

Rev. Boulden Dies At Baker; Served Here Six Years

The Rev. Lester D. Boulden, pastor of Methodist churches in Weston and Milton-Freewater and former pastor in Heppner, died unexpectedly Friday at Baker.

He left Heppner about seven years ago after serving the Heppner Methodist church for six years and had been pastor of the churches in northern Umatilla county for the past year.

Memorial services were held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Milton-Freewater Methodist church with the Rev. Dick D. Morgan officiating. Burial was in the Milton-Freewater cemetery.

Among those from Heppner who attended the service were the Rev. Melvin Dixon, Mrs. Mattie Green, Mrs. Bill Farra, Mrs. Emma Hager, Mrs. Madge Bryant and Mrs. Amanda Duval.

The Rev. Boulden, who was 58 years of age, was on an outing in connection with his rock collecting hobby when he was stricken.

He was born March 13, 1908, in Birchwood, Wis., and attended high school and college in Montana, after which he entered a seminary in Sacramento, Calif.

In addition to the Methodist pastorates here and in Umatilla county, he had served churches at Scholls and Lakeview.

The Rev. Boulden was pastor of the Heppner Methodist church for six years, preceding the Rev. Austin McGhee and the Rev. Melvin Dixon here.

He was a member of Masonic Lodge No. 71, Lakeview; IOOF Lodge, Oregon City; and of the Lions club in Milton-Freewater. He was a director for Goodwill Industries at Walla Walla and a director of the Pea Festival in Milton-Freewater. He was also active in Boy Scout leadership.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Blanche Boulden; a daughter, Mrs. Celia Marpe, Spokane; his stepmother, Mrs. Elsie Boulden, Vancouver, Wn.; a sister, Mrs. Marian Lacy, Whitefish, Mont.; two grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.



THE REV. AND MRS. DAVID GODWIN

Assembly of God Announces Two Special Services

Two special services at the Assembly of God church, Heppner, are announced by the Rev. Billie Alsup, pastor.

Five former pastors have been invited to return for services Sunday, July 31, and the Rev. and Mrs. David Godwin, former missionaries to Costa Rica, will speak at a service Tuesday night, August 2, at the church.

The Godwins will also present special music and a film of their work as missionaries to Costa Rica. Their children, who have won acclaim for their singing, are expected to be with them.

Invited to be present for services Sunday are the following former pastors: The Rev. Sterl Spiez, the Rev. Shelby Graves, the Rev. Nels Fast, the Rev. Willis Gever and the Rev. Homer Wolfington. Sunday school and morning worship will be at the regular times, and a potluck dinner will follow at 1:30 p.m. Young people of the church will conduct an "open air" service at 6 p.m. and evening service will be at 7 o'clock.

The Rev. and Mrs. Godwin, who have been called by the Assemblies of God to serve in initiating work of the church in Panama, are currently making preparations for their new assignment.

They have served four years in Costa Rica and expressed a desire to go to Panama when the Assemblies of God entered that country. Before going to Costa Rica, the Godwins conducted evangelistic services in the United States and Central America, made several religious recordings and pastored a church in Oregon.

The service Tuesday night here will begin at 7 o'clock, and the Rev. Alsup extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend the Sunday and Tuesday services.

Kriegers Travel East For Month Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Krieger and four children returned Sunday, July 24, from a trip to Iowa by car. They left Heppner June 25 and stopped on the trip East at Bozeman, Mont., to visit friends.

The terrific heat and high humidity in Iowa forced them to decide against a previously planned trip further East and they spent the time visiting Mrs. Krieger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Whitmore in Oelwein, Iowa, and Mr. Krieger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Krieger in Dubuque, Iowa, and other friends and relatives in the area.

The family left Iowa to return home on July 20 and was able to spend one night at a cabin owned by relatives in the Snowy mountain range of Wyoming.

New Structure Nears Readiness for Grange

By MARY LEE MARLOW

BOARDMAN—The new Greenfield Grange hall has been under construction in the new townsite the past weeks, and is nearing completion. Lester Moen is the contractor and builder.

The structure will have a total of 3750 square feet of space. The main hall is 36 x 56 feet, the junior grange hall is 24 x 34 feet, and the kitchen, dining area and rest rooms combine 34 x 27 feet.

The building is expected to be completed by about August 15.

