

FRUITLAND NEWS FOR THE WEEK

Adelphia Class

The Adelphia class of the Church of the Brethren held its monthly social and business meeting in the recreation room of the church Friday evening. Hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Riddlebarger, Galen Hostettler and Mrs. Harry Breen. The class officers were re-elected. Games and refreshments were enjoyed after the business meeting. Thirty-three were present. Out of town guests were Mrs. Cecil Spencer of Oakland, Cal., and Mr. and Mrs. LaMar Bollinger of LaVerne, Cal.

Eldridges Home

Second Lt. Franklin Eldridge, wife and daughter arrived last Friday from Aberdeen, Md. Lt. Eldridge will leave this Friday for California for reassignment. Mrs. Eldridge and daughter will remain indefinitely with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Grabner. In the evening a family get-together was held for them at the F. E. Eldridge home.

Farmer Breaks Ribs

After a few rounds of mowing hay Tuesday afternoon, Elmer Lyons was thrown from the mower when the horses ran off and he received broken ribs. Mr. and Mrs. Lyons recently moved to the former W. B. Royburn ranch which they have purchased.

Family Dinner

A family dinner and get-together was held Sunday at the L. A. Grabner home for 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Franklin Eldridge. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Grabner and family of Boise, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Grabner and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eldridge.

Celebrates 95th Birthday

Mrs. Katherine Ramer celebrated her 95th birthday Sunday at her home in Nampa. She is the mother of Mrs. H. P. Ostermiller. Those who helped celebrate with her were Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Ostermiller, Mrs. Leah Scott and Glenn and S. I. Jack Gurnsey and wife.

Sells Ranch

B. R. Fitzsimmons compelled the sale of his ranch last Friday, and will give possession Sept. 1. He has been the owner of the C. H. Sargent ranch west of town.

Family Picnic

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Miesbach and Elaine, Miss Lillian Behm of Logan, Utah and Mrs. Derald Miesbach joined Mrs. Wm. Skinner of Kuna and her daughter, Grace, who is home for a vacation from Washington, D. C. for a family get-together and picnic in the Caldwell park Sunday.

Shower

A miscellaneous post-nuptial shower was held at the Ostermiller home Saturday evening for S. I. and Mrs. Jack Gurnsey. Hostesses were the Misses Marilyn and Carol Lee White, Mrs. Clarence James and Mrs. Leah Scott. Thirty-five young men and women of the Lutheran church were guests. Solos were sung by Mrs. James and Miss Lois Jensen. A large beautifully decorated cake and ice cream were served. Later the party went to the Gray-Way where treats were passed out by the groom, S. I. and Mrs. Gurnsey left Monday for San Francisco to spend 23 days after which he will receive his reassignment and she will return home.

Nursing Home in Ontario

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse May and Carol of Ontario, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bedford and Mrs. Almeda Tussing had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Martin and family.

Covered Dish Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Norris and Dorothy and Janice and Donna Black attended a covered dish supper and business meeting at the Baptist church Wednesday evening.

Sends Gifts From India

Lt. Cecil Schubert who is stationed in India sent a package home last week which contained a cocktail set of 18 cups, tray and decanter made of native gold-colored metal with hand carving of the most intricate and beautiful floral design and a smoker set which included the tray, match holder, ash tray and cigarette box. All pieces have beautifully hand-carved floral design, inlaid on cherry-red lacquer.

Church Assembly

The Summer Assembly of the Church of the Brethren will be held August 6-12 at Camp Stover at New Meadows. Outside leaders are Raymond Peters of Elgin, Ill., who is national secretary of the Board of Education; Dr. R. E. Mohler of McPherson, Kansas, and Rev. Grant McGuire of Wenatchee, Wn., the associate regional secretary of the West Coast. Rev. and Mrs. Hollinger and son David will leave Saturday for Camp Stover and on Sunday morning a truck driven by Carl Beckwith will take a load of around 25 young people and their overseers Mrs. C. E. Fisher and Mrs. L. M. Brown to the camp for the assembly. Rev. Wm. Riddlebarger will be guest speaker at the local church Sunday morning. The evening service will consist of an hour of Bible study.

