

Relatives From California Are Guests In Pinkston Home During Weekend

By Ruth Bowers

KINGMAN KOLONY — Mrs. Violet McKee and Lyle of Likely, Calif., spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pinkston. Lyle plans soon to enter the service. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pinkston of Parma were Saturday evening visitors.

Mrs. Thomas Sant entertained with dinner Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Pinkston and their guests. Mrs. Laura Smith of Adrian was a Sunday evening caller.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Callister were entertained at dinner Sunday in the Ralph Blanch home. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Callahan and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bowers.

VISIT NAMPAL RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hamilton and family were Sunday visitors in the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Funk at Nampa, and also visited his mother, Mrs. Anna Hamilton who was a guest there.

SUNSET AUXILIARY MEETS

Sunset Valley auxiliary met last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Vern Garner. Main topic of discussion was the annual Father's Day dinner.

DINE IN ONTARIO

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Coburn and children of Boise, Mr. and Mrs. Chet Bowns, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Malloy dined Sunday at East Side cafe in observance of Mother's Day.

GUESTS IN SCHOEN HOME

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schoen were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dike of Nampa, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gerdes, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shane, all of Caldwell.

IN APPRECIATION

I wish to express my heartfelt thanks to all my friends who sent words of encouragement and cheer, sent flowers, gifts and telephoned during my recent hospitalization in Salt Lake City.

I want to especially thank Eris Bertram for flying down to be with me at the time of my operation.

Thanks also go to those who have come to see me since I arrived back in Nyssa, for their assistance and for food sent to our home. I extend appreciation to Dr. David Sarazin for his kindness and help.

—Mrs. Wayne (Verda) Simpson

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Long Distance makes for wonderful family reunions. So get the family together and visit with a favorite relative this evening. Only Long Distance keeps you in touch so personally. Try it and see.

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Mrs. Don Fox and Mrs. James Chamberlain of Nyssa prepared dinner Sunday and took it to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Chamberlain for Mother's Day. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Thiel and children visited at the Chamberlain home during the afternoon.

Pollyanna Club Meets

Pollyanna club met May 7 at the home of Mrs. Carl Begeman with Mrs. Jessie Martinez as co-hostess. In attendance were 12 members and two children. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Johnnie Thiel. In the absence of the secretary, Mrs. Herschel Thompson recorded the minutes. Volunteer solicitors for the cancer fund are Mrs. Art Sparks, Mrs. Lester Strawn, Mrs. Klaas Laan, Mrs. Jess Martinez and Mrs. Thompson. They collected \$46.68 in the Kingman Kolony community. Refreshments were served by the hostesses. A handkerchief and plant exchange were also held.

Mr. and Mrs. James Phifer and Jeanette visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Toomb in Nyssa.

Reports to Denver Hospital

Jesse Kygar, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kygar, reported April 23 to Denver Fitzsimmons General hospital for medical equipment training. His wife returned to Portland to resume her duties at Emanuel hospital.

Mrs. Charlie Bowers accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chapin and family to dinner Sunday evening in Ontario.

Mrs. Charles Leedy, Mrs. William Toomb and Mrs. James Phifer attended a dairy wives meeting Saturday in Vale where Mrs. DeYoung, state president of the dairy wives organization was a guest.

Mrs. Al Thompson and Mrs. William Toomb attended a garden club meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. K. I. Peterson at Adrian.

WERNICKS RETURN HOME FROM TRIP TO CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wernick returned May 4 from a 10-day trip to California where they visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wernick and family at Fullerton. While there they were guests for "party night" at a meeting of Fullerton chapter 191, Order of Eastern Star.

The couple visited the mission at Capistrano and spent one day sightseeing at Tijuana, Mexico. Chinatown and Elvira street, which was supposed to have been the first street in the city, were places of interest they visited in Los Angeles.

The Wernicks ate dinner one day at Johnny's Steak House which is managed by Fred Alexander, son of Nyssans Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alexander.

They also spent some time at Knott's Berry Farm and visited the boat docks at San Pedro where they saw freighters being loaded and unloaded.

The couple reports that enroute to California they encountered a sand storm near Hawthorne, Nev., and while returning to Oregon were caught in a near blizzard at Carson City.

FORMER NYSSAN SUCCUMBS UNEXPECTEDLY IN KANSAS

Word was received last week by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Farr of the sudden death on Wednesday of their son-in-law, Clyde Wakefield in Salina Kan. The Wakefields are former residents of Nyssa as he was manager of Nyssa Co-op Supply for several years before going to Kansas in 1950.

Mrs. Henry Gannon of Othello, Wash., and Mrs. Kenneth Chard of Boise, sisters of Mrs. Wakefield, attended the services.

SENIOR CITIZENS SHOWN PICTURES FROM HOLLAND

Members of the Senior Citizens' club met Friday at St. Bridget's parish hall.

Mrs. Gerrit Stam showed pictures of the couple's recent trip to Holland where they visited relatives.

She gave an interesting talk on lands reclaimed from the sea and how it was done. She also told of customs of the country, giving comparisons on various ones.

MAY 22 DATE SET IN NYSSA FOR DRIVER EXAMINATIONS

A drivers license examiner will be on duty at Nyssa city hall Friday, May 22, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 2 p.m., according to announcement from the Oregon Department of Motor Vehicles.

All persons wishing original licenses or permits to drive are requested to file applications well ahead of the scheduled closing hour in order to assure time for completion of the required license examination.

Wm. Zink Completes Cannoneer Training

Pvt. William F. Zink is scheduled on May 22 to complete advanced training as a cannoneer at the Army Artillery and Missile Center at Fort Sill, Okla.

Zink is being trained as a member of artillery gun or howitzer crews.

The 17-year-old soldier attended Nyssa high school and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Dee J. Zink of 614 Idaho street.

VISIT IN BROWER HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Brent Folkman, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bybee were Mothers' Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brower.

DINE AT RESORT

Mrs. Lyda Kohl, Mrs. Angie Cook, Mrs. Elizabeth Shaughnessy, Dr. and Mrs. John Long dined Sunday at Cherry Creek resort and later fished in Owyhee reservoir.

OSU to Graduate 69-Year-Old Student Who Started Industrial Course in 1914

Because he doesn't like to start a job and "not finish it," 69-year-old Lawrence True Chellis of Corvallis will graduate from Oregon State university this June—50 years after he started.

Chellis entered Oregon State in 1914, majoring in industrial arts and expecting to become a teacher back home in Astoria. But World War I duty took him away during his junior year and marriage and business kept him from finishing after he was released from the army.

Operates Business Near OSU
But the goal of completing college has stayed with Chellis over the years as he operated a cleaning, military-alteration and felt-embellish business near the OSU campus.

He attended summer school three times and worked in a few courses during regular school years. Milton C. Sheely, head of the production technology de-

partment in the School of Engineering, provided encouragement and help in meeting graduation requirements that had changed drastically since Chellis entered as a freshman.

Only trouble Chellis has with the demanding course work is being able "to remember things as well as those young fellows." His wife is active in the student engineering wives organization. Both obviously enjoy young people.

"The degree won't change my way of living. I'm too old now to teach or work in industry. But there's a real sense of satisfaction in getting that degree," Chellis said.

He will be the oldest graduate this year and one of the oldest in OSU history. After graduation, Chellis hopes to convince some of his friends who dropped out of college that they ought to return and graduate.

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