Mrs. Newcomer, probably Friday.

Mid-Willamette Valley News

From The Statesman's Community Correspondents

Fire Spreads Into Timber

Silverton Firemen Get Early Morning Call To Evens Valley

SILVERTON—Volunteer firemen of Silverton answered their third call in as many days in the Evens Valley district when they went out at 4 a.m. Thursday to check a brush fire which got out of control in the Jim Reed woods. The fire was controlled as it threatened the barn and left the final work to the farmers themselves.

The first fire this week in the Evens Valley district destroyed the A. E. Reed barn. Wednesday fire broke out from a tractor used in combining on the Jim Reed farm. Three acres of wheat were destroyed and the fire jumped into old timber on the Reed place. It was from this that the call came Thursday morning when the blaze had spread, threatening farm buildings.

Silverton firemen are not obliged to take their equipment out of town to serve farmers who do not contribute toward the support of the equipment. Efforts have been made by some farmers to form a fire district but so little interest was shown that the district could not be completed. It is likely that the city of Silverton will charge \$50 or more for rural calls, city officials stated Thursday unless the district is completed soon.

It is known that a number of cities are charging as much as \$75 and \$100 to answer any calls outside the limits. The majority of fire calls this summer to the Silverton department has been from outside the city limits, it was stated Thursday morning.

Washington Man Visits Daughter

MONMOUTH—W. D. Smith of Harrah, Wash., is spending his vacation here with his daughter, Mrs. Frank Robinson and family, and with his grandson, Glenn Robinson and family near Peoria. He expects to stay until October.

Change Farms Near St. Louis

ST. LOUIS—Mrs. Robert Horning has been notified that her son, Fred Schwengler, US army, was wounded in France and is in the hospital.

An exchange of farms was made when Ronald Pomeroy of this community moved to Hopmere on the Bill Hegon farm and Johnson moved on the Pomeroy farm.

Farmers of this community are busy now with all their combines trying to get all the harvesting done as soon as possible.

Mrs. Joe Schomus has been spending the past week at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Schomus and other friends.

New Buildings Are Underway

NORTH SANTIAM, Aug. 31—The Arden Hammers are enlarging their house and have dug a basement and are adding to the front of the house. Hammer is doing his own work.

William Towery is building a large hollow tile root house to store vegetables. Hendron is doing the carpenter work.

Leland Kietly is building a new house on his farm. He has dug a large basement and will have a large recreation room in it. He tore down his old house, one of the first ones built in this district.

James Bethell, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bethell, fell from a horse and broke his collar bone last week.

Corvallis Man Will Supply in Jefferson

JEFFERSON—Rev. A. W. Oliver of Corvallis will serve as pastor of the Jefferson Evangelical church for the conference year, and will be in charge of the morning service every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

The Sunday school will meet at 10 o'clock, with classes for all ages. Mrs. John Kilb is superintendent.

Idaho Couple Come to Make Home in Oregon

MONMOUTH—Mr. and Mrs. Rex Johnston of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, arrived here this month to make their home with her mother, Mrs. Mary Tomlinson. Johnston, who spent 27 years in the US navy is now retired. Mrs. Johnston is a former teacher, both in Kansas and in Oregon.

Gervais Club Member Wins Many Outstanding Trophies

GERVAIS—Brentford Miller Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Miller, is shown with the three trophies he has won in 4-H club work. The trophies include the Hayes-Labish Farms special trophy, won at the state fair on his grand champion market hog over all breeds; the I. L. Patterson trophy and the State Bankers trophy. He also won the Valley Packing company's 4-H club special on his grand champion pen of four hogs—Hampshire and Berkshires—over all breeds.

Starting when he was nine years old Junior entered some of his vegetables at the state fair and won his first prize. The next year 1933, he attended his first summer school at Corvallis. He won scholarships for summer school in 1934, 1937, 1938 and 1939. In 1937 he was a guest of the First National Bank of Portland, along with many other 4-H club members, and was recognized as the Outstanding 4-H club boy in Marion county.

