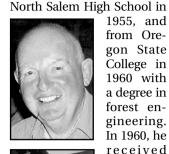
OBITUARIES

Dale Albert Wood

April 7, 1937 - Sept. 20, 2015 Dale Albert Wood, 78, of Foster, died Sept. 20 in Albany following a four-year battle with pancreatic can-

He was born in Brainerd, Minn., to Loyd and Laura (Ellis) Wood. The family moved to Salem when he

was 2 years old. Dale graduated from



1955, and from Oregon State College in 1960 with a degree in forest engineering. In 1960, he received

his commission as a second lieutenant and served

in the Oregon Army National Guard for eight years, retiring with the rank of cap-

He was hired as a forest engineer by Willamette National Lumber Company in Foster; the company later became Willamette Industries. Dale held a variety of positions during his 35-year tenure with the company and retired in 1995, as manager of Oregon logging operations for Willamette Indus-

Dale married Joan Louise Kleinke in December of

He is a past master of Sweet Home Masonic Lodge No. 202 and is a life member of East Linn Masonic Lodge No. 44.

Following retirement, he and Joan enjoyed motorhome trips to fish, hunt, and explore Oregon and the desert southwest.

They hiked the Alps of Austria, Switzerland, France, Italy and Slovenia. Each winter they hiked the Grand Canyon.

west of Monmouth.

Monmouth, OR.

For many years they maintained the U.S. Forestry Service Weiderman Trail, a historic cattle drive route east of Sweet Home.

Survivors include his wife of 51 years, Joan Louise Wood, of Foster; daughters, Laurie Krei, of Pleasant Hill, and Sara (Gary) Blefgen, of Portland; sister, Karen (LeRoy) Rempel, of Dallas; one granddaughter; and extended family.

Celebration of life is Saturday at 10:30 a.m. at Jim Riggs Community Center, 878 18th Ave., Sweet Home.

At his request, his cremains will be spread in the

Contributions are suggested to Evergreen Samaritan Hospice, 1046 Sixth Ave. SW, Albany, OR 97321-1999.

Sweet Home Funeral Chapel handled arrangements.

Mary Ellen **Chisholm**

July 8, 1918 - Sept. 23, 2015 Mary Ellen Chisholm, 97, of Lebanon, died Sept. 23.

Service is pending with Farnstrom Mortuary, Independence, 503-838-1414.

To share an online tribute: www.FarnstromMortuary.

James L. Pollard

June 18, 1926 - Sept. 19, 2015 James L. "Jim" Pollard, 89, of Dallas, died Sept. 19 in

He was born to John and Pricey Pauley in West Virginia and raised in Kentucky. He married Mary Jane in November of 1956, and they had five children.

Jim served in the Navy for 20 years, retiring in 1965. After serving in the military, the family moved to Tillamook County, where they lived for 20 years.

Jim worked for the Oregon State Department of Forestry before starting his company, Tillamook

Douglas Warren died in his sleep at

his Monmouth home on the morning of

September 15, 2015. Douglas was born in

Richmond, Virginia in 1928. He was the

youngest of six children born to Ward and

Ruth Peralta Warren. He retired from the

Long Beach Navy Shipyard in 1984 where

he worked as a Marine Machinist. In 1993

Douglas and his wife Romaine relocated

from San Bernardino, California to Mon-

mouth, Oregon where they have lived for

the past twenty-two years. When Douglas settled in Monmouth he discovered that

he had returned to his ancestral roots. His great-grandfather, Robert J. Hendricks,

DOUGLAS LEE WARREN

Dec. 22, 1928 - Sept. 15, 2015

was an Oregon Pioneer who arrived in Oregon in 1852 and

homesteaded a farm in Cooper Hollow a few miles south-

Douglas was seventeen when World War II ended, but

he wanted to serve so he joined the U.S. Navy in December

of 1945. He was discharged from the Navy in 1947 and at-

tended a community college, studying mechanics. In 1949

he joined the U.S. Army and became a tank mechanic in

the 2nd Infantry Division. In 1950 Douglas met and married

Romaine, his wife of sixty-four years. Douglas was sent with his infantry division in 1951 to fight in the Korean

