

HARDMAN NEWS

Pioneer of 1884 Buried at Hardman

By HARDMAN HIGH SCHOOL
Everybody in Hardman and vicinity felt a definite loss last week when word was received here on Monday of the death of Mrs. James Allen. Marinda Henry was born in Berring county, Michigan, July 14, 1850, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Henry. In 1862 the Henrys came west, making the trip by ox team, and settled in Uniontown, Ore. The place was so named for Mr. Henry as he was the first Union man to settle there. The name has since been changed to Union. Two years later they went to Forest Grove and it was there in 1868 that Marinda Henry, then 18 years old, and James Harrison Allen were married. After two years the Allens went to eastern Washington and settled on a farm on Whiskey creek near Dayton. In 1884 they moved to a ranch six miles west of Hardman in Rood canyon, and their home has been in or near Hardman ever since. Mr. Allen died here in April, 1915.

She had been affectionately called Grandma Allen for years; and many of the Hardman people who have known her for only 20 years or so did not realize that her name was Marinda. In fact many friends wrote to her using no other name than "Grandma Allen" on the letter.

Grandma Allen for several years had spent the severest months at either Walla Walla or Freewater. She left Hardman in October, and at the time of her death was at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Roy W. Young in Walla Walla, where she had arrived the previous week. She became ill after a car ride on Monday, Feb. 19, and soon the relatives and friends realized that the end might be near. She lay down to rest and simply went to sleep about 2 1/2 hours after her ride.

The funeral was held here at Hardman on Wednesday, Feb. 21, and in spite of the very bad condition of the roads, an unusually large number of friends and relatives assembled at the little church. Mrs. Neal Knighten and Mrs. Marvin Brannon sang "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Near to the Heart of God," accompanied by Mrs. G. I. Clary. Rev. Martin Clark of Heppner had charge of the services. The pall bearers were Owen Leathers, Carey Hastings, Elwood Hastings, John Hastings, Fan Miller, Dick Steers. Burial was in the Hardman cemetery.

Three of Grandma Allens children died while young of diphtheria and later Mrs. John Stevens passed away but six daughters and one son survive: Mrs. Ethel McDaniel, Mrs. Kinard McDaniel of Hardman, Mrs. Ben Stanton of Freewater, Mrs. Harlan Weeks of Enterprise, Mrs. Fred Bartmess of Martinez, Calif., and Mrs. Bessie Craber of Walla Walla, Wash.; John Allen of Hardman; also a brother, Lorenzo Henry of Lapwai, Idaho. There are 35 grandchildren: Miss Fairy Stanton, Ecle and Eldred Stanton of Walla Walla, Misses Mary and Reita, and Dale Stanton, Mrs. Roy Young, Mrs. S. V. Smith, Mrs. J. E. Wright, Mrs. Frank Ringel, and Clyde Craber, all of Walla Walla, Floyd Craber of California, Misses Vern, Vera, Ramona McDaniel and Dallas, Delvin and Cecil McDaniel of Hardman, Mrs. Louis Peterson of Reno, Nev., Misses Hope, Loma Bartmess, and Jay Bartmess of Martinez, Calif., Misses Edith and Alta Stevens, Jim and Harold Stevens of Hardman, Misses Maxine, Harriet, Mary and Inez Phaces, also Allen Phaces, Ervin, Lorine and Ernest Allen; also 14 great grandchildren: Gay Harshman, Bobby Stevens, Hazel, Shirley and Sharon Stanton, Roy Young, Jr., Grace Young, Donald, Dick and Sylvia Smith, Shirley and Jean Wright, Bobby and Charles Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl McDaniel of Lonerock were guests at the Owen Leathers home Tuesday. They returned to their home on Wednesday.

Forty-five enthusiastic sponsors of winter sports spent Sunday at Chapin meadows skiing and bob sledding. Although some went especially early to get the benefit of skiing, everyone got there by din-

ner time. They were driven home by the rain. If the snow doesn't continue, the crowd enjoyed themselves so much they say they will carry out other sport.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Redding of Eight Mile visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Redding, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald and Lewis and Mrs. Roy Robinson visited in Heppner from Thursday to Saturday of last week.

Tommy and Henry Graham were visitors for a short time here on Sunday.

Miss Maxine McDonald visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McDaniel, Jr., at the Clyde Wright home Saturday.

