

Obituaries

Annie C. Krebs

Annie C. Krebs, 100, of Arlington, died Tuesday, October 12, 1999, at Good Samaritan Center in Hermiston.

Graveside services were held at the Arlington Cemetery on Saturday, October 16, 1999.

Mrs. Krebs was born October 31, 1898, at Duhram, England, to Thomas and Jennie Hynd Lowe. She was raised at Duhram and attended schools there until 1913 when the family came to the United States, settling in Morrow County. She helped her family operate the Cecil Store and Post Office and later worked at The Dalles as a telephone operator.

On September 11, 1925, she married Henry W. Krebs at Cecil. The couple operated a sheep ranch at Cecil and in Montana until their retirement at Arlington in 1953.

She was given awards by both the Oregon Sheep Growers and Oregon Sheep Growers Auxiliary for her contributions and service to the sheep industry. She was presented a lifetime membership in the Oregon Sheep Growers Association. Oregon State University also honored her as a Diamond Jubilee Pioneer. She was a sponsor of the Alpha Nu Sorority in Arlington and was a member of the Episcopal Church.

Mrs. Krebs enjoyed knitting, crocheting and baking cookies.

Survivors include a daughter, Carlene West, and a son, Henry R. Krebs, both of Ione; brother, William Lowe of Heppner; sister, Minnie Lehman of Paulsbo, Wash-

ington; six grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Henry Krebs; and a brother, Robert Lowe.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Arthritis Foundation, Oregon Chapter, 4412 SW Barbur Blvd., Suite 220, Portland, Oregon 97201; or the Arlington Methodist Church Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 43, Arlington, Oregon 97812.

Sweeney Mortuary of Heppner was in charge of arrangements.

Donna J. Perkins

Donna J. Perkins, 64, of Pendleton, died Tuesday, October 19, 1999, at Good Shepherd Community Hospital in Hermiston.

A graveside service was held at the Heppner Masonic Cemetery on Friday, October 22, 1999.

She was born December 7, 1934, at Heppner, to Darl and Eva Shannon Hudson. She grew up at Heppner and attended local schools, graduating from Heppner High School in 1954. She attended beauty college at Portland, then moved to Pendleton where she worked as a hair dresser. She was working at Sharon and Company in Pendleton at the time of her death.

It was said she had a good sense of humor and always enjoyed a good joke. She loved making crafts for her family and friends.

Survivors include sons, Keith Perkins and Kevin Perkins, both of Pendleton; brothers, Hubert Hudson of Eureka, California, and Jay Dee Hudson of Heppner; and three step-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents; a brother, Gladwin Hudson; and a

sister, Wilma McTimpeny.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, Oregon Division, 0330 SW Curry, Portland, Oregon 97201.

Sweeney Mortuary of Heppner was in charge of arrangements.

Robert Lee Shasteen

Former Boardman resident Robert Lee Shasteen, 62, of Kanorado, Kansas, died Monday, October 18, 1999, at Wichita, Kansas.

Funeral service was held Friday, October 22, 1999 at the Kanorado United Methodist Church, with interment at Kanorado Cemetery.

The only boy in a set of triplets, Mr. Shasteen was born July 13, 1937, at Syracuse, Kansas, to Walter and Lois Borten Shasteen. The family later moved to Pueblo, Colorado, where he grew up and attended schools. His summers, however, were spent on a farm 19 miles south of Kanorado, Kansas.

He joined the Air Force when he was 17 and after his discharge, moved to Burlington, Colorado.

In 1977, he married Constance Adams. The couple moved to Arizona in 1978, then in 1979 they moved to Boardman where Mr. Shasteen worked in the potato plant until 1993 when ill health forced his retirement. In 1995, they moved to Kanorado.

Survivors include his wife, Connie, at the home; daughter, Shelly, and a granddaughter and grandson, all of Salt Lake City, Utah; a brother, Everett of Boardman; sisters, Mary Fredrickson and Linda Shasteen, both of Pueblo, Colorado; and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his parents, Walter and Lois Shasteen; his triplet sisters, Betty Lu and Betty Jean, and another sister, JoAnn.

Memorial contributions may be made to a fund established in Mr. Shasteen's name at the Community First National Bank in Burlington, Colorado.

Hendricks-Love Mortuary of Burlington was in charge of arrangements.

Garden Club

meeting

postponed

The Heppner Garden Club will not hold a meeting on Monday, November 1, because of the Morrow County Grain Growers annual dinner.

The Garden Club will meet the following Monday, November 8, at 7 p.m. at the St. Patrick Senior Center.

A potpourri workshop will be held during the meeting.

Lexington News

By Delpha Jones

Keneth and Connie Jones, and Cecil and Delpha Jones were guests of Jim and Vickie Bowen of Goldendale, Wash., on Saturday. This was a celebration for daughter Charlene Whitney's birthday and a going-away party for the Bowens, who are moving to Woodburn, where he will be employed at Les Schwab stores. Others attending were Jo Irvin of Irrigon and Valda Smith of Hermiston.

