

Back to Wigston After 44 Years



Visiting Wigston for the first time in 44 years are Mr & Mrs Percy Farnell. Who emigrated to Hawkes Bay New Zealand in 1919.

They have been spending a few days with Mr & Mrs Orson Lucas at 78 Bull Head Street Wigston Magna.

Mr Farnell retired three years ago after a lifetime in farming. He and his wife were frequent visitors to the Lucas's farm before they emigrated. They have only one complaint about England – "all this rain".

Pictured from left to right are:- Mr Farnell, Mrs Lucas and Mrs Farnell.

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Note from Duncan Lucas:

The Farnells were related to the Forryan's. Mrs Lucas nee Forryan was their cousin linking back to Witham in Oxfordshire.

Mr Farnell on his journey from "LMS" Station asked where have Knighton Fields gone? He has left in 1920.