

27-inch-long bull trout caught in lake

OUT OF THE PAST

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100 YEARS AGO

June 16, 1921

A bull trout 27 inches long and weighing 9 pounds was caught in the lake by W.E. Leffel who exhibited it in Joseph and afterward sent it to friends outside as an exhibit of Wallowa county's attractions.

Fire which swept with astonishing speed nearly destroyed a five-room bungalow on West First street, which had been rented furnished to C.D. Jones. Mrs. Jones, alone with her baby, ran thru the parlor, where the flames already were eating their way, and out the front door. She did not even stop to put on her shoes.

The greater part of Wallowa county's wool clip is

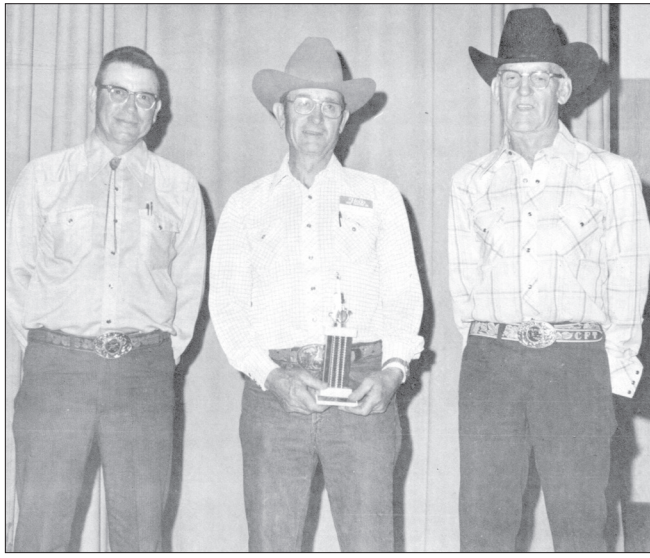
now off the sheep's backs and ready for market. The total number of sheep in the county is estimated at 95,250 plus there are about 35,000 sheep from outside the county grazing for the summer in the forests.

75 YEARS AGO

June 20, 1946

Five girls, four from Joseph and one from Enterprise, are now entered in the contest for queen of the Chief Joseph Days celebration. The girls, together with the number of votes each has received are: Mina Drake, 23,925; Carmen Turnbow, 14,225; Rita Daisley, 10,100; Catherine Daggett, 6,050; Jean Best, 2,500. Boxes for depositing votes are placed throughout the county.

Miss Gertrude Kirsch, home economics teacher in Enterprise, was one of 13 teachers to receive a grant



Wallowa County Chieftain, File

Old Time Fiddlers county champs Charles Trump, Lester Kiesecker and Don Norton, as pictured in this July 27, 1978, file photo.

from the Sears-Roebuck foundation to improve faculty and student lounge, construction of play school equipment, and remodeling

and renovation of the Girls' League room.

The Joseph shoe hospital, owned and operated by Frank Shevlin, moved last week to

the room recently vacated by the Joseph Radio and Electric. Glen Payne is moving his card room from the Chief Joseph hotel to the space vacated by the shoe hospital.

Father of the Year.

25 YEARS AGO

June 13, 1996

For the first time in its 7-year history, one of the entries in the Oregon Mountain Cruise car show was involved in an accident while leaving the county. Both occupants of the car escaped serious injury, but the newly-customized 1927 Ford street rod did not fare as well.

60 fiddlers from four states filled Cloverleaf Hall at the annual Wallowa County Old-Time Fiddle Contest last weekend. Perennial Wallowa County champion Charles Trump of Wallowa maintained his title in the open division with 15-year-old Robyn Freatman of rural Enterprise fiddling her way to the runner-up slot. Trump went on to also win the very competitive championship division contest.

50 YEARS AGO

June 17, 1971

All three banks in Wallowa county were warned by the FBI that they might be robbed some time on Wednesday. Surveillance of each of the banks was conducted during the day and bank personnel were on edge throughout the day. It was learned later that a robbery had been attempted in another part of the state.

Mrs. Maude Ortman received her 60-year Jewel as a Rebekah. She has been a member of the Emerald Rebekah Lodge 119 in Enterprise throughout the 60 years.

