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Letters to the Editor

National Laboratory week slated

To the Editor:
In honor of National Laboratory Week, April 11-17, I would like to acknowledge Betty Hickerson and Shelley Wight for their hard work and dedication to the sick and elderly of this community. Laboratory professionals are constantly exposed to sickness and disease, hepatitis and HIV (the AIDS virus).
Ours is a thankless task. Far from the limelight of the physicians and nurses that we see on television, or experience in real life. We take your blood, urine and even feces and look for answers. If it fits our motto "Where the Investigation Begins". We don't discriminate in age, creed, color, religion, or even what illness you

are exposing us to. We only care for your good health and work to find a cure.

We are called "blood suckers" and "vampires", but, we get no pleasure from sticking you with needles. Our joy comes from providing answers so you can be relieved of the burden of disease and pain.

On behalf of the children and the elderly, the sick and the healthy, those broken of body and spirit, of all who have crossed your path, thank you. We appreciate Betty and Shelley, for your skills, sacrifice, caring and understanding of all those in need.

From the heart,
(s) Jay Straley

Wells Springs site in a mess

To the Editor:
Last week while my grandson from Lebanon was visiting me I thought it would be nice to show him around the county so I took a trip to Ione to see the pipe line and on to Wells Spring and the ruts of the Oregon Trail. The Interpretive Center was real nice, but what I saw at the springs made me ashamed that people from all over might come and see such a mess.

Some time ago someone cut the roots of the only tree in the area (beside the spring) with a power saw so the first good wind blew it over and broke the fence down.

The sign can hardly be read because it's so weather beaten, the posts are rotting off and falling down and trash is in the spring itself.

If the Historical Society would like to put this attraction back in order I would be glad to help some afternoon or whenever to do this.

If I didn't know where the Springs were from the Interpretive Center I would not have found it. A small sign saying 400 yards and an arrow would be a great help to someone out of the county.

(s) Tom Hughes

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Obituaries

Paul Miller

Memorial services were held for Paul Miller on Saturday, April 3 at the Quartzsite Alliance Church. Mr. Miller, 54, a long time Quartzsite resident and business man died in Phoenix March 23, 1993.

He was born on June 20, 1938, to George and Virginia Miller in Heppner. He later farmed in the area for many years with his father.

In 1972, Mr. Miller and his wife Myrna, moved to Quartzsite and opened the Hi-Jolly Rock Shop and Trailer Supply on Highway 95.

He was preceded in death by his father, George and his mother, Virginia.

Survivors include his wife of 29 years, Myrna; two daughters April Miller and Lori Harris of Phoenix.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Lupus Foundation of America, Greater Arizona Chapter, Inc., 2149 W. Indian School Road, Phoenix, AZ 85015.

Blanche E. Lindstrom

Funeral services for Blanche E. Lindstrom will be held Saturday, April 17 at 2 p.m. at the Ione United Church of Christ. Vault interment will follow at the Morgan Cemetery.

Blanche Emogene Turner Lindstrom, 91, Hermiston, died Thursday, April 8, 1993 at Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston.

One of five children, Mrs. Lindstrom was born July 25, 1901 at Lorane in Lane County, the only daughter of Ernest Howard and Bessie Lena Strunk Turner, Minnesota natives who came to Morrow County in the early 1900s. The family established a farm home north of Ione near the Oregon Trail where they raised wheat, horses and other stock. She attended Ella school then attended and graduated from normal school at Bellingham, WA. She taught in Morrow and Gilliam county schools for several years.

On October 14, 1930 she married Albert E. Lindstrom. After Mr. Lindstrom's death in 1965, Mrs. Lindstrom continued overseeing the wheat ranch near Ione where she and her husband had started ranching some 60 years ago. She had been a resident of Hermiston for the past several years.

Mrs. Lindstrom enjoyed reading, gardening, music and her pets.

She is survived by numerous nieces and nephews.

Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of choice. Burns Mortuary, Hermiston, is in charge of arrangements.

