

# Mary Swanson, Daughter Of Pioneers, Dies at Age 83

By KATHERINE LINDSTROM

IONE — Mrs. Mary Louise Swanson, 83, a long-time resident of Ione and a member of a prominent pioneer family, passed away on Saturday, July 8, at Pioneer Memorial hospital in Heppner following a lingering illness.

Born on May 14, 1884 at Belota, Calif., Mrs. Swanson was the twin daughter of Frank A. and Anna Louise Lundell. Her twin brother, Oscar L. Lundell died at his home in Ione on February 14, 1964.

She came to Oregon by covered wagon with her parents, one sister, and five brothers in the fall of 1887. The family homesteaded in the Gooseberry area of Morrow county, where the children attended the rural school.

She was confirmed in 1898 at Valby Lutheran church in Gooseberry and has been an active member since.

On May 1, 1904, she was married to John Emil Swanson, who preceded her in death in 1943. They were the second couple to marry in the newly constructed Valby Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson homesteaded in the Morgan area and later moved to Ione, where he was manager of Farmers Elevator Co. and Morrow County Grain Growers.

Mrs. Swanson was chosen a Morrow County Mother of the Year in 1959. With the exception of four years spent in Idaho, her entire life was lived in Morrow county.

She was an active and devoted church member, having dual membership in Valby Lutheran and the United Church of Christ in Ione. She was a member of the first Congregational Church in Ione and was a deaconess when the Ione Cooperative Church was formed by the merger of three local churches. After serving as deaconess for many years, with the institution of the Ione United Church of Christ, she was elected an honorary deaconess, which position she held at the time of her death.

Mrs. Swanson was a 50-year member of Bunchgrass Rebekah Lodge No. 91 and was treasurer of that organization for the last 17 years. She had received the Degree of Chivalry in Rebekah. She was also a member of Locust Chapter No. 119, Order of the Eastern Star, and had served as chaplain for several years.

Survivors include two sons, Garland L. of Ione and Norman E. of Portland; two daughters, Mrs. Elmo (Eleanor A.) McMullan of Salem and Mrs. Adon (Eva M.) Hamlett of Ione; one brother, Ernest R. Lundell of Ione; 13 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the United Church of Christ on Tuesday morning, July 11, with the Rev. Walter B. Crowell officiating. Interment was in High View Cemetery.

Mrs. Paul Tewes was organist and Mrs. Fred Hoskins Jr., sang. Pallbearers were Mrs. Swanson's grandsons: Norman Clark, William, Gerald, Dennis E., John and James. Young grandsons Thomas and Richard Hamlett were honorary pallbearers.

Contributions may be made to the cancer fund in her memory.

Susan Baker left on Thursday for the Hawaiian Islands to spend the summer with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gogger. Mr. Gogger has his own travel agency and Susan will be employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. William Nichols

## Winter Taking Reserve Training

Herman Winter, a captain in the Marine Reserves, left Saturday for his annual two weeks' summer training. He went to Yakima, Wash., and from there continued to Twentynine Palms, Calif. for the training.

Winter, who is Morrow county district attorney and president of the Heppner-Morrow county Chamber of Commerce, expects to be back in Heppner on July 24.

## Sowell Policeman At Santa Barbara

W. L. (Bill) Sowell, formerly of Heppner, writes, in renewing his subscription to The Gazette-Times, that he is working as a policeman for the University of California at Santa Barbara.

"Things are quiet now with just summer school," he said. "Things will pick up soon. We expect around 14,000 students, so we will be busy."

"Needless to say, I really enjoy getting all the local news," he added. "I really miss all the folks there, but things are going good here."

## Stephen Lindstrom Makes Dean's List

Stephen R. Lindstrom of Ione was named to Pacific Lutheran University's Dean's List for outstanding academic achievement during the spring semester.

Lindstrom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Lindstrom of Ione, will be a senior this fall at FLU, majoring in political science.

Students on the Dean's List have achieved better than a 3.3 grade point average for the second semester of the school year.

and family have returned from a vacation spent at Fort Angeles, Wn., where they visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David McBeth and family. While there, the Nichols' daughter, Mary left to begin her training with the Women's Marine Corps.

Cassie Chapel celebrated her eleventh birthday recently with a slumber party. The guests were taken to Heppner to the drive-in for supper and then came home and spent the night in the camper. The next day swimming was enjoyed by all. Those attending were Doris McCabe, Marjorie Linnell, Mary Pat and Joan McElligott, and Karen Crowell.

Leslie Hams, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hams, has returned home from the University of Oregon Medical School after a six weeks stay. She is improving satisfactorily.

Mrs. Edith Nicholson, who underwent major surgery in Pendleton recently, was able to leave the hospital on Sunday. She is convalescing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Martin.