Those in Heppner on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hastings, and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Max Buschke and children, Misses Vera McDaniel and Clara Adams, and also Donald and Creston Robinson and Lewis McDonald.

On Thursday evening the Seven Seamly Stitches met with all the members present. A demonstration on seams was given by Jeanne Leathers and Mildred Clary.

Les Robinson returned to Ray Wright's to work. He has worked there in previous months. Also Dallas McDaniel went to Harvey Harshman's, and Delvin McDaniel to Harlan McCurdy's.

Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson and children left for their home in Fort Klamath, Monday. They have been visiting for the last month at the Blaine Chapel ranch where he has been doing carpenter work.

Bill Greener was a business visitor in Bend last week.

Since the roads were so bad, traveling by car was impossible, and Mrs. Roy Robinson rode in on horseback Wednesday to attend the funeral.

Marvin Brannon spent the week end at home. He is working at the Terrel Benga ranch.

Harold Dobyns of the Biological Survey from Pendleton, and Alva Stone of Heppner, a government trapper, made a business call on Oren McDaniel and Charles McDaniel, Tuesday.

Dick Steers was put on as a WPA trapper to start work March 15.

Ed McDaniel came home from Lonrock, Thursday, after a two weeks' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl McDaniel.

All those interested in school affairs from Rood canyon, Burton valley and Hardman met at the high school on Monday evening, Feb. 26, and discussed redistricting. Leonard Carlson, a member of the county redistricting committee, was in charge. Mrs. Lucy Rodgers and Assessor Tom Wells explained the

plan. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hynd of Cecil also came out as Mr. Hynd is on the committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Reid on Monday took Everett Hadley to the Beckner ranch where he will work.

The church in Hardman: Services Sunday, March 4, 1940: Morning, 11 o'clock, theme, "Grace"; evening, 7:30, theme, "The Man Child," Rev. chapter 12. E. L. Ely, pastor.

At a meeting of the Happy Health club on Monday, Feb. 19, games were played and songs sung, as it was the monthly social time. On Monday, Feb. 26, reports were given by Vera McDaniel and Mildred Clary. The next meeting will be on

March 4.

Mrs. Herb Hynd of Cecil and Mrs. George Bleakman of Heppner, and Miss Pat Bleakman who is working at Cecil came up to attend Grandma Allen's funeral on Wednesday, and visited the rest of the time at the B. H. Bleakman home.

Rain, snow and wind were predominate last week with a final rain and chinook on Sunday that melted most of the snow in the mountains and caused an abrupt end to skiing. From the looks of the weather even more rain and snow are coming.

Read G. T. Want Ads. You will find a bargain in something needed.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many Heppner and Morrow county friends for their messages of sympathy in our bereavement in the loss of our beloved husband and son.

Hazel Binns, wife,
Addie Binns, mother.

Barn Dance—To be given Wednesday night, 8:30 to 12:00 by Past Noble Grand club at I. O. O. F. hall. Ladies to wear print dresses and men overalls or pay a fine. 50c a couple. Your ticket includes light refreshment. **Come and bring your friends.**

Let G. T. Want Ads help you dispose of surplus stock.

Join the Happy Throng!

at the Merchants' Matinee
STAR THEATER, SATURDAY
March 1--2 o'clock p. m.

ASK for TICKETS HERE

Special Discount on all Food Products
bought for **CASH** at this store, **Friday-Saturday, March 1 and 2**

M. D. CLARK

Notice of Meeting

Farmers and Stockmen of Morrow County
are extended a cordial invitation to attend a
SPECIAL MEETING
of the
Morrow County Grain Growers Inc.
to be held in **LEACH HALL**

LEXINGTON
SATURDAY, MARCH 2
10:00 o'clock a. m.

For the purpose of amending the clause governing capital stock to permit the expansion program now pending, and for the transaction of any and other business that may come before the meeting.

Free Lunch at Noon
MEN, BRING YOUR WIVES!
WIVES, BRING YOUR MEN!
R. B. RICE, Sec.-Treas.

ENJOY SEAFOOD

Oysters, Clams
Shell Fish
of all kinds
Fresh from the Sea

FEATURED DAILY

FOUNTAIN AND LUNCH COUNTER SERVICE
Modern Booths

Contributions Taken for
CHINESE RELIEF SOCIETY
and Official Receipt Given

MEALS AT ALL HOURS

Elkhorn Restaurant
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