

Shipman Clan Annual Meet Held at Dayton

DAYTON — Members of the Shipman clan held their 16th annual reunion in Dayton city park July 25. Attending from Salem were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shipman, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Shipman, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Shipman and Christine, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steward and son Malcolm Reid, Mrs. Robert K. Keefer and Sandra and Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shipman and Jerald, Dennis and Margie Lee, Mr. and Mrs. James John and sons Richard, Harold and Delbert, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shipman and Jeanette and Harry, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Willis Shipman and Billy, Jess Laltonella and son Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Whitzel and Dud.

From Oakland, Calif., came Mrs. George Shipman; Mrs. Lily Fuller, Martinez, Calif.; Thomas Shipman, Mrs. Juanita Welch and son Robert, all of Coquille; from Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Harold More, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chamberlin and children, Howard, Donald and Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Merritt, Charles, Richard and Carol Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Paul, Connie and Charlotte Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown and Mrs. Florence Haines.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shipman, Roy, George, James and Margaret Ann, of Hood River; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Selves and son of Hillsboro; Mr. and Mrs. Liola Omara, James, Terrence, Patricia, Connie and Kathleen, and Julia Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Brown and Steve, Velma and Janet, all of Tigard, attended. Guests at the family gathering were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Zinger and Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson of Portland, and Alice DuBoise of Salem.

Manning Family Honors Portland Woman at Reunion

GERVAIS — A large family gathering was held at Fred Manning's of Gervais Sunday. Honored guest was Mrs. Dora Pillette of Portland who was the eldest of four generations present; the youngest, her great granddaughter, tiny Elaine Marie, two-weeks-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Gardner of St. Louis.

Attending were Mrs. Dora Pillette, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Pillette, Peggy and Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Pillette and Gregory, all of Portland.

Mrs. Philippa Krechter, Clarence Krechter, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hoffert and Peter John, Mrs. Eva Pillette, Kay and Evelyn Pillette, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Shepherd, Lyle, Jr., Sheree Kay, Dottie Sue, Dixie and Donnie, Mrs. Marvin Flagg and Marita, all of Salem.

Lauralee Krechter of Beverly Hills, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. William Uppendahl, Gary, Carolyn and Kenny, Dennis Manning, Mr. and Mrs. James Manning and Steven, Mr. and Mrs. James McCormick, Mike and Pat, Freda Manning, Clara Manning, Anita Dookey and Jerry Manning, all of Gervais.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Gardner, Billy, Davy, Delores and Elaine Marie, Mr. and Mrs. James Davidson of St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Collander, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Olson and Jimmie Pappert of Independence, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Manning.

Linn County Estates Admitted to Probate

ALBANY—Orin Anderson who died here July 9, 1948, left an estate estimated at \$12,650, according to the petition of Robert H. Anderson who has been named administrator. The petition lists real property valued at \$6,600; personal property at \$6,050. The estate includes a share of in the estate of the late Waldo Anderson, father of Orin, and of which Clarence Anderson is administrator. The Waldo Anderson estate has an estimated value of \$19,000.

William Bronson who died July 20, 1948, left an estate of an estimated value of \$5,100, of which \$3,100 is real property and \$2,000 personal property. Della Bronson has been named administratrix.

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INDEPENDENCE, Aug. 9 — Work is progressing on the concrete footings for the new Marion-Polk county bridge at Independence as shown in the above photo, taken from the Independence side of the Willamette river. Steel forms are used to mold the graceful arches of the piers, and the crane is necessary to move the heavy forms into place. Construction is by the Macco Co., of California. (Photo by Don Dill, Statesman staff photographer.)

Name Manager Albany Bank

ALBANY, August 9 — Dan H. Brennehan has been appointed manager of the Albany branch of First National bank of Portland.

Assistant manager at Albany since 1943, Brennehan joined the bank in 1917, and continued on its staff when the bank became a branch of First National of Portland in 1933.

William J. Weed, who went to Albany as manager for the bank this spring, is returning to Portland.

Howard R. Hickam, assistant cashier at the Albany branch of First National since his return from navy service in the Pacific area in 1945, will move up to assistant manager, replacing Brennehan in that position.

Brennehan's 30 years connection with the Albany bank in several capacities has been unbroken except for 18 months service in World War I. Born at Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, Brennehan attended Goshen college in Indiana and farmed for a time in Nebraska before coming to Oregon.

Hickam, new assistant manager, joined First National bank of Portland in 1937 at the Coquille branch. He served at the head office and the Livestock-Kenton branch in Portland before joining the navy.

Under normal conditions, eight to 12 inches of snow equals about one inch of water.

Polk WCTU Meets At Dallas Church For Convention

DALLAS—Polk County WCTU held its annual convention at the Christian church Friday. Delegates were present from Monmouth, Falls City and Dallas.

Bronze medal contest was held, Judy Arends winning the medal. Evelyn Collins was president last year. However, she left for Washington, D. C., where she plans to do Christian work among the negroes. Mrs. Bertha Harrington of Falls City was present and helped with the meeting. Covered-dish dinner was enjoyed at noon by all. Mrs. John Calavan presided.

Officers elected for next year are Mrs. John Calavan, Dallas, president; Mrs. Richard Paul, Falls City, vice president; Mrs. P. J. Voth, Dallas, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. Eldon Johnston, Dallas, treasurer; Mrs. B. Grazen, Monmouth, recording secretary.

Mrs. Richard Paul was elected delegate to the state convention September 20 in Portland, with Mrs. John Cady, Monmouth, alternate. National WCTU convention will follow the state convention September 22-26. This is a high light in Oregon and members of our state should do their best to help entertain the convention.