Brother Passes

J. A. Phibley left Sunday afternoon for Baker, called there by the serious illness of his brother, Jesse Phibley, 60, who passed away Monday morning after an extended illness. He is survived by his wife and a son, Franklin, who came by plane Tuesday from a camp in California. Mr. and Mrs. Elgie Paris and Child-

ren of Boise, Mrs. J. A. Polley, Mrs. Ley attended the funeral services. Wanda Robinson and Norman Polley were in the casket.

Joint Club Meeting

Approximately 30 members attended the joint meeting of the Fruitland Homemakers and Sunnyside clubs last Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Carnefrk. Interesting reports were given to the community canning work in Weiser by Mrs. Riddlebarger. Mrs. Grover McGee and Mrs. Gus Lawrence. The committee on arrangements and entertainment was: Mesdames Ben Richey, Dan Jones, H. J. Becker, J. D. Crawford, Bransetter and Mark Mogens.

Writes From Okinawa

A letter from A.B.M.P.H. Donald Oltman this week said in part, "I have been out on an 80 day cruise and in the battle of Okinawa and was alongside the 'Comfort' when she was hit that night. We had a program of personal inspiration on our ship. The Captain awarded several Purple Hearts to the ones who were wounded at Okinawa."

Teacher Resigns

Mrs. Eleanor Peterson has resigned as English teacher to accept a position in the Caldwell schools. Her son, Jack, a long time prisoner of war of the German government, is with her while regaining the use of his hand that was made useless by shrapnel during battle.

News Of Pummel Boys

Mrs. Beula Pummel has not heard from her son, Sgt. Herschel Pummel since May. He was then on the Philippine Islands. S/Sgt. Frankie Pummel wrote recently for garden seeds to plant as he was going to make a garden while stationed on New Guinea. Her honorably discharged son, Perry is a welder in a defense plant in Hermiston and stays with his sister, Mrs. Obern Standerfer. Her son Gerald will return soon to attend high school after spending the summer in San Diego as an apprentice to a carpenter.

Mrs. Chas. Rich and daughter, Virginia of Portland and Mrs. T. O. Enberg of Nampa were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hallenbeck last week. On Thursday they and Mrs. Wm. Birdsall were entertained by Mrs. Geo. Anderson in New Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzsimmons and Helen returned home Tuesday from several days visiting with her sister at Freewater, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Peterson and four daughters of Weiser were Saturday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shamberger.

Glenn Betzenderfer came Tuesday from Boone, Iowa, for an indefinite stay with his aunt, Mrs. N. C. Hall.

In a letter received Monday from Sgt. Raymond Scott who is stationed in Germany said that they were teaching the German people to run the trains. As far as he knew they were waiting for boat space. May be turning the railroads over to the German civilians who will operate them. The GI's are being moved into apartments.

Galen Hostetter has been selected as the representative of the Northrup-King Seed Co. to buy grass seed in this country.

Mrs. Maybelle Jones returned Saturday from visiting her sister at Parma.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Shank and Ruth and Mrs. R. E. Lamb and son Arthur of Boise left Sunday for a combined business and pleasure trip to California.

Mrs. N. J. Peacock received word Saturday evening of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Cora Junge and left Sunday for Long Beach for a months stay with her.

Mrs. C. R. Spencer left Tuesday for her home in Oakland, California after spending the month of July with her mother, Mrs. Lillie Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Mitchel of Wichita, Kans., came last week to visit the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barker. Mr. Mitchell has been transferred to the Boise office of the Home Lumber Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vollenweider of Seymour, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hodak and son, Earl of Wilder were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Birdsall. The two families had enjoyed an outing the previous week at Payette Lakes. This is Mrs. Vollenweider's first trip to the West and she was greatly impressed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mess, Miss Barbara Mess and Marvin and Peter Burch of Caldwell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eggert Ott in Ontario.

Miss Doris Rodman accompanied her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Limbaugh to Ketchum for a week to attend the Christian church conference.

Mrs. Chris Irgens of Nampa spent Saturday and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Vanderford at the Gay-Way Junction.

Mrs. Lillie Fisher and daughter, Mrs. Mildred Spencer were Sunday dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. George Davis at New Plymouth.

Mrs. Wm. Lanfear and grandson, Jackie Carnahan returned Tuesday to their home in Riverside, Cal., after a six weeks visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shamberger and other relatives.

Captain Harold Weir, nephew of Mrs. W. R. Ulrey, who has served 14 months in England, and completed 51 missions in the Ashburn General hospital at McKinney, Texas.

Roy Rosenberger was a Friday evening dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mess.

