

Death Claims Wayne White, Former Resident

By EVA HAMLETT

IONE—Word has been received of the death of Wayne White on Saturday, October 12. Mr. White was in Golden, Idaho, at the time he became ill. He was flown to a hospital in San Monica, where he passed away.

He is survived by his wife, Avis, of San Monica, and two brothers, Gordon and Dale, both of Ione.

Mr. and Mrs. White lived in Ione a number of years ago. Wayne drove school bus and Avis worked at the Pioneer Memorial hospital in Heppner.

Mrs. Fannie Griffith is in Portland taking care of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Haugen's children while they are on a trip to New Orleans, La.

While hunting last week-end, Wayne Ball was checking his gun, and it blew up, breaking his ear drum. He was taken in to Heppner for emergency treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Krebs have returned home from a couple week's stay in Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Connor spent last week-end at Eugene, visiting with their daughter, Terri and Lee. On Sunday they attended an open house at the Alpha Omicron Pi house, given in honor of the new pledgees.

The Women's Fellowship of the United Church of Christ requests that residents in the community may help the church by saving MJB coffee lids as they would like to obtain another coffee maker. Also Betty Crocker coupons and cancelled commemorative stamps are needed. The stamps should have about 1/4 inch of the envelope on them. Any of these items will be appreciated and can be left at the church or call Mrs. Leland McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McKinney and son, Allen, from Hermiston spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leland McKinney and family.

Mrs. Darrel James and son, Jeff, drove to Richland Saturday for medical appointments.

Mark Tullis and Matt Murray had the misfortune to be in automobile accidents this past week. Matt is still in the Heppner hospital.

The junior high football team defeated Echo last Thursday 44 to 27. This team has won all its games this year. The seventh and eighth grade boys will play the eighth grade boys of Pilot Rock this Thursday.

The high school football team defeated Weston 39 to 7 last Friday. They will play undefeated Riverside this Friday. The winner will go on to play another district for a berth in the state tournament. Scott Wilson and John Krebs were injured and could not finish the game with Weston.

Mrs. Roy W. Lindstrom was a recent visitor to Portland.

Women's Fellowship of the United Church of Christ met at the home of Mrs. Bill Rietmann last Wednesday. Mrs. Larry Fetsch acted as co-hostess. Fourteen members attended the coffee hour. Mrs. Ron Umbarger was elected secretary-treasurer after Mrs. Bob Rietmann had resigned. Plans were made to serve a spaghetti supper on November 24 when Ken Coats will be here to show slides and tell of his summer missionary work in Japan.

Mrs. Adon Hamlett was home over the week-end from the Veteran's hospital in Walla Walla, Wash. She will be there part of this week and would appreciate all news items called in the last of the week.

Two Boys Attend FFA Convention

Heppner High school FFA Chapter was represented at the 40th national FFA convention in Kansas City by two members, Calvin Asheck and Don Cossitt. The boys left Saturday, October 12, and arrived at their headquarters Monday, October 14.

On their trip east the delegates visited the Wyoming Herford Ranch in Cheyenne, Wyo.; the American Cattlemen's Association in Denver, Colo.; the Denver Mint in Denver, and the United States Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs.

National FFA officers were elected, with an Oregon boy, Jeff Hanlon, elected national president for the coming year. Dave Dietz, Oregon state president, was elected head of the National Program of Work. Richard M. Nixon presented a speech to the FFA boys on his background and experiences in politics.

Five Oregon FFA boys were honored as American Farmer candidates, who included Larry Carpenter, Jeff Hanlon, Ed Birlingame, Mike Oakley and Mike Crops. Ed Birlingame from the Umapine FFA Chapter received the American Farmer award. Two chapters from Oregon took National Chapter awards, Corvallis, with a bronze award, and Albany, with a silver award.

Following the convention, they traveled to Manhattan, Kans., to visit Kansas State University, leaving there October 19 and arriving back by train at Hinkle early Monday, October 21.

At the last meeting of the Heppner chapter, members voted to refuse membership to girls in the local chapter.

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COL. E. J. WHITE, First Army Support Element commander, congratulates Specialist 5 Leroy N. (Neal) Penland, formerly of Heppner, upon receiving the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service in Thailand. (U. S. Army Photo).

Penland Receives Medal for Service

Specialist Five Leroy N. (Neal) Penland, formerly of Heppner, was awarded the Army Commendation Medal last week for meritorious service in Thailand.

Penland was cited for outstanding service as personnel clerk and public information specialist for the 442nd Signal Battalion, located at Karat, in central Thailand. The 25-year-old specialist, whose 18-months tour there ended in May, was responsible for typing and distributing all unit orders. He also wrote and edited a bi-monthly unit newspaper.

A 1961 graduate of Heppner High school, Penland attended Oregon Technical Institute and the University of Oregon before joining the Army in February, 1966. After basic training at Fort Polk, La., Penland was assigned to the Army Signal School, Fort Monmouth, N. J., for 10 months before going to Thailand.

He is now an administrative specialist for the First U. S. Army Support Element at Fort Meade, Md., where the medal was presented to him.

