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Obituaries

Gladys Brashers Armington

Gladys Brashers Armington died in Hollywood, California, August 22 at the age of 72. Mrs. Armington was born to Watt and Mattie Brashers near Elgin, May 9, 1913.

Her family moved back to lone where she graduated from high school in 1931. She graduated from La Grande Normal in 1934 and started teaching at Burtan Valley near Hardman. She taught at the Liberty School, Boardman and Lone, then quit teaching and joined the American Music Co. in Portland and moved with them to Hollywood. She worked in the music publishing business until she retired.

She married John Armington in Yuma, Arizona, June 4, 1955.

She is survived by her husband, two daughters, Jeri and Marti of Hollywood, two brothers, Claude and William Brashers of Lyle, Washington; and seven nieces and nephews.

Hospital Notes

Pioneer Memorial Hospital reports admitting and discharging the following patients during the past week:

Violet Mullins, Heppner - admitted November 25, discharged November 27;

Linda Cecil, Heppner - admitted November 25, discharged November 28;

Marilyn Colette, Heppner - admitted November 25, discharged December 2;

Katherine Spears, Heppner - admitted November 25, discharged November 30; and

Larry Cecil, Heppner - admitted November 29, discharged December 1.

Heppner business honored

Pettyjohn Business Supply of Heppner recently received the 1985 Distinguished Performance Award from The Oregon Consortium and The Oregon Private Industry Council, Inc. for coordinating hiring opportunities with the East Central Oregon Association of Counties (ECOAC), which manages the Job Training Partnership Act in Gilliam, Grant, Morrow, Umatilla and Wheeler Counties.

The award was presented at The Oregon Consortium's Annual Meeting on November 14 in Ashland. On behalf of Pettyjohn Business Supply, Private Industry Council member Foster Odom of Arlington accepted the award from Morrow County Judge Don McElligott. The meeting was attended by more than 100 commissioners, business and public service representatives from the Consortium, which administers the job training program in 17 Oregon counties.

East Central Oregon Association of Counties, under the direction of Wilma Hanks, offers services to business including recruiting, screening and referral of applicants, subsidized job training and tax credits. Pettyjohn Business Supply has taken advantage of those services to hire two qualified workers and expand its operations. Owner Larry Pettyjohn said he looks forward to working with ECOAC to meet his future employment needs.

During the meeting, Commissioner Bill Hansell (Umatilla) and Judges Bill Hardie (Gilliam), Lorene Allen (Grant) and Lee Hoover (Wheeler) were reappointed to The Oregon Consortium Board of Directors, composed of one commissioner or judge from each of the Consortium's 27 counties. Judge McElligott was reappointed to the Executive Committee. Private Industry Council member Robert Schroth of Hermiston also attended the meeting.

Letters to the Editor

Thanks to the co-operative

To the Editor:

Let's hear it for the unsung heroes who worked in the nearby zero temperatures to restore electricity to us these last two bitter cold nights it has gone out.

For most of us it was just inconvenient, but they had to work out in the bone-chilling cold, not just a few minutes, but for hours. I only hope they had a good bonfire to warm them when the cold became too intense. For the rest of us it gave a taste of the "good old days" of kerosene lamps and candles, when there were no electric blankets or television. There was a kind of

serenity in the dim lights and quiet of the evening, but I suspect none of us wanted to "enjoy" these conditions any longer than necessary.

While I am writing, I would like to express appreciation to the Co-op workers for the fact that in the twenty years we have been in Heppner, there have been very few interruptions of power. We have become so dependent on electricity that we pretty much take it for granted, and complain when it fails, rather than being grateful it is there most of the time. To all who quietly make it possible for us to stay comfortable, a big Thank-You.

Sincerely,
(s) Joyce Grasser

Adopt-A-Pet



Pioneer Humane Society has a six-year old registered German Shepherd with papers available for adoption to a home with no small children. For additional information, or to adopt this dog, call the Humane Society at 676-5169.

Justice Court Report

Morrow County Justice Court at the Morrow County Courthouse in Heppner reports handling the following business during the past week:

Wayne Armand le Vasseaux, Heppner - Taking a Game Mammal, Closed Season to wit: Buck Deer, \$187 fine.

Scott Joe Payne, Elgin - Disobey Stop Sign, \$17 fine.

Morrice Dunn, Fossil - Violation of a Road Closure to wit: Driver, \$40 fine.

Gordon Lee Dunn, Fossil - Violation of a Road Closure to wit: Driver, \$40 fine.

Craig Darin Hams, Lone - No Life Saving Devices, \$26 fine.

Mark Clay Griffith, Walla Walla, Washington - Exceeding the Maximum Speed (65 mph in a 55 mph zone), \$26 bail forfeited.

Kevin Lee Geary, Portland - No Vehicle License, \$13 fine.

Ernest Wesley Yingling, Beaver Creek - with criminal negligence: Fail to Properly Validate Elk Tag, \$38 fine.