Mrs. Roy A. Lindstrom had word last week of the death of Peter Wolfe of Toledo, Ohio. He received fatal injuries in a motor scooter accident. Mr. and Mrs. Lindstrom visited her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe, in June on a trip to the eastern states. Mrs. Wolfe will be remembered here as the former Sandra Buhman, daughter of Mrs. Harold Buhman and the late Mr. Buhman of Grants Pass. Mr. Buhman formerly taught music in the Heppner schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tewes have returned from a trip to Kindred, N. D., where they had the pleasure of attending the fortieth wedding anniversary party of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Transgrud. All the couple's children were home for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Crabtree and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Lindstrom have returned from a successful fishing trip to East Lake. The L. A. McCabes were not able to go as reported last week, but other friends there were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Myers of Portland.

Ed Buschke underwent major surgery at Pioneer Memorial hospital last Thursday afternoon. His son, Henry, who had just gone home from a visit here, flew back from Los Angeles to be with his father. Mr. Buschke's daughter, Mrs. Roy Erner of Albany and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peck of Albany are also here to visit him.

Rev. James H. Royer of Woodburn Retirement Estates delivered the sermon on Sunday morning at the United Church of Christ. A coffee hour followed the service.

Guests of the Edwin Kessler's were his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Jacob Kessler, who came home with him Sunday afternoon and stayed until Tuesday morning. Mr. Kessler is staying with his parents while attending summer school at Walla Walla College. The Kesslers camped at Cutsforth Park two days during the visit. Mr. Kessler's sister and family spent the weekend at Ione, Wn., a logging community, with about a hundred more residents than Ione, Oregon has.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Brazell arrived on Saturday at her paternal home. He went back to his job at Moscow, Idaho on Monday, but Mrs. Brazell plans to spend harvest here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pettyjohn of The Dalles were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lindsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lundell drove to Missoula, Mont. last week-end to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Francis Stack and get acquainted with their new granddaughter, Dara Christine. Mrs. Lundell stayed for a longer visit.

Relatives here for the funeral services of Mrs. Arvilla Swanson last Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lundell, Mr. and Mrs. William Lundell and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lundell and family of Milwaukee; Mrs. Walter Christiansen of Eugene; Mr. and Mrs. Francis Rea, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rea, Mr. and Mrs. James Martin, Mrs. Esper Hansen, and Norman Swanson of Portland; Gilbert Petveys of Pendleton; and Mr. and Mrs. John Turner of Baker.

Mrs. Algott Lundell of Portland visited last week with Mrs. Oscar Lundell and was here for the services for Mrs. Arvilla Swanson.

Twenty-five members and friends of the Heppner Nazarene Church gathered at the Edwin Kessler home in Ione Thursday evening for a barbecue and homemade ice cream. Rev. and Mrs. G. Nikander of Heppner were special guests for the evening and he gave a short devotional message.

Cars Collide at Intersection Two drivers escaped serious injury last Thursday afternoon when their cars collided at the northern entrance to Ione near the Ekstrom Ranch. Mrs. Willard French had stopped at the intersection and was just leaving Ione and Mrs. Amanda Duvall was just turning into Ione when the collision occurred. The French car was completely demolished and the Duvall car was damaged on the front.

Mrs. Phill Emert took Mrs. French to Pendleton to a physician. She has multiple cuts and abrasions on both legs and other bruises.

# Court Proceedings

June, 1967

Order: Refunding excessive taxes, re Gerald Swaggart, dated 6/7/67.

Order: Authorizing use of Microfilm by County Clerk for recording public records, dated 6/30/67.

Agreement: Purchase of land from Morrow County by U. S. of America.

Order: Transferring various funds in the General Roads Department, dated 6/30/67.

Order: Transferring various General Fund appropriations, dated 6/30/67.

Motion: Made, seconded and carried that all park functions be transferred to the County Road Department.

Agreement: Purchase of car from Heppner Garage for Roadmaster as this was lowest bid made.