Mrs. Rollin Bishop was hostess for the Boardman Garden club Monday night of last week at her home. Roll call was answered by giving the name of a tree, shrub or bulb wanted for the yard.

Committee chairmen for next year were appointed as follows: finance, Mrs. Russell Miller; hospitality, Mrs. Claud Coats; membership, all members; publicity, Mrs. Frank Marlow; birds, Mrs. Rollin Bishop; cemetery, Mrs. Zeal Gillespie; litterbug, Mrs. Walter Hayes; wild flowers, Mrs. Arthur Allen; sunshine, Mrs. Leo Root; garden therapy, Mrs. Walter Wyss; bulbs, Mrs. Ralph Earwood; scrapbook, Mrs. Elmer Messenger.

Names were drawn for next year's Sandflower Sisters. In a guessing game prizes were won by Mrs. Frank Marlow and Mrs. Leo Root. Mrs. Arthur Allen won the door prize.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Glen Carpenter August 15.

The Home Economics Club of Greenfield Grange met Wednesday of last week at the home of Mrs. Arthur Allen, with Mrs. Russell Miller as co-hostess. The meeting started with luncheon at 12:30. Visitors included Carolyn and Marilyn Clark, Burns, Mrs. Bill Gregory and Mrs. Rollin Bishop.

The grange picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Thorpe in Hermiston August 21 will be at 2 p.m. instead of 1 p.m. as announced formerly. Due to the picnic there will be no club meeting in August.

Mrs. W. G. Seehafer and Mrs. Frank Marlow were appointed to furnish cakes to take to Pomona Grange to be held at Lexington July 30, at 7 p.m.

Mrs. George Sicard had emergency major surgery at St. Anthony hospital in Pendleton July 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Baker returned home Sunday from a ten day trip to the Yellowstone Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rash took Jim Crisman and Annie Obermeier to the Pinecroft Bible Camp near Blanchard, Idaho, Sunday where they will spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Brown, Pendleton, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Webb, and were overnight visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chub Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Parks, Coos Bay, were week-end visitors at the home of Parks' uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Sicard. Maxine Sicard returned to Portland with them and took the plane for Los Angeles, Calif. after visiting here a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Houston and children, Leo, Arlene, Donald and Sharon, La Grande, were week-end visitors at the home of Mrs. Houston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Potts.

Visitors the first of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Ely were their sons-in-law and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Newell Vaught and daughters Gail and Kelly, Kennewick, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. Marc McGowan, Pendleton. The McGowan's are moving to Monmouth where McGowan will attend school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cook and daughter Helen, Baker, former residents here, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. LaVern Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thorpe and children Connie and Billie, St. Helens, are visiting this week at the home of Mrs. Thorpe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Obermeier, and at the home of Thorpe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Thorpe, in Hermiston.

Carolyn and Marilyn Clark, Burns, visited last week at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Chub Warren. The Warren's took them to Long Creek Sunday where they were met by their parents.

Gloria Baldino, Portland, visited the past two weeks at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hayes.

Mrs. Frank Marlow spent three days in Walla Walla, Wash. last week, visiting her aunts, Mrs. Ernest Zerba, and Mrs. A. C. Knudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Messenger, The Dalles, were Friday visitors last week at the homes of Mrs. Messenger's brother-in-law and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Zeal Gillespie, and Mrs. Claud Coats.

There was a fair crowd out Saturday night for the Legion dance.

Guests this week-end were Mrs. M. K. Jones' father and sister from the East, who were visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. Merlin K. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Croker spent the week-end visiting at Salem.

Stella McCarty was here from Heppner over the week-end, visiting with her relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Mead Gilman had as visitors Sunday evening their granddaughter, er, oldest child of Mead, Jr., and some of her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Driscoll and baby have been in Heppner since last Wednesday visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Driscoll, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schmidt. Tom has been teaching at Reynolds high school in Portland for two years and started summer school at OCE in Monmouth this year to continue work towards his master's degree. However, he became ill with bronchitis and was forced to quit for the summer. The young couple has bought a home in Gresham. They plan to return there on Sunday.

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Machine Shop Fire Does Little Damage

A smoldering fire broke out during the noon hour Saturday in the small iron rack building of the Becket Equipment Company in Heppner. The fire whistle blew about 12:10 and proprietor Harold Becket returned to the shop immediately.

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Monument News

Dale Smith, second son of Owen and Dottie Smith, had an accident Saturday with his gun. It accidentally went off and the shot went into his knee. He was rushed to John Day by Ellis Hunt. They were working at the Kerns ranch in Fox.