Justice Court Report

The Justice Court office at the courthouse annex building in Heppner reports handling the following business during the past week:

James Edwin Dickens, 61, Hermiston-Improper Passing (prohibited area), \$31 fine; Defective Equipment, \$25 fine;

Michael Dean Lynch, 34, Heppner-Exceeding the Maximum Speed Limit, 67 mph in a 55 mph zone, \$61 fine.

WCCC Golf

Two Man Team Shootout April 4

Low gross nine hole: scramble Ron Bowman and Duane Disque 28; scotch-Pete Pearson and Greg Grant 33; chapman-Tom Sturgen and Raymond Reid 31.

Low gross tournament: first Pete Pearson and Greg Grant, 95; second-Tom Sturgen and Raymond Reid 97; third-Ron Bowman and Duane Disque 100.

Low net: first Mike Smith and Rusty Estes 77; second Dave Hanna and Barry Munkers 78; a tie for third between Howard Bryant and Dave Wildman and Bob Nairns and Russ Morgan 79.

Long drive: Dave Green
Least putts: a tie between Tad Miller, Howard Gilliam, Pete Pearson and Greg Grant 39.

Leona M. Hale

A memorial service for Leona M. Hale will be held on Saturday, April 17 at 1 p.m. at Smith Callaway Chapel in The Dalles. Dr. James Hazlett will officiate.

Mrs. Hale, 81, a former Heppner resident, was a resident of Los Gatos, CA. where she died on March 29.

She was born at Grass Valley on May 18, 1911 the daughter of Benjamin and Mae Payne. She attended school in Grass Valley. Later she married Glenn McLachlan of Moro and in 1946 they moved to Heppner. Leona was a nurse there and worked for Dr. Tibbles and Pioneer Memorial Hospital. She was a member of the Rebekah Lodge. Mr. McLachlan preceded her in death in 1958. Leona married Elwyn Hale in 1961 and after retirement they lived in Milton-Freewater prior to moving to The Dalles where they lived at Camlu. Mr. Hale died in 1990 and Leona then moved to California to be near her daughter.

Survivors include her daughter and son-in-law Leila and Tom Sullivan, son and daughter-in-law Darrel and Delores McLachlan; grandchildren, Scott Sullivan, Denise Wilson, Marc Sullivan, Jim McLachlan, Diane Wolke, Delbert McLachlan; nine great grandchildren; brothers, Ben and Frank Payne; sisters, Doris Twigg, Betty Emerson, Gladys Fulkerson, Jane Rust and Irene Belshe and many nieces and nephews.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Parkinson Society or a favorite charity in care of Smith Callaway Chapel, 311 Union St. The Dalles, 97058.

Births

Brianna Deann Oland-a daughter Brianna Deann was born to Charlene Marie Oland of Irrigon on March 22, 1993 at Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston. The baby weighed 6 lbs. 13 oz.

Heath Austin Wilson-a son Heath Austin was born to Kimee and Calvin Wilson of Moses Lake, WA. on April 4, 1993 at Samaritan Hospital, Moses Lake. The baby weighed 7 lbs. 8 oz.

Grandparents are Ron Haguewood, Ione; Lynne Haguewood, Tualatin; Bev and Grover Wilson, and Mary Skelton, Quincy, WA.

Great grandparents are Oral and Marge Wright, Lexington.

Country Club plans playday

There will be a family barbecue and playday at Willow Creek Country Club on Sunday April 18 at 4 p.m.

Hosts for the afternoon are Les and Jan Paustain, chairmen; Gary and Barb Watkins, Dave and Anita Pranger and John and Kelli Boyer.

Each family will bring their own meat to barbecue. Those whose names begin with A through I bring salad, J through Z bring dessert.