Children's Farm Home between Corvallis and Albany will celebrate their silver anniversary August 22 with a picnic on the home grounds. All interested persons are invited to participate in this outstanding event.

The Dallas WCTU will meet Monday, August 16, at the country home of Mrs. Roy Black, with a dessert luncheon at 1 p. m. Election of officers for the coming year will be held.

Sunrise Dairy Club Tops Linn County 4-H Group

ALBANY — Sunrise 4-H Dairy club was named winner of the Linn county 4-H livestock judging contest held July 21, N. John Hansen, club agent, has announced. Members are Milton and Dale Cooley and Dick Parsons, all of Albany. R. A. Talbot is leader. Milton Cooley scored 700 out of a possible 800 points.

Second place team was from the Greenback Swine club led by Len Forster and G. R. Hawkins. Members were Robin and Jeanne McKinley who tied for third place. Leland Brown and Mike Forster of Shedd.

A total of 49 4-H club members judged eight classes of livestock and more than 65 persons made the tour, Hansen stated.

Kansas Visitors Are Honored at Jefferson

JEFFERSON—A picnic August 8 at Silver Creek Falls honored Mrs. Ardella Alberty and three sons of Olathe, Kan., guests of her sister, Mrs. A. B. Shields and family in Portland. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Daulton, Tommy and Susie and Mr. and Mrs. Les Shields of Jefferson; Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Shields and children and Mrs. Alberty and sons from Portland. Nelson Alberty will attend Oregon State college next term.

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Four Corners Family on Trip Into California

FOUR CORNERS — Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Austin and son, Beck, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Austin, Richmond Beach, Wash., and her mother, Mrs. Lura Tandy, returned Friday from a week's trip down the coast as far as California. They returned by Oregon Caves and Crater lake. The Four Corners firemen responded to two grass fire alarms Saturday afternoon, one at Garden and Market on the highway, a much larger one at Martin's ranch 1½ mile east of Rickey school.

Janice Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Phillips, 400 Beck ave., returned Sunday from a week's vacation spent with her grandparents in Redmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Phillips entertained the Pinocchio club Saturday. Honors went to Mrs. Jess McInay, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Osborn and Ernest Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mountain, Albany, visited at the Edward C. White home Saturday.

Dolores Chastain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Chastain, 20 Beck ave., was hospitalized Friday.

Valley Obituaries

Mrs. Emma Freres

STAYTON, Aug. 9—Mrs. Emma Freres, 77, died at the home of her son, T. J. Freres where she resided, Sunday night. Funeral services will be held at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday, August 11, following requiem mass at Immaculate Conception Catholic church. Recitation of the rosary will be at 8 p. m. Tuesday at Weddle's mortuary. Burial will be in Stayton's Catholic cemetery.

Emma Snackenborg was born May 24, 1871 in Sigourney, Iowa and was married Dec. 12, 1893 to Peter Freres and they came later to Oregon and lived for more than 50 years on a farm in the Fern Ridge district. They observed their golden wedding in 1943 and he died in 1944.

Survivors include four children, Ted J. Freres, Wendell P. Freres, Mrs. Joseph Parrish and Mrs. J. W. Elst, all of Stayton; 19 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Present were Mrs. Susie Lloyd, Mrs. Sylvia Richter, Mrs. Pearl De Voe, Mesdames Edward White, E. C. Carr, Edward Fandrich, Paul Holloway, Hubert Morgan, Delbert Long, Monroe Cheek, Stanley Hitchcock, E. Granhart, C. A. Frame, Norris Stevens.

Kansas Visitor Honored At Picnic Supper Party

FOUR CORNERS—Mrs. Nora Foreman was hostess at a picnic supper at Silver Creek Falls Sunday complimenting her house guest, Ruby Gress of Lawrence, Kan. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bales, Mildred and Geraldine Bales, Barbara, Dick, Danny, Neil and Bob Foreman and Paul Bales.

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Valley News Briefs

Amity — Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Richter this week moved back to Amity from the McMinnville area where they had been on a farm. Their son Larry's allergy for certain grasses found on the farm caused the change in plans. Mrs. Richter is home economics instructor in Amity high school.

Turner—Dr. R. M. Gatke, 280 Richmond st., Salem, will be hosts for the Turner Methodist Women's Society of Christ Service Friday, August 13 at 2 p. m.

Brush College — Mrs. F. Singer and her daughter, Mrs. Mike Focht, are on an overland trip to visit relatives in North Dakota, Minnesota. They will return through Vancouver, B.C. and Washington.

Macleay—Mr. and Mrs. Al Bethel, their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Crompton and Reeda of Oklahoma are visiting the W. F. Coles.

Kelser — Grange families will hold a picnic at Silverton park, Sunday, August 15, with dinner scheduled for 12:30. Committee in charge includes Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Black, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Savage and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Pounds.

Macleay — Ten members of the grange attended the Pomona picnic at Woodburn Sunday. They were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Bateson and sons Gilbert and William, and Adrian Kromwall.

Lebanon Building Total Month of July \$89,600

LEBANON — City building permits for July fell below the \$100,000 level for the first time this year. Permits totaled \$89,600, with all but one permit issued either for residences or remodeling of present structure.

The one business permit was issued to Everett S. Smith for construction of a twin unit building on Ash street between Main and Park streets.

Largest single permit was issued to K. R. Clark in the amount of \$8500 for a home on Wheeler street.

Jane Hutchings Visits With Bend Relatives

JEFFERSON—Jane Hutchings is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clifford Bowen, in Bend. Bowen is employed by the Erickson Office Equipment and Supply store there.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory L. Knickerbocker and daughters, Blanch and Janie of Seattle were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Meyers. Mrs. Meyers is Knickerbocker's sister.

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