Douglas is survived by his wife Romaine, and three daughters, Diana Fowler of Rantoul, Illinois. Lin Kotiches

of Running Springs, California and Kathy Ann Phillips of

State College, Pennsylvania. Another daughter, Sandi

Ogendahl preceded Douglas in death in 2012. Douglas is

also survived by nine grandchildren and ten great-grand-

children. He is also survived by an older brother, Donald

Memorial Services will be held on October 10, 2015 at

In lieu of flowers Romaine has asked that memorial

donations be made to the Polk County Child Evangelism

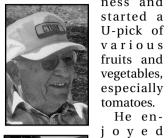
Fellowship, P.O. Box 425, Dallas, OR 97338.

10:30 AM at Ash Creek Bible Church 1483 N. 16th Street,

Ward Warren of Fontana, California.

Restoration. They also had a farm where they raised Murry Green Beef, and he taught his children the benefits of hard work. In 1986, they sold the farm and moved to Dallas.

His love for farming, making hay and growing vegetables filled his days. In time, they gave up the cattle busi-



o y e d meeting different people who would come to

He en-

pick, visiting with them and making new friends.

He provided much to the gleaners and many charitable organizations. His wit was quick, and he enjoyed making people smile wherever they were. Garage sales and auctions were a great joy to him too.

He was preceded in death by his four siblings and two children, Sandy and Cathy.

Survivors include his wife of more than 58 years, Mary Jane; children, Joe, of Washington, and Paul and Fran, both of Oregon; four grandchildren; and 14 greatgrandchildren.

Interment will be Oct. 8 at 2 p.m. at Willamette National Cemetery, Portland. Celebration of his life is noon on Oct. 10 at the family farm in Dallas. Feel free to bring an artificial flower with your name on it as a lasting me-

Dallas Mortuary Tribute Center handled arrangements.

To send an online tribute: www.dallastribute.com.

Saige Marie Selwyn

May 27, 2003 - Sept. 21, 2015 Saige Marie Selwyn, 12, of Grand Ronde, died Sept. 21. "Pooh Bear Saigie" died from injuries received in a

bike and auto accident. She was born in Portland to Belinda Mercier, her birth mother, and adopted and raised by Anthony Allen and Marcella May Norwest Sel-

Saige had lived in Port-

land, Sheridan and Grand Ronde areas. For the past three years, she had attended West Valley Christian School in Grand Ronde.

She was ready to enter the seventh grade at Oregon Connections Academy. Saige was baptized into the Catholic Church on the Saturday before she died.

Saige was assertive in things she tried to achieve. She was a good student and earned As and Bs. She loved beading, making rubber band bracelets, sewing, dolls, teaching kids what she knew, dancing and powwows. She loved the elders of the tribe and always made sure to greet them. Saige also enjoyed taking a "selfie" with the police officers'



She was preceded in death by her grandfather, Clifford W. Melborne. Sur

vivors include her parents, Tony and Marcella Selwyn; sisters, Mary Lopez and Codie Haller; brother, Youvani Ring; birth mother, Belinda; grandmother, Charlotte Melborne; and a large extended family.

Service was Monday at the Tribal Gym followed by vault interment at the Grand Ronde Tribal Cemetery.

Dallas Mortuary Tribute Center handled arrange-

To send an online tribute: www.dallastribute.com.

David Hunter

May 23, 1945 - Sept. 27, 2015 David Hunter, 70, of Dal las, died Sunday.

Service is Wednesday (today) at 11 a.m. at Dallas Mortuary Tribute Center and interment will be at Dallas Cemetery.

Dallas Mortuary Tribute Center handled arrangements

To send an online tribute: www.dallastribute.com.

Lois May Anthony Northrup

Aug. 20, 1920 - Sept. 26, 2015 Lois May Anthony Northrup, 95, of Canby, formerly of Dallas, died Saturday in Canby.

She was born to Charles and May Anthony at the

Lois graduated from high school in Beach, N.D. In 1942, Lois married Lyle Weinreis in Carlyle, Mont. Lyle died while serving in World War II. They had a son, Robert.

family farm home in Golva,

Lois married Neil Northrop in Ollie, Mont., on May 3, 1947. Neil and Lois spent their first years of marriage around the Beach area where they farmed. In 1952, they moved to southern Oregon and later settled in Dallas, where they lived for more than 50 years raising their family. Lois will



always be remembered for her lovely smile. There are not many among us

as kind, so thoughtful, and gracious as Lois.