Hugh Emery and a friend of Seattle, Wn., the Jewell families of Kinzua, and Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Emery and daughter Mary were among those coming for the services Saturday for Miss Aldura K. Briggs.

Miss Dorren Taylor, Dianna Hinton and Robin Scott spent Tuesday in Fox and Long Creek while Jessie Scott took her mother, Mrs. Elmer Matteson to Pendleton for medical care.

Louise Hunt and baby and Gracie Matteson drove to John Day last Tuesday for medical care for the baby.

Ben Spain left last Wednesday morning on a business trip, returning on Friday evening.

Mrs. Jessie E. Scott and Mrs. Georgia L. Porter drove to Canyon City Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Howell and baby moved into one of the McWills' homes last week.

Court to Attend Chief Joseph Days

Morrow county's photogenic Fair and Rodeo court will appear at the Chief Joseph Days celebration at Joseph this week-end as one of the visiting courts in the festivities.

Queen Erna Lynn Winchester and Princesses Verina French, Mardee Childers, Barbara Bloodworth and Susan Lindstrom will take part. They are taking horses over this year and will ride in the parade.

To the present time the court has made appearances at Arlington, Spray, Condon, Umatilla and Elgin, the latter last week-end. After the Joseph appearance, they will take part in the Umatilla county fair, and following the Morrow county fair and rodeo, in the Pendleton Round-up.

The Winchester's are staying through the week at Joseph attending the Elgin Stampede. The court rode in the parade Sunday and were among guests at a function for visiting courts in Elgin.

Second Swim Series to Start At Pool Tuesday

Second series of swimming lessons are scheduled to start at the Heppner municipal pool on Tuesday, August 2.

Registration will be at the pool on Monday, August 1, from 10:00 a.m. until noon, with the fee remaining at \$1.50.

There will be classes for beginners, advanced beginners, intermediate, swimmers, junior and senior lifesaving. Instructor Ron Gray will also take a class of not more than 10 four-year-olds, if they are tall enough and the parents feel they are ready for beginning lessons.

Gray, regular lifeguard at the pool, is teaching Boy Scouts this week for their merit badge.

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Trailer Spaces Going in at Park

Five trailer spaces on concrete slabs are now being constructed in Cutsforth Park, Orville Cutsforth, county parks commission chairman, said Wednesday.

The spaces, across the creek from the picnic ground, will have electrical and water hook-ups and sewer connections, he said. The park is now served by a power line from Columbia Basin Electric Cooperative.

A new water main is also being laid to serve the park. It is equivalent to a 2-inch main and will run some 1400 feet to a spring. As of Wednesday, 600 feet of the pipe had been laid with another 800 feet to go.

Work is being done by Howard Keithley under contract. Funds for the work were budgeted by the county. Matching funds from the federal government may be available for reimbursement, and the local money may be expended without the effect of nullifying the matching money, Cutsforth said.

Septic tanks and drain fields are being installed to serve the sewer connections.

While it is expected that work on the trailer will be finished some time next week, they will not be ready for public use at that time. Approaches and roadways have to be provided from the Coal Mine hill road.

One of the trailer spaces will be used by a caretaker. It is expected that fees will be charged for use of the spaces, probably at the rate of \$2 for one night's use, or \$10 per week.

Since the park is a county park and not one of the U. S. Forest Service, the federal conservation cards will not permit holders to use the spaces.

1st, 9th Graders Must Have Exams

Parents are reminded that Oregon School Law requires all incoming first and ninth grade students to have a pre-school physical examination and to present the completed form at school at the beginning of the school year, according to Mrs. Lowell Chally, R. N., Morrow county health department.

The "Oregon Pupil Medical Record" forms may be obtained in the doctor's offices, from the Morrow county health department, or from Morrow county schools.

Birth certificate application forms, required only for first graders, are also available in the health department office and will be mailed upon request (phone 676-9911 between 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon).

\$100 REWARD

Will be given for information leading to the arrest and conviction of anyone who has committed vandalism recently in or near Cutsforth park or who commits vandalism there in the future.

Such information should be submitted to Orville Cutsforth, Heppner, chairman of the county parks commission, or to Sheriff C. J. D. Bauman.

—ORVILLE CUTSFORTH
Chairman, Morrow County
Parks Commission

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