Zelma McDaniels was an overnight guest of Roy and Juanita Martin on Thursday evening. They attended the funeral services at Riverside, Wash., on Friday for Maxine (Mrs. Claude) Way. Claude was a former resident of Lexington.

Joe Yocom was host to a get-together at his home for family and friends on Saturday night for dinner and a pinochle party. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Leland Jones and family of Pendleton; Debbie Jones and family, and Jack and Renee Yocom and family of Heppner; Martha and Gary Munkers, and Cecil and Delpha Jones of Lexington; and other grandchildren and friends. The occasion was joint birthday parties for Heather Yocom and Nicole Jones.

Lee Wagenblast and Dot Halvorsen were Grass Valley visitors one day last week.

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St. Patrick's Senior Center Bulletin Board

Seventy-nine people over the age of 60 and six under 60 were present for the senior meal October 20. Seventeen meals were home delivered. Members of the Christian Missionary Fellowship served. Blood pressures were taken and flu shots given before the meal.

The menu for Nov. 3 will be baked potatoes, chili with cheese, cabbage salad, cheese biscuits and cookies and cream dessert. Members of the First Christian Church will serve. Hearing aid service will be given and blood pressures taken before the meal.

The Meal Site Committee will meet at 1 p.m. On Halloween, Sunday, Oct. 31, from 4 to 7 p.m. a taco-burrito buffet will be held in the dining room at the center. Cost is \$15 for a family, \$5 for adults and \$2.50 for children under 10. Door prizes will be awarded. The dinner is a fund raiser for kitchen equipment.

Treats will be available for all "little spooks" in the sitting room Sunday evening, Oct. 31. There will be no movie that evening. Bingo is being played in the dining room every Tuesday from 7 to 9 p.m.

The senior bus is scheduled to go to Fossil Thursday, Nov. 4, leaving the Senior Center at 4 p.m. Those wishing to attend the Columbia Basin Annual dinner and meeting may sign up at the Senior Center office, or call 676-9030.

Dates to remember: exercise Tuesday and Thursday at 10 a.m.; pinochle Tuesday and Friday, 1 p.m.; bingo Tuesday 7 p.m.; movie Sunday 7 p.m.

Remember to bring Red Apple receipts to the office. They help pay the bills.

SWCD Weed Board to meet

A regular board meeting of the Morrow SWCD/Weed Advisory Board will be held Tuesday, November 2, at 3 p.m. at the Pettyjohn Office Building Conference room in Heppner.

Agenda items include: EQIP sign-up in November, Dairy Summit #2 report, manager report, weed report, agency reports and other business. The public is invited to attend.

Arts & Crafts Club to meet

The Morrow County Arts and Crafts Club will meet on Thursday, October 28, at 1 p.m. in the banquet room at Cal's Restaurant.

The possibility of having a mural painted on the new agricultural museum will be discussed.

The painting would depict the diversified farm and livestock past of Morrow County and its pioneer inhabitants. Local input is welcome.

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Letters to the Editor

Editor's note: Letters to the Editor must be signed. The Gazette-Times will not publish unsigned letters. Please include your address and phone number on all letters for use by the G-T office. The G-T reserves the right to edit.

NY Times ad filled with distortions, half truths

To the Editor:

Please find enclosed a copy of an ad that appeared in the New York Times on 10-4-99. My daughter lives in New York City and she knows of my interest in things environmental, so she sent to me the full page. Because of my copier's limitations, I've had to piece together the full text of the ad.

This ad is filled with half truths and distortions. It is obvious that it is designed to sway voters and Congress to further restrict ranching. These environmental groups are attempting another "blindsided" effort in the populous eastern cities where voters know nothing about ranching, about species extinction, about salmon, spotted owls, etc., etc. So they will believe a lot of these distortions and half truths.

The purpose of this letter and ad copy is to alert you folks and especially the ranchers in Morrow County to speak up and let the big city voters know the facts and hopefully destroy the credibility of these environmental groups. I would hope that the Oregon

Cattlemen's Assoc. would get involved; it's their business and livelihood that is at serious risk.

I am sending copies of this ad to other newspapers in eastern Oregon and have personally given a copy to the Blue Mtn. Eagle. If you wish to use this information, you may use my name as a reference.

(s) Donald Pollak
P.O. Box 336
John Day 97845

P.S.: Wolves were killed off some 75 years ago and that hasn't changed the balance of nature, except to increase the numbers of game animals. When Capt. Fremont came through here in the mid 1840's he noted the lack of game animals and, if my information is correct, had to buy dogs to eat from the Indians. So what difference in nature's balance would happen if snails, slugs and salamanders went extinct?

(Editor's note: this ad will be on display to read at the Gazette-Times office.)

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