She touched the lives of everyone she met, inspiring each to live their lives a little more thoughtfully, a little more gently, a little less self-

Lois will also be remembered for her hospitality, especially her home-cooked meals.

Lois was a wonderful cook, seamstress, gardener but most of all, a wonderful mother and grandmother. She always looked forward to spending time with family and friends.

Lois moved from the family home on Hawthorne in 2002 to Dallas Retirement Village, where she resided for six years. Her family then relocated her to the Portland

area to be closer to them. She was preceded in death by her husband, Neil; sister, Violet Weinreis; and

her son, Robert Weinreis. Survivors include her brothers, Leland Anthony (Louise), of Klamath Falls, and Harold, of White City; daughters, Pat Hoffman (Dale) and Judy Heinemann (Russ), all of Canby; sons, Richard (Carol), of Bend, and Paul (Kelly), of Lake Oswego; 16 grandchildren; 20 tended family.

Celebration of life is Saturday at 12:30 p.m. at Dallas Mortuary Tribute Center. Private interment will be at Restlawn Memory Gardens.

Contributions are suggested to the Alzheimer's Foundation of America, 322 Eighth Ave., Seventh Floor, New York, NY 10001.

To send an online tribute: www.dallastribute.com.

Patricia A. Reece

Oct. 2, 1936 - Sept. 28, 2015 Patricia A. Reece, 78, of Dallas died Monday in

Salem. Service is Sunday at 1 p.m. at Dallas Mortuary Tribute Center. For service information: 503-623-2325.

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Firefighters wear pink for cancer

awareness

POLK COUNTY — Firefighters with Polk County Fire District No. 1 and Dallas Fire & EMS will wear hot pink shirts to show their support for the fight against breast cancer during the first week

of October. Personnel from both Polk Fire No. 1 and Dallas Fire & EMS are taking part in this fundraiser. Volunteers and employees of the agencies will purchase the custom shirts. Proceeds benefit the Susan G. Komen organiza-

tion. The firefighters and paramedics expect to raise roughly \$700 for the organization.

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Leotta Elaine Bush, a resident of Yamhill, Oregon was born July 16, 1927 in McClay, Oregon, to Charles Henery and Lucy Mae Breedon. She was the 12th child born in a family of 12 children. Leotta was preceded in death by her parents, her beloved husband of 58 years, Treval Allen Bush; a daughter Elaine Yvonne Martin; 4 brothers, 5 sisters, 1 grand-



son and a great granddaughter. She is survived by 3 adult children, Cynthia Lee Bush (Randy), Craig Allen Bush (Julie), Barbara Ann Bush Mathews (Robert) also a foster daughter Donna Marie Perry Cabrara; 9 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren, 2 great great grandchildren and 2 sisters Jessie Clayton and Pearl Embree.

Leotta loved her family and extended family, camping trips with children and grandchildren, family reunions and her flower gardens. She worked at Carlton Grade School for 24 years and was also a 4-H leader. So many things and people were always impor-

tant in her life here on Earth. She will be greatly missed by all. Funeral services will be held on Friday, October 2, at 1:00 PM at the chapel of Macy & Son with viewing on Thursday, October 1 from 4-7 PM at the Chapel. Interment will be held at the Evergreen Memorial Park Cemetery. A potluck will follow the interment at the American Legion Hall in Carlton.

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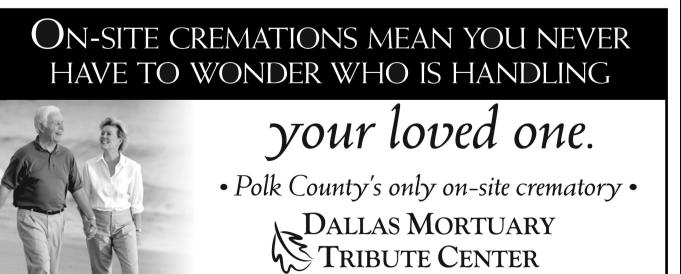
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