

**Floyd George Cornell**, son of William Homer (1903-1982) and Florence J. (Hathaway) (1909-1990) Cornell, was born 4 September 1930, Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan. Floyd attended Okemos High School with the class of 1949 and was listed as a junior in the 1948 Tomahawk Yearbook.

*1948 Tomahawk, Floyd sitting 3rd from right*

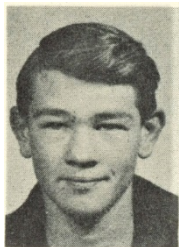


Top Row: Don Thiel; Erwin Kohls; Ralph Guff; Berman Prether; Hugh Ervin. Second Row: Curtis Travis; Douglas Stanke; Mr. Monrow; Maurice Bowyer; Robert McKenzie. Third Row: Dick Benne; Joe Travis; Bob Markwart; Floyd Cornell; David Titus; Jim Hopkins. Not pictured: Gordon Delamarter; Jim Sherman.

During Floyd's high school years he was very active in 4-H.

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Young 4-H club members from this vicinity are greatly interested in the state 4-H fair this week at Michigan State college as a number of them

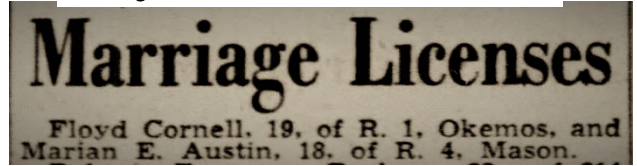


have entries. Among those showing are Richard Benne, John Moxely, Mackie Black, Ronald Benson, Rhoda Kelly, Max Benne, **Floyd Cornell**, Don Klies, Dick Massey, Frederick Buchler and John Eberely. Some of these will also appear on judging teams. The entries are poultry, cattle, and horses in livestock

groups, while Rhoda Kelly is showing a sunshine cake.

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Floyd married Marian Edith Austin 11 March 1950, Okemos. The couple lived in the Lansing area for several years



while Floyd was employed at the Milling Forge, a Lansing foundry. Floyd later moved his family, which would expand to 5 children, to the Clare County, Michigan area where they lived for a number of years.

Floyd and Marian both died 1 October 2002, Clare County. No newspaper obituary has been located. They were interred together Pleasant Plains Cemetery, Harrison, Clare County.