In 1900 he was president of the Marion county advanced 4-H club. He won the Thomas E. Wilson prize, a 17-jewel Elgin gold wrist watch, for achievement as state winner of the 4-H meat animal livestock project contest. He won at both the state fair and Pacific International. In 1942 he took his hogs to the Chicago International exhibition, where he won a \$300 scholarship. He was on the executive committee at the 1941 and 1942 summer club sessions and was voted champion pig showman at the Pacific International, and has won three championships and two grand championships and 40 first prizes.

While Junior has studied other projects his specialty has been hogs in which he has attained remarkable success. In addition to the trophies, the watch and scholarships he has won numerous ribbons on his exhibits.

In his 11 years of club work he completed 50 projects; led eight clubs; was president of the Marion county advanced club in 1941; he has sold products valued at \$10,042; value of products used at home and on hand, \$12,957; prize money earned, \$765, or a total of \$23,764.

Junior is now serving in the US navy, leaving Treasure Island August 3 for service on the seas. His father is keeping up his herds during his absence. In reply to a question whether he would care to continue in this work he replied, "Yes, I love the work and plan to continue along this same line when I return from the service."



BRENTFORD MILLER JR.

Thomas Rites Are Friday

SWEGLE, Aug. 31—Charles Sheldon Thomas, 75, died at his Hollywood Drive home Wednesday morning. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Friday from the Clough-Barrick chapel with burial in Belcrest Memorial Park; Rev. Dudley Strain will officiate.

Mr. Thomas was born March 27, 1869, at Downsview, Delaware county, New York, moving to Nebraska with his parents at the age of seven years. He was married to Jennie Jane Tricker, December 13, 1894. He died within only a few months before their 50th wedding anniversary.

In 1903 he moved to Oregon and has lived on an acreage near Salem since that time. He suffered a second paralytic stroke on Saturday.

He is survived by four sons, all of Salem: Lloyd L. Thomas, William C.; Edward E.; and Albert R.; five grandchildren and one brother, Andrew Thomas of Salem.

Port Orford Couple Visit

Amity Residents Hosts To Vacation Bound Travelers

AMITY—Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Turner of Port Orford were guests of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roth. Rev. Turner was the guest speaker Sunday at the Christian church in Monmouth.

Mrs. Harry Felt has left for her home in Champaign, Ill., after a three weeks' visit in Amity with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Newman and other relatives. Her brother T. V. Newman and son Eugene accompanied her to Portland.

Helen Jean Gerrard and sister Charlotte, of Hillsboro, are guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Gerrard.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Green of Portland recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roth.

Recent visitors at the T. V. Newman home were Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Jackman and family of McMinnville and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Newman and son Merrill of Tillamook. They were enroute for a week's vacation at Breitenbush Springs.

Glendale Pastor Visits Relatives

SCOTT'S MILLS—Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher, pastor at Glendale, Calif., visited his cousin, A. L. Brougher Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey McBride and son of Silverton visited at the W. C. Miles home Sunday.

Ronald Syron, on furlough, and his wife visited friends here Tuesday.

R. I. Hurst, seaman second class, has returned to Farragut.

MacDonald Potts Dies At Oregon City

SILVERTON, Aug. 31—Mrs. George Christianson has received word of the death Wednesday of her brother-in-law, Macdonald Potts, 70. He died unexpectedly at the Oregon City hospital. He was born in Canada but had lived in Oregon for several years.

Survivors are the widow, Harriett Potts; daughters, Mrs. Jean Wright, Big Creek; Mrs. Barbara Carlin, Greeley, Colo.; Georgia Potts of Portland.

Valley Births

SILVERTON—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kopf of Molalla, a girl, at the Silverton hospital Wednesday.

