

OBITUARIES

Constance G. ‘Connie’ Jones

Lexington

August 14, 1952 — August 28, 2020

Constance G. “Connie” (Papineau) Jones was born on August 14, 1952, in Hep- pner, Oregon, to parents Ray and Gloria (Orwick) Papin- eau. She died on August 28, 2020, at her home in Lexington, Ore- gon, at the age of 68 years.

Connie was raised and lived her entire life in Lexington, Ore- gon. She was united in mar- riage to Kenneth “Kenny” Jones on September 5, 1992, in Lexington, Oregon.

Connie was a member of the Heppner Elks Lodge. In her younger years she was a jockey at the race track. She enjoyed golfing, trav- eling, playing cards, hunt- ing, camping and most of all cherished time spent with her family. Connie enjoyed watching her sons and daughters-in-law rodeo and grandchildren junior rodeo, as well as watch their sport- ing events.

She is survived by her husband Kenny Jones of Lexington, Oregon; chil- dren Shawn (Chandra) Eng of Stanfield, Oregon, Shane (Rebecca) Eng of Benton City, Washington, Bruce (Barbara) Eng of Pennsyl- vania, Michael C. Jones of Pasco, Washington, and Christopher Jones of Red- mond, Oregon; parents Ray

and Gloria Papineau of Lexington, Oregon; broth- ers Curtis Papineau of Lex- ington, Oregon, and Calvin Papineau of Pasco, Washing- ton; sisters Candace Gates

of Lexington, Oregon, Carmen Wilson of Lex- ington, Oregon, Crystal Dale of Hamilton, Mon- tana, and Cammie Jones of Hamil- ton, Montana; 12 grandchildren; four great-grand- children; and numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins.

Connie was preceded in death by her first husband, Louie “Tic” Eng, and sons Louie Eng Jr. and Shad D. Eng.

A graveside funeral ser- vice will be held on Fri- day, September 4, 2020, at 11 a.m. at the Lexing- ton Cemetery, Lexington, Oregon, following state guidelines.

In lieu of flowers please make contributions in Con- nie’s memory to Pioneer Memorial Hospice, c/o Burns Mortuary of Hermis- ton, P.O. Box 289, Hermis- ton, OR 97838.

Please share memories of Connie with her family at burnsmortuaryhermiston. com.

Arrangements by Burns Mortuary of Hermiston.

Gerald ‘Jerry’ Bateman

Hermiston

August 11, 1947 — August 31, 2020

Gerald “Jerry” Bateman of Hermiston was born August 11, 1947, in Tilla- mook, Oregon, the son of Irvine and Margaret (Ewan) Bateman. He passed away in Hermiston on Mon- day, August 31, 2020, at the age of 73.

As a child, Jerry moved with his family to Brook- ings, Oregon, where he grew up and attended school. He graduated from Brookings High School in the class of 1965. After high school, Jerry was drafted into the Army and served two years during the Viet- nam War. After his honor- able discharge, he returned to the Southern Oregon coast where he worked in the woods for several years. He moved to Eastern Ore- gon in the mid 1970s, where he has resided since. He has lived in the Hermiston com- munity for over 30 years.

Jerry worked for Pendle- ton Grain Growers for over 30 years in many positions. He retired three years ago.

Jerry loved hunting deer and elk and tinkering in his shop after deer and elk sea- sons were over. He was an avid reader and especially enjoyed Louis L’Amour books. He had a special way of recalling events and was a good teller of sto- ries. He was always will-

ing to help a friend or neigh- bor. He enjoyed going to his friend Bill’s cabin in Albee and working with Darwin Hodges on his ranch, moving livestock and doing repairs.

Jerry married Sherry Norvelle at McNary on June 16, 1984.

He is sur- vived by wife, Sherry; daugh- ter Shiloh (James) Jones and children Savannah, Rowan and Sophie; daughter Poppy (Ray) Plowman and chil- dren Kelsea and Linus; son Austin (Candice) Fertterer, son Nathan and great-grand- daughter Kylie; daughter Dusty Fertterer; daughter Michelle (Mikie) Geagel and children Samantha, Dakota, Grayce and Sierra; brother John (Joann) Bateman; sis- ter Barbara (Darryl) Niemi; sister Nancy Cook; and many nieces, nephews and extended family members.

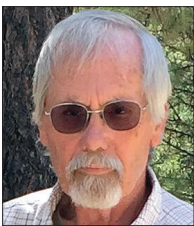
He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Linda.

A Celebration of Life will be held at the family home, 31437 Medvill Court, Herm- iston, Oregon, at 1 p.m. on Sunday, September 6, 2020.

Arrangements by Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. To leave an online condolence for the family, please go to www.burnsmortuaryhermis- ton.com.



Jones



Bateman

BIRTH

Good Shepherd Medical Center, Hermiston

AUG. 21, 2020

CARDONA ORDONEZ — Catalina Ordonez Gre- gorio and Crisanto Cardona of Hermiston: a boy, Walfre Cardona Ordonez