Wayne McFetridge has been named the Oregon

DON'T FORGET: RECYCLE THIS PAPER

A Celebration of Life
will be held on June 26, 2021, at 11:00 for
Dorothy (Dot) Pace
at the Enterprise Christian Church.
Please come ready to share a story or two as we celebrate the life of an amazing woman.
Lunch will be provided.

FOR THE RECORD

JUNE 7

- 1:26 a.m.** — A suicide attempt was reported in Enterprise.
- 8:03 a.m.** — A single-vehicle crash was reported in rural Enterprise.
- 8:27 a.m.** — An injured deer was reported in Enterprise.
- 8:49 a.m.** — Vandalism was reported in Imnaha or Wallowa.
- 8:53 a.m.** — Single-vehicle crash was reported in rural Joseph. Oregon State Police handling investigation.
- 9:37 a.m.** — Motorist assist was requested in rural Joseph. Referred to OSP.
- 10:05 a.m.** — Public assistance was requested in Joseph.
- 2:08 p.m.** — A welfare check was requested in Enterprise.
- 5:56 p.m.** — Scam/fraud was reported in Enterprise.
- 6:07 p.m.** — A welfare

check requested in rural Joseph.

6:58 p.m. — A noise complaint was reported in Enterprise.

11:48 p.m. — A found debit card was reported in Enterprise.

JUNE 8

- 1:45 p.m.** — A loose calf was reported in rural Enterprise.
- 1:48 p.m.** — A welfare check was requested in Wallowa.
- 8:10 p.m.** — An overdue firefighter was reported in rural Enterprise. The firefighter returned safely.
- 8:38 p.m.** — Loose cattle were reported on Hurricane Creek Road in rural Enterprise.

JUNE 9

- 2:17 p.m.** — A lost item was reported in rural Enterprise.
- 3:51 p.m.** — An abandoned vehicle was reported in rural Enterprise.
- 4:35 p.m.** — A suspicious vehicle was reported in Enterprise.

5:54 p.m. — A disturbance was reported in Enterprise.

6:42 p.m. — A traffic complaint on Highway 82 in rural Lostine was referred to OSP.

7:51 p.m. — Public assistance was requested at Wallowa Lake State Park.

7:51 p.m. — A welfare check was requested in rural Enterprise.

9:53 p.m. — Daniel Joseph McCaulou, 27, of Mountain Home, Idaho, was arrested by the Enterprise Police Department on charges of assault IV domestic violence, harassment and menacing. He was transported to the Umatilla County Jail.

JUNE 10

- 11:22 a.m.** — Trespassing was reported in Lostine.
- 1:19 p.m.** — Assault was reported in Joseph.
- 3:08 p.m.** — A theft was reported in Joseph.
- 3:15 p.m.** — A traffic complaint in rural Enterprise on Highway 82 was referred to OSP.
- 4:59 p.m.** — A domestic disturbance was reported in Joseph.
- 5:21 p.m.** — A noise complaint was reported in Imnaha.

JUNE 11

- 1:27 a.m.** — An animal complaint was reported in Wallowa.
- 8:37 a.m.** — A welfare check was requested in rural Enterprise.
- 9:51 a.m.** — A traffic complaint was reported in Wallowa.
- 10:27 a.m.** — A possible theft was reported in Joseph.
- 10:50 a.m.** — A welfare check was requested in Enterprise.
- 1:19 p.m.** — A hit-and-run accident was reported in Enterprise.
- 2:11 p.m.** — A suspicious vehicle was reported in Joseph.
- 5:02 p.m.** — A residential structure fire was reported in Enterprise.
- 5:11 p.m.** — A traffic complaint was reported in rural Joseph. EPD arrested Wade Allen Hougham, 66, of Enterprise, on charges of DUII.
- 5:29 p.m.** — A traffic com-

plaint was reported in rural Enterprise.

7:15 p.m. — Found property was reported in Enterprise.

7:23 p.m. — A road hazard was reported in rural Enterprise.

7:40 p.m. — A yearling steer was reported wandering in rural Joseph.