The following warrants were issued on the General Fund:

Walter Hayes, Comm Exp \$ 71.65  
Jack Van Winkle, do 15.69  
Paul W. Jones, Trav. Exp. 160.03, Clk's off sup 5.52 165.55  
Hazel C. Bauman, Juv. Matron 3.00  
C. J. D. Bauman, Jail Exp 8.50, Sher. sup. 2.30 11.00  
First Nat'l Bank, Sal. 2.30  
St. Comp. Dept., do 12.18  
St. Tax Comm., do 205.60  
Pub. Emp. Ret. Bd. Sal. 281.10, Soc. Sec. 281.10 562.20  
Standard Life Ins. Co., Sal. 31.98, Ins. 12.45 44.43  
Pac. Mut. Life Ins. Co., Sal 179.33

Standard Off. Equip., Clk's Sup. 3.60, Ct. Off. Sup. J.P. 6th Sup. 13.90, Treas. Sup. 79c, Assess. Sup. 1.40, Nurse Off. Sup. 14.51 40.50  
U. S. National Bank, Comm. Exp. 27.15  
Sadie Parrish, Co. Clk. Co. Ct. off. Sup. 5.00  
Col. Basin Elec. Co-op., Sher. Comm. Fund 15.75  
Underwater Recovery Unit, Sher. Sup. 31.15  
Bert Corbin, Ex. Dep. Standard Off. Equip., Tax Coll. 4.75  
Ford's Tire Serv., Sher. Car Exp. 3.95  
Paul Pettyjohn Co., do 72.20  
Xerox Corp., Clk's sup. 13.75  
Roderick Thomson, Assess. Fld Wk. 66.77  
Edna Chally, RN, H. Nurse Tr. Exp. 25.65  
Dr. L. D. Tibbles, Med. Inv. Exp. 40.00  
Ernest Jorgensen, Just. Ct. Sup. Rent 25.00, Tel. 21.45, Sup. 5.00 51.45  
Col. Basin Elec. Co-op., Cthse. 92.03  
Herman Green, do 10.00  
City Water Dept., do 8.50  
M&R Co., Cthse. Mtse. & Rep. 6.40, Surp. Fds. Exp. 30.50 36.90  
Pettyjohn's, Cthse. Mtse. 13.46, Civ. Def. 117.13 130.59  
Tum-A-Lum Lbr. Co., Cthse. Mtse. 58.00, Civ. Def. 17.17 75.17  
John A. Pfeiffer, Cthse. Jan. Sup. 6.31, Park Fd. 1.60 7.91  
N. W. Ind. Laundry Co., Cthse. Jan. Sup. 5.36  
Cornett Green Feed, do 1.78  
St. Mary's Home for Boys, Juv. Tr. Exp. 5.00  
Albertina Kerr Nursery, do 5.00  
Villa St. Rose, do 5.00  
Donald McCarty, do 12.98  
St. Pub. Welfare Comm., Welfare 3,109.50

Herman W. Winter, DA Rem. 65.00, Help 112.50, Tel. 62.22, Off. Sup. 8.94, Tr. & Mem. Fees 89.35 342.01  
A. C. Barnekoff & Sons, Cir. Ct. Jur. & Wit 297.20  
Pettyjohn's Bldrs. Sup., Weed Cont. Sup. 9.40  
Paul Pettyjohn Co., Weed Cont. Chem. 9.00  
Heppner Inland Chem., do 6.00  
Gar Aviation, Park Fd. 17.51  
Pettyjohn's Farm Sup., do 28.82  
Independent Garage, Rural Fire 2.70  
Lexington Imp. Co., do 1.54  
Marion Green, Equal. Bd. 40.00

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wes Sherman and family Friday night and Saturday morning were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stoller of Woodburn. He is owner and publisher of the Woodburn Independent. The visitors had gone on a trip to Pendleton on business and stopped here enroute home.

James J. Farley, do 40.00  
Beckett Equip. Co., Civ. Def. 1.86  
Lott's Elec. do 17.95  
Don McCarty, do 23.90  
Tum-A-Lum Lbr. Co., do 862.70  
Heppner Gazette-Times, Off. Pub. 667.04  
Heppner Hotel, Surp. 25.00  
Texaco, Inc., Sher. Car Exp. 11.38  
Caps Drive-in, Jail Exp. 3.35  
Lloyd Berger, Co. Ct. 66.00  
Heppner Auto Parts, Sher. Car Exp. 20.80  
Turner, Van Marter & Bryant, Bonds 43.00  
Tum-A-Lum Lbr. Co., Civ. Def. 16.46, Park Fd. 23.51 39.97  
Charles E. Rail, Park Fd. M&R Co., Cthse. Repairs 1290.00  
Wagon Wheel Restaurant, Co. Ct. Exp. 17.00  
Sadie Parrish, Tr. & Conv. Exp. 24.60  
Pac. Mut. Life Ins. Co., Sal. 179.33  
Josephine Huston, Park Fd. 39.30  
Mary Bryant, Dep. 283.46  
Elvira Irby, Dep. 273.31  
Lillian Swalek, Off. Clk. 253.65  
Joyce Ritch, Dep. 254.10  
Edna Chally, H. Nurse 215.83  
D. E. Hudson, Jan. Margaret Jorgensen, Off. Clk. 79.33  
L. D. Tibbles, D. O. Phy. 23.90  
Donald W. McCarty, Juv. Couns. 140.60, W. C. Driscoll, Comm. 190.60  
W. C. Driscoll, Comm. 47.20  
Dan W. Morrison, Cir. Ct. Rep. 128.54  
Nancy B. Dixon, Surp. Fds. Help 41.10  
Rachel Harnett, Museum Fund 41.10  
Josephine Huston, Park Fd. 39.22  
Alma Green, Co. Ct. 28.50, H. Nurse Off. Clk. 102.04 130.54  
Blue Cross, Sal. 156.40  
First Nat'l Bank, do 735.70  
St. Comp. Dept., do 59.33  
St. Tax Comm., do 207.10  
Pub. Emp. Ret. Bd., do 567.54  
Standard Life Ins. Co., do 44.43