Mr. and Mrs. Mili McDougough and family of Baker visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Amick and others. Their son, Bnddy, stayed over for a two weeks visit among relatives. Mrs. Dale Watts entertained at dinner Wednesday for Mr. and Mrs. McDougough.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Amick and

family of San Diego, Cal., arrived Tuesday for a month's visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. C. F. Lawrence and daughter Ethel of Winnipeg, Canada, left Wednesday after a two weeks visit in the home of Mrs. Lawrence's niece, Mrs. Wm. Birdsall. They will visit in Boise, Gooding and Los Angeles, before returning to Winnipeg where Miss Ethel is a teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dodge, Dorothy and Wesley of Grants Pass, Ore., were last week guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Schubert. Mrs. Schubert and Mrs. Dodge were neighbors in Grants Pass.

Miss Dorothy Norris spent the week end in Parma with Miss Mary Sharp.

Waldo Jones and two daughters left Friday evening for Twini Falls to visit his brother who has returned home after serving two years in England.

Signalman 3/c Herbert L. Norris has been transferred from the army to a destroyer in the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Patrick visited Sunday at the H. A. Griffiths home in Weiser. Jimmy and Vance Griffiths returned home with them for a weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Riddlebarger spent Sunday in Emmett.

Friday evening guests at the Elmer House home were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Keifer, A/c Marion, home on furlough, Shirley and Donnie of Payette.

Pfc. Raymond House and friend, Francis McCabe were Sunday guests at the home of Raymond's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. House in Vale.

Mrs. Howard Arnett who is making her home for the present with her parents, Major and Mrs. Harry T. Lewis entertained Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ryckroft who have recently moved here from Kimberley.

M.O.M.M. Robert Grishkowsky and his wife returned Monday to San Francisco for his 30 day leave and reassignment.

Supt. F. M. Lancaster left Tuesday for Warm Lake for several days with the Boy Scouts.

Rev. Willis Neff of Emmett was a business visitor in Fruitland Tuesday and a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Earhart, former Emmett residents and friends.

Pfc. Jim Atherton has been sent from a hospital to a rest camp at

Coeur d'Alene where his sister, Mrs. Louise Sill lives. Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sill went for Mrs. Jim Atherton and children and the two families enjoyed a picnic on the shores of Lake Coeur d'Alene.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Oltman learned recently of the promotion of their son, Donald, to Aviation Boatswain's Mate Plane Handler 3/c.

Latest word from Pfc. Erman Bashans said he was going on a sick call as he had an ear infection for the second time.

Mrs. J. Bashans is cooking for her son, Reine who owns a large stock ranch at Ironside, Oregon.

Ten men of the Men's Work Organization of the Brethren church, came and shocked wheat last week for J. D. Deal who is laid up with a broken leg.

Stiffening Organdy

To make a starch substitute for stiffening organdy silk or crepe use three tablespoonfuls of sugar in a gallon of water for organdy, weak gum arabic solution for silk and crepe, and bran water or rice water for cretonne and figured cottons or linens.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Pete Jr. Gets His Tenth Jap Paniel

Pete Swanson's son, Pete Jr., brought his tenth Jap plane down last week, and his dad couldn't help bragging.

But I got to thinking about Pete Senior: how he hadn't missed a day at the war plant since the war began; how he'd worked overtime and Saturdays and Sundays; how he'd kept himself in shape, been temperate and sensible, so that he'd be at work clear-headed, bright and early every morning.

So, when he invited us over after work to drink a toast to

his son in a sparkling glass of beer—I couldn't help toasting Pete Senior, too.

From where I sit, there's more than one kind of "ace" that's helping win this war... men like Pete Senior, too. And when the war is over, and the monuments are erected to its heroes, I hope they don't forget the workman on the home front—the man who stuck to his job like a soldier to his guns, until the Victory.

Joe Marsh

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SCHOOL OPENS

It will be a happy sight to see our school boys and girls once more answering the clanging of the bell which calls them back to classes! Bright eyed, merry in laughter—they're healthy, happy products of the best this country has to offer in good housing, good nutrition and generally good sense in child rearing! Bless them, one and all!



Our entire store of late has been devoted to your children and their needs. Getting them ready for school is the family's biggest and jolliest job of the year. We have planned to have the best of everything available—on account of the needs of the "boys across" many articles commonly known for school opening will be missing or in very limited supply.

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