10:24 p.m. — A noise complaint was reported in Enterprise.

JUNE 12

- 2:58 p.m.** — Public assistance was requested in Enterprise.
- 5:39 p.m.** — Criminal mischief was reported in Wallowa.
- 5:43 p.m.** — Possible restraining order violation was reported in Enterprise.
- 6:13 p.m.** — Public assistance was requested in Enterprise.
- 8:08 p.m.** — A suspicious person was reported near Wallowa Lake.
- 9:02 p.m.** — Public assistance was requested in Enterprise.
- 11:04 p.m.** — A verbal domestic disturbance was reported in Enterprise.

JUNE 13

- 3:54 a.m.** — A noise complaint was reported in Enterprise.
- 10:28 a.m.** — Report of missing horses were reported in rural Wallowa.
- 2:58 p.m.** — Property damage from a hit-and-run was reported in Enterprise.
- 3:30 p.m.** — An accident was reported in rural Lostine.
- 7:16 p.m.** — Public assistance was requested in Joseph.
- 7:43 p.m.** — Traffic complaint was reported in Enterprise.
- 8:25 p.m.** — EPD impounded a vehicle for no insurance during a traffic stop in Enterprise.
- 9:01 p.m.** — A welfare check was requested in Wallowa.
- 9:16 p.m.** — Traffic complaint was reported in rural Enterprise.
- 9:22 p.m.** — A firearms complaint was reported in Joseph.

Gerald Leon Crawford

July 2, 1936 - March 7, 2021

Gerald Leon Crawford, long-time resident of Joseph, peacefully passed to his place in heaven on March 7, 2021 in his home. Born July 2, 1936 in Baker, Oregon to Harry and Norma (Jensen) Crawford, Gerald grew up in Baker, graduating Baker High School in 1953 at sixteen. He immediately started work at Oregon Lumber.

Gerald met (Mary) Lorraine Christman of North Powder in 1955, and they married on October 5, 1956. The couple moved to Pilot Rock in 1957 where Gerald worked at US Gypsum until 1962 when, taking a leap of faith, he enrolled at Eastern Oregon College moving his family which now included two sons, to La Grande. By January 1, 1966, Gerald had earned his Bachelor of Science in Education, graduating Cum Laude, and was hired to teach in the Halfway Elementary School for the Pine Eagle School District. He attended summer school at San Jose State on a grant in 1968, and earned a Master of Science Degree in Education from Eastern Oregon College in 1972. The family moved to Joseph, Oregon in the summer of 1976 where Gerald taught until 1994.

After retiring, Gerald enjoyed a happy and fulfilling life traveling extensively with Lorraine across North America. He volunteered as an assistant coach for Boys' Golf and scorekeeper for Girls' Basketball at Enterprise High School.

Gerald contributed to his community through his over fifty-year membership in the Masonic Lodge and Eastern Star, serving in various state offices and committees and as the Maxine Assembly's Rainbow Dad and once as State Rainbow Dad. He was also proud of his work as a forty-year member of the Shrine, and the family would like any memorial contributions to be made specifically to the Portland Shriners' Hospital. Gerald enjoyed wood-working, fishing, camping, hunting and golf. The Crawfords were members of the Enterprise Community Church.

Survivors include: wife Lorraine, son Michael (Tammy), Enterprise; son Darryl (Tammy), Cocololla; brother Donald (Beverly), Pendleton, grandson (Michael)Bo (Catherine) Crawford of Las Vegas; grandson Kyle (Kate) Crawford, Enterprise; granddaughter Chelsey (Jed), Tacoma; granddaughter Brandi (Joey) Kent, Post Falls; and eight great-grandchildren.

Gerald was interred in the Prairie Creek Cemetery with a service officiated by Archie Hook of Enterprise Community Church, assisted by the Joseph Masonic Lodge. A celebration of life will be held Saturday, July 3, with a potluck gathering behind the Enterprise Community Church starting at 2:00. For details call (541)398-1130. All friends are invited.