JEFFERSON—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Looney were in Lebanon Tuesday to get acquainted with their new granddaughter; born to Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cox, Monday, August 28, in the Lebanon hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds, and has been named Geraldine Irene. She has one brother, Mrs. Cox will be remembered as Louise Looney.

Mr. and Mrs. Varion Goin are parents of a nine pound two ounce son, born August 28 at the Salem

Mrs. Wanless Is Fairview Visitor

FAIRVIEW—Mrs. Edythe Wanless and Mrs. Wanda Van Horn, both of Amity, were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wood on Mrs. Wood's birthday.

Mrs. L. E. McKinney and Mrs. Delmas Hooker went to Portland Friday for medical treatment.

Mary Ellen Putnam of Hopewell is a guest at the Charles Andrews while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Putnam, are on a business trip to Burns.

Deaconess hospital. The baby has a sister, and has been named Sterling James.

Monmouth Man's Wife Visits His Parents

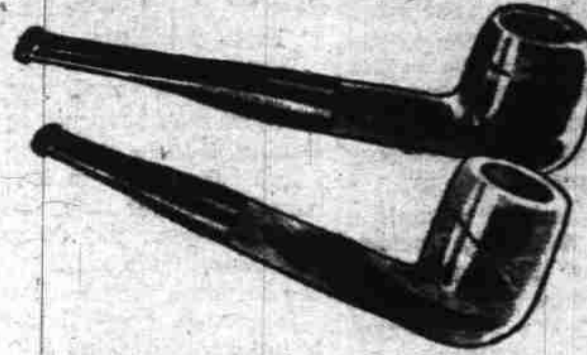
MONMOUTH—Mrs. Lyle Mitchell is expected here this week to visit her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mitchell. A Georgia girl, she was married to Mr. Mitchell while he was stationed in that state at a naval station. He is now at sea, and after a visit here she plans to make her home on the west coast.

Mrs. Roubal Is Better

SILVERTON—Mrs. F. J. Roubal, who has been at the Silverton hospital for the past several months, is improved and able to sit up a portion of each day.

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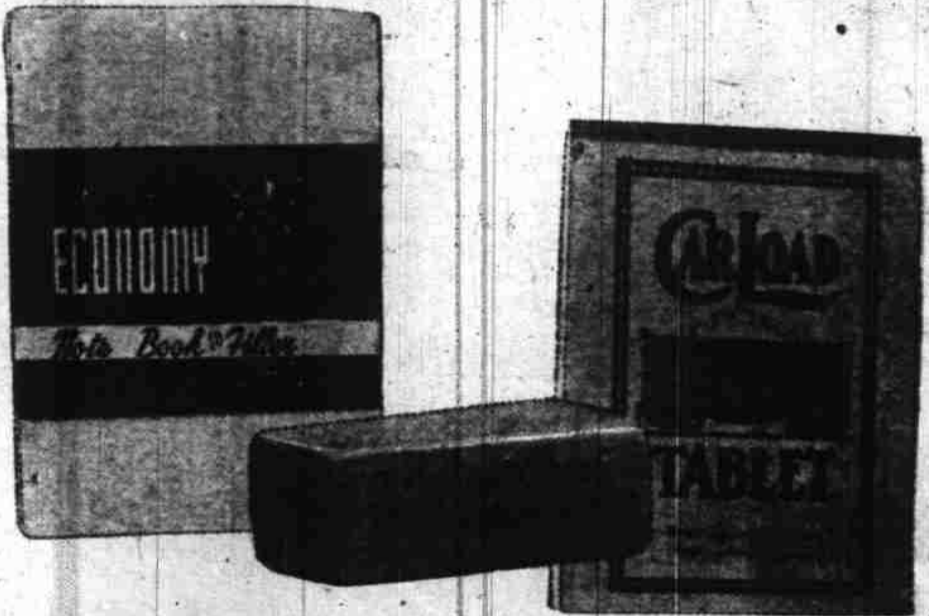
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