Penland's wife is the former Diane Schaffitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schaffitz of Heppner. They live at 1610 Old Annapolis Road, Odenton, Md. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Penland of Tillamook, former publishers of the Heppner Gazette-Times and now publishers of the Tillamook Headlight-Herald.

New Arrivals Join Families

By DELPHA JONES
LEXINGTON — Mr. and Mrs. Archie Barnett of Hawaii returned home last Wednesday after visiting his mother, Mrs. Alean Calvin, and a brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Klingler, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Klingler are the proud parents of a son born at St. Anthony hospital in Pendleton on Friday, October 18. The young man has been named Kevin Dean. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Ledbetter, great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bergen Ledbetter, and great-grandmother is Mrs. Cleo VanWinkle. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth (Pete) Klingler and great-grandmother is Mrs. Alean Calvin, all of Lexington.

Mrs. Elden Padberg has returned home after a few days in St. Anthony hospital in Pendleton where she underwent surgery.

Miss Ginger Majeske who is attending school in Pendleton at Blue Mountain college, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Majeske, over the week-end.

Mrs. Alean Calvin is a patient in St. Anthony hospital in Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Henderson and daughter, Betty, were Lexington callers over the week-end, coming to repair damages to their home received from someone breaking in. Mr. and Mrs. Henderson are living in Hood River.

The Amicitia Club met at the home of Mrs. Bob Lovgren for its regular meeting one evening last week. Those present were Mrs. Delbert Piper, Mrs. Roger Campbell, Mrs. Mel Boyer, Mrs. Gene Cole, Mrs. Bob Davidson, Mrs. Tom Martin, Mrs. O. W. Cutsforth, Mrs. Roy Martin, and the hostess, Mrs. Lovgren. Prizes were won as follows: Mrs. Davidson, high; Mrs. Tom Martin, second high; Mrs. Cutsforth, low, and Mrs. Roy Martin, traveling.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Viall of Hood River were week-end visitors with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Viall.

Debbie Lou Pappneau, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pappneau, is a patient in Pioneer Memorial hospital in Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Steagall of Portland are the parents of a baby girl born recently in that city. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Steagall of Lexington and great grandmother is Mrs. Emery Burnside of Spray.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry (Frank) Pointer became parents of a son born September 23 in Pendleton. The young man has been named Eric Michael. Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Elene Hyskell of Hood River. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Don Pointer of Lexington and great grandmother is Mrs. Maude Pointer of Corvallis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. James (Billy) Doherty are announcing the birth of a son, Kieran Patrick, born October 10 in Pendleton. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Doherty of Lexington and great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Daly of Pendleton. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leslie O'Brien of Umatilla. William J. Doherty has returned recently to his home at

Regional Conference Held for Teachers

Teachers from secondary schools in Condon, Riverside-Boardman, Arlington, Wheeler, Spray, Mitchell, Monument, Long Creek, Heppner, Ione, Culver, Mt. Vernon and Dayville participated in a one day in-service session at Condon High school on October 29. This is the sixth in a series of eight regional conferences to be held in the state this fall, sponsored by the Oregon Small Schools Program.

The Oregon Small Schools Program is a federally funded project for the improvement of the quality of instruction in high schools of approximately 200 or fewer students. Nearly 80 schools throughout the state participate in the program on a voluntary basis.

Theme used for the conference was "Identifying ways to deal with the economic and social consequences of automation" and featured a film "America on the Edge of Abundance."

The afternoon session was devoted to subject-centered discussions under the leadership of selected group leaders from participating schools. During this time the teachers were dealing with aspects pointed out in the film, and these will affect education.

Golfers Swing Rakes

Members of Willow Creek Country club are being asked to bring their yard rakes and willing hands to participate in a work party on Sunday, November 3, at 1:30 p.m., to spruce up the area around the new well. Dr. Ed Schaffitz will be in charge.

ter a stay in St. Anthony hospital in Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Breeding and sons, Dale and Donald, were overnight guests at the C. C. Jones home on Saturday.

Mrs. Bruce Botts and sons and Mrs. Bob Taylor and son of Boardman were callers last Wednesday at the C. C. Jones home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith and family are again living at their home in Lexington after spending some time in Kinzua.

LUNCH MENUS

Heppner Elementary and High Schools

Friday, Nov. 1 — Fish and chips, rolls, celery and carrots, milk, fruit.

Monday, Nov. 4 — Potatoes and gravy, green beans, rolls, gingerbread and applesauce, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 5 — Hamburgers, buns, pickles, French fries, tossed salad, ice cream, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 6 — Beans, cornbread, carrots and celery, pineapple upside-down cake, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 7 — (Grade School) Peanut butter sandwiches, soup, Jell-O, vegetable salad, milk. (High School) Tuna and noodles, peas and carrots, rolls, Jell-O, milk.

Friday, Nov. 8 — (Grade School) Tuna and noodles, peas and carrots, rolls, Jell-O, milk. (High School) Peanut butter sandwiches, soup, Jell-O, vegetable salad, milk.

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3. Establish a special task force to develop and implement a program to increase dairy products.
4. Increase the research effort by the Department of Agriculture to find better and more diverse ways to utilize our enormous volume of farm produce.

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