Larry Dale Jacobson

February 7, 1959 - May 17, 2021

Larry Dale Jacobson was born February 7, 1959 in Lebanon, Oregon. He was called to Heaven on May 17, 2021, being greeted by loved ones.

Larry lived in Gates and Mill City, Oregon for his younger years. Then moved to John Day, Oregon, graduating from Grant Union high school in 1977. He also lived in Mt. Vernon, Astoria and Lostine, Oregon. Larry was a hard worker at Ford Motor Co., Oregon State Parks and 33-1/2 years with the Oregon Department of Transportation in John Day, Astoria and Enterprise, Oregon, where he retired from in June 2013. Larry was a volunteer ambulance driver and a reserve officer in John Day, Oregon. He also worked at the Forest Service fighting fires in his spare time supporting his family.

Larry's greatest joy was his family. On Sept. 15th, 1978, Larry married his high school sweetheart, Juanita Dennis. They went on to have two children Ryan and Christina.

Larry enjoyed scuba diving, and hunting, teaching and raising his children with hunting, fishing, camping and anything outdoors. Larry was a perfectionist with cooking and smoking dinners, for family gatherings and sharing with anyone who came around to visit.

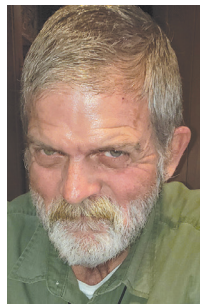
Larry took pride in his family and home always making sure he had a well groomed lawn and place to come and visit at all times.

Larry fought several battles, Lyme disease, IPF (ideopathic pulmonary fibrosis), gallbladder, hernias and then Non Hodgkin's Follicular Lymphoma stage 4 cancer which took him home. Larry still had his smile and sense of humor through all of this with a positive attitude.

Larry was preceded in death by his mom Geneva; his grandparents, Nina and Virgil Hoover; brother-in-law Carl; mother-in-law Dorothy; aunts and uncles Jim and Shirley Hoover, Delbert and Mae Neal and his fur babies Heidi and Sausha.

Larry is survived by his wife of 43 years of marriage and together 45-1/2 years with Juanita; son Ryan and his son Levi, three daughters Hailey, Ryleigh and Remi; daughter Christina and (Jeremiah) and their two daughters Tina and Alyse; father Eugene Jacobson; sister-in-law Dorothy and (Robert); best friend Duane Dennis; and fur babies Missy and Louie.

Juanita would also like to thank everyone for all your support through Larry's illnesses during and after. Larry's family will love and miss him always but this is not good bye. Just see you later! 1434 LJ



Weather Forecast



Courtesy of Weather Underground - wunderground.com

	High	Low	Conditions
June 17	81	49	sunny
June 18	86	54	sunny
June 19	86	54	mostly sunny
June 20	82	54	most sunny
June 21	87	56	sunny
June 22	88	57	mostly sunny
June 23	85	56	mostly sunny

Phases of the moon

June 17	June 24	July 1	July 9
1st Quarter	Full Moon	Last Quarter	New Moon

WALLOWA COUNTY SUNRISE & SUNSET JUNE 17-23
(from the U.S. Naval Observatory)

THUR	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUES	WED
5:00	5:00	5:00	5:01	5:01	5:01	5:02
8:41	8:41	8:41	8:41	8:41	8:42	8:42

2021 EASTERN OREGON PHOTO CONTEST

Official Rules:

Photo Contest open now and closes at 11:59 pm Sunday, June 20, 2021.

Staff will choose the top 10. The public can vote online for People's Choice from 12:01 am Monday, June 21 through 11:59 pm Thursday, June 30.

Digital or scanned photos only, uploaded to the online platform. No physical copies. Only photographers from Oregon may participate.

The contest subject matter is wide open but we're looking for images that capture life in Eastern Oregon.

Entrants may crop, tone, adjust saturation and make minor enhancements, but may not add or remove objects within the frame, or doctor images such that the final product doesn't represent what's actually before the camera.

The winners will appear in the July 8th edition of Go Magazine; the top 25 will appear online.

Gift cards to a restaurant of your choice will be awarded for first, second and third place.

Submit all photos online at:

wallowacountychieftain.com/photocontest