
Samuel & Jessie Cahill

Samuel O. Cahill

Born: 1854 Ohio
Father's Birth Place: Ohio
Mother's Birth Place: Virginia

Jessie W. Cahill

Born: 1857 Iowa
Father & Mother's Birth Place: Ohio

1900 Census. Precinct 12, Otero, Colorado

Samuel O. Cahill	Head	46 years	Ohio
Jessie W. Cahill	Wife	43 years	Iowa
Harry L. Cahill	Son	14 years	Ohio
Gertrude Cahill	Dau	22 years	Kansas
Durell Cahill	Son	7 years	Arkansas
Hobert Cahill	Son	5 years	Arkansas
Gladus Cahill	Dau	2 years	Arkansas

1909 Miss Gertie Cahill returned Sunday to her school duties at Hugo after spending Sunday with her parents. *Rogue River Courier*. June 4, 1909. [Personal And Local](#).

1910 Census. Grants Pass Ward 1 Precinct, Josephine County, Oregon

Samuel Cahill	Head	56 years	Ohio
Jusie Cahill	Wife	53 years	Iowa
Gertrude Cahill	Dau	22 years	Kansas
Durell Cahill	Son	17 years	Arkansas
Hubert Cahill	Son	15 years	Arkansas
Gladys Cahill	Dau	13 years	Arkansas
Bernice Cahill	Dau	6 years	Montana

Samuel was a farmer and Gertrude was a teacher.

Samuel Cahill Family, Early Settlers: ca., 1910s - 19??

1911 "Seven-year old Orville was a second grader at the Hugo School during the 1911 - 1912 school year. He had a new teacher, Miss Gertie Cahill. Miss Cahill had been a former student at Hugo as her family was local and had a big ranch by the McKys on Quartz Creek Road about a half mile from the Hugo School."¹

"Paul Cahill was the brother of teacher Miss Gertie Cahill. Bernice Cahill was the youngest, about Juanita Dingler's age, and went to school with Orville and Juanita. Anyway, one time Paul killed a pig in the fall of the year and he smoked all of it. It was along towards spring and Bernice Cahill came over to the Dingers and asked Fred Dingler if he would come over and see about Paul. Fred asked, "What is the matter?" Bernice responded, "Well he is sick from eating that pig." Paul's mother would not eat the pig as it had looked to her that it had spoiled, but Paul ate a bunch of it and got sick."¹

1912 Hubert Cahill of Hugo celebrated the Fourth of July by killing his first bear. The lad, with his brother, Durell, was out with the "30-30" hunting jack rabbits in the orchard when they ran across bruin digging ants from a rotten log. The animal was of the black species and weighed about 200 pounds. *Rogue River Courier*. July 12, 1912. [Hugo Boy Kills A Bear](#).

1913 Mrs. Cahill joined her husband and son for a week at their ranch here. Their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hall, stopped over on their way to San Francisco and were guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Martin. *Rogue River Courier*. April 11, 1913. [Hugo Items](#).

Hugo Boy Kills A Bear

1915 Gladys Cahill was one of 35 students, largest class ever graduated [from Grants Pass High] numbering thirty-four members. It is one of the best and strongest classes that has completed a high school course. *The Oregon Observer*. May 19, 1915.

1920 Bernice Cahill and Juanita Dingler, of Hugo, and Iva Wright, visited the school Friday afternoon. March 15, 1920. [Three Pines Weekly](#)

1920 Census. Lucky Queen, Josephine County, Oregon

Harry L. Cahill	Farmer	32 years	Ohio
Hubert Cahill	Farmer	24 years	Arkansas

1920 Mrs. Jessie Cahill went to Grants Pass Saturday to visit friends. *Rogue River Courier*. April 2, 1920. [Hugo](#). Mrs. Jessie Cahill spent Thursday in Grants Pass visiting friends. Miss Bernice Cahill spent Saturday in Grants Pass shopping. *Rogue River Courier*. April 30, 1920. [Hugo](#). Miss Gladys Cahill of San Francisco, Cal., arrived Sunday night for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Jessie Cahill. *Rogue River Courier*, September 24, 1920. [Hugo](#). Miss Mabel Harris, of Omaha, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jessie Cahill. *Rogue River Courier*. December 3, 1920. [Hugo](#).

1932 By 1932 Harry would own the Cahill ranch in Hugo.

Want more information? Contact an officer of the *Hugo Neighborhood* on how you can become involved in your community's history and land use.

1. Hugo Neighborhood. 2004. *Orville's Hugo Memories: 1910 - 1920*. Hugo, OR.

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