Paul W. Jones, Tr. Exp. 47.11  
U. S. Nat'l Bank, do 10.40  
Business Week, Co. Ct. Off. Sup. 16.00  
Tshech Pub. Co., Co. Ct. Exp. 6.00  
U. S. Nat'l Bank, Co. Comm. Exp. 6.90  
Paul W. Jones, Co. Ct. Exp. 4.95  
Sadie Parrish, Co. Clk., Co. Ct. Exp. 6.00, Clk's Sup. 6.00, Equal. Bd. 90c 12.90  
Heppner Gazette-Times, Tax Coll. 267.74  
Pac. N. W. Bell, Comm. Fd. 14.00  
Col. Basin Electric, do 16.25  
Ford's Tire Serv., Sher. Car Exp. 49.88  
Dunham Printing Co., Treas. Sup. 51.50  
Oregon Assoc. Treas., Conv. Dues 30.50  
Addressograph-Multigraph, Assess. Sup. 6.80  
Blue Mtn. Lab., Med. Exam. Exp. 105.00  
Edna Chally R. N., Petty Cash 29.10  
Edna Chally, R. N., Tr. Exp. 24.34  
Pac. N. W. Bell, Cur. Exp. 142.45  
Col. Basin Electric, Cthse. St. Anthony Hosp., Jail Exp. 9.00  
Hermiston Drug, do 3.85  
Robert B. Abrams, Cir. Ct. Sp. Atty. 143.34  
Herman W. Winter, DA, Rent 65.00, Help 112.50 177.50  
4-H Club, Cont. 150.00  
Howard Keithley, Ditch Cr. Chan. Rep. 990.00  
Lexington Oil Co-op., Rural Fire 28.63  
Umatilla Co., Ment. Ill. Mahoney & Abrams, do 25.00  
Cornell, Howland, Hayes & Merryfield, Co., Co. Planning M&R Co. Cthse. Mtse. & Repair 1338.00  
The following warrants were issued on the Gen. Rds. Fund: Don Munkers 16.80  
First Nat'l Bank 856.60  
Standard Life Ins. 48.00  
St. Tax Comm. 258.60  
Pac. Mut. Life Ins. 465.22  
Pub. Emp. Ret. Bd. 746.50  
St. Comp. Dept. 77.07  
A. C. Warren 142.80  
Stone Mchy Co. 1610.00  
Baker Mchy Co. 141.06  
Heppner Auto Parts 200.43  
Beckett Equip. Co. 2.25  
Ford's Tire Serv. 8.55

Pettyjohn's Bldrs. Sup. 40.73  
Heppner Auto Sales 119.38  
Clyde Equip. Co. 131.71  
Heppner Inland Chem. 9.80  
Lott's Electric 1.30  
John Pfeiffer 50.31  
Cent. Oregon Welders Sup. 60.00  
Paul Pettyjohn Co., 742.55  
Kuhn's 76 10.50  
Standard Off. Equip. 1.00  
Sadie Parrish, Co. Clk. 15.10  
N. W. Ind. Laundry 4.44  
City Water Dept. 5.05  
City of Ione 2.40  
Col. Basin Electric 43.55  
Lexington Imp. Co. 91.11  
Tum-A-Lum Lbr. Co. 209.26  
Lexington Oil Co-op 6.65

Dewey's Chevron 4.85  
Pac. Mut. Life Ins. 365.22  
Labor 4811.00  
Roadmaster 395.29  
Set Salaries 1171.15  
Bookkeeper 239.47  
First Nat's Bank 903.40  
State Comp. Dept. 467.51  
St. Tax Com. 264.40  
Pub. Emp. Ret. Bd. 772.18  
Standard Life Ins. Co. 48.10  
Blue Cross 244.70  
Dept. of Comm., Bur. of Pub. Roads 5900.00  
The following warrants were issued on the Misc. Funds: James W. Norene, DVM, Dog Fund 41.00

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