Easter Bonnet Parade

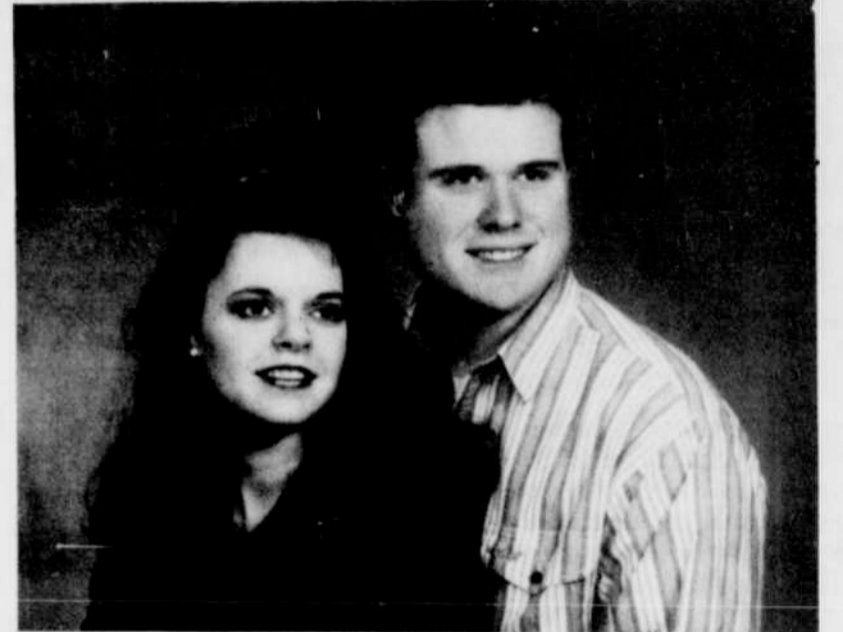


Residents of the Pioneer Memorial Nursing Home modeled Easter bonnet hats in an Easter parade on Friday, April 9 at the nursing home in Heppner. The hats were made by PMH employees.

Modeling from front left to right are: Iva Booker wearing a hat made by Sally Maddern, Irene Dollarhide wears a hat made by Shelly Wight and Martha King wears a hat made by Judy Davis. Back row l-r: Chris Lewis, Shelly Wight and Judy Davis.

The party was sponsored by the Pioneer Nursing Home Auxiliary ladies with Judy Davis chairman.

Engagements



Pearson — Henslee

Frank and Chloe Pearson, Heppner, announce the engagement of their daughter Benji, to David Henslee, son of Dave and Starla Henslee of Eagle Point.

The bride-to-be is a 1989 graduate of Heppner High School. Both Dave and Benji are graduating from Oregon State University in Corvallis in June.

The couple will be married July 10 in Corvallis.



Buczynski — LaRue

Del and Linda LaRue of Ione announce the engagement of their daughter Michelle to Jerry Buczynski of Amity.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Ione High School, holds a bachelor's degree from Oregon State University and a master's degree from Portland State University. She is a business teacher and basketball coach at Sheridan High School.

The future bridegroom is the son of Aner and Donna Buczynski of Amity. He is a graduate of Amity High School and attended Oregon College of Education. He is groundskeeper, volleyball and basketball coach at Willamina High School.

The couple plans a July 10 wedding at the Ione United Church of Christ.

Court Street Market

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Green Cabbage	29¢ lb.	Betty Crocker 5 oz. Potatoes	\$1 ¹⁰ ea.
Oranges	29¢ lb.	Frozen Hind Quarters Turkey	49¢ lb.
Granny Smith Apples	49¢ lb.	Hills Sliced Bacon	\$1 ⁰⁰ lb.
10 lb. bag Potatoes	99¢ ea.	Beef Rib Steak	\$3 ¹⁰ lb.
Betty Crocker 8 oz. Burger Helper	\$1 ⁵⁰ ea.	Beef Roast	\$2 ²⁰ lb.
MD 4 roll pack Bathroom Tissue	\$1 ¹⁰ ea.	Pork Blade Steak	\$1 ⁴⁰ lb.
Western Family Angel Food 16 oz. Cake Mix	\$1 ⁰⁰ ea.	Boneless Pork Country Ribs	\$1 ⁴⁰ lb.
Western Family 15 oz. Whole New Potatoes	2 for 99¢	Imperial Vegetable Oil 1 lb. cube Margarine	2 for \$1 ⁰⁰

Prices Good
April 14th through 20th