Heppner Police Report

The city of Heppner Police Dept. reports handling the following business during the past week:

November 24

4:43 p.m. - citation issued for disobeyed stop sign; 11:02 p.m. - request officer for security check; 11:44 p.m. - assist citizen.

November 25

12:40 p.m. - citation issued for driving in prohibited area and citation issued for no operator license on person; 3:15 p.m. - arrest suspect on warrant.

November 29

10:23 a.m. - arrest murder suspect; 10:20 p.m. - report of fight; 11:40 p.m. - request officer for security check.

December 1

4:30 p.m. - traffic accident; 4:35 p.m. - emergency aid to elderly; 4:50 p.m. - report of fire, Unfounded; 5:05 p.m. - report of fire, Unfounded.

Sheriff's Report

The Morrow County Sheriff's Office at the Morrow County Courthouse in Heppner reports handling or dispatching the following business during the past week:

November 25

3:15 p.m. - The Heppner Police Dept. arrested James Gustave Kurtz, 62, Heppner on a Umatilla County warrant for Failure to Appear-Judgement Debtor.

9:10 p.m. - The Morrow County Sheriff's Office arrested Larry M. Miller, 36, Irrigon on an Irrigon Justice Court warrant for Failure to Pay Fine-Violation of a Cooperative Road Closure Agreement.

November 27

2:34 p.m. - The Morrow County Sheriff's Office cited Richard Lester Christie, 22, Hermiston for allegedly Driving While Suspended.

November 28

5:42 p.m. - A Boardman ambulance responded to a residence on W. Wilson road and transported one male to Good Shepherd Hospital in Hermiston.

9:45 p.m. - The Morrow County Sheriff's Office assisted by the Irrigon Police Dept. at the site of a one-vehicle, no-injury, accident on Depot Road one mile east of Patterson Ferry road. Roger D. Davidson, 20, Irrigon, was cited for Careless Driving.

December 1

1 a.m. - The Boardman Fire Dept. and the Boardman police responded to a chimney fire at the Rowe residence on NW Second St. with an unknow amount of damage.

News from the Neighborhood Center

By Noela Mackey

Low Income Energy Assistance Program (LIEAP) is now taking applications for appointments for Friday, Dec. 13. There are appointment openings in the afternoon only. Please call the Heppner Neighborhood Center, 676-5873 for your name to be put on the list. All clients must bring proof of income, a fuel bill and a light bill, and Social Security numbers for all members of the household who are over 18. The Fuel assistance will give on a first come first served basis with top priority given to senior citizens and handicapped persons.

Christmas baskets are now being prepared. If you have not received a letter or list to be filled out, contact the Center, 676-5873. All donations for dinners, socks and other underwear must be at the Center no later than December 13. Anyone wanting to volunteer to six baskets, may contact Bettie Doherty or Jane Rawlins as they are in charge of volunteers this year.

Any canned food donations for those wanting to donate directly - may bring their contributions to the Center.

Cub Scouts need leaders

Cub Scouts and den leaders of Pack 661 are actively seeking a Cubmaster, a Webelos den leader, a pack secretary, and several committee people. Without at least four volunteers, the pack will become inactive after the December 16 meeting, says current Cubmaster Martha Munkers. The Webelos leader must be a man, but the other positions may be held by either men or women who like working with 8-10 year-old boys.

Den leaders will meet Tuesday, Dec. 10, 4 p.m. at Kate's Pizza and Pastry to consider the pack's need for leaders and to plan a canned food drive to gather donations for Christmas boxes for those in need.

Anyone interested in finding out qualifications and duties for the needed positions is invited to join the den leaders Dec. 10, or to come to the December 6 pack meeting, 7 p.m., upstairs at the Heppner Elks Lodge, or to call Martha Munkers, 989-8532.

Fashions from local businesses shown

Models wore fashions from local businesses at the Saturday, Nov. 23 style show sponsored by the Heppner Soroptimist. Fashions were from Sears, The Shoe Box, Gardner's Men's Wear, the Country Rose, and Peterson's Jewelers. Background music for the showing was provided by Carley Drake and Ola Mae Groshens. Mary Goheen was mistress of ceremonies.

In addition to the fashions shown, the following businesses had display tables during the afternoon: Sears, Case Furniture, Country Rose, Mycal's, Peterson's Jewelers, and Torres Ceramics.

Doorprize winners were Marlene Curran, a gemstone from Peterson's Jewelers; Ann Spicer a Cabbage Patch doll; and Jessica Sumner, doll clothes.

All friends and relatives
are cordially invited to a wedding reception
in honor of Matt and Joy Hughes of Boardman,
Oregon from 2-4 p.m., Sunday, December 8
at the Heppner Christian Church Basement,
Heppner, Oregon

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Come join the crew at Peterson's
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Until Further Notice,
opening hours at the City Landfill
will be from
12 NOON to 4:00 p.m.
ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY.
Marshall Lovgren, Adm.
City of Heppner

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Pre-Season Service Savings

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November 1 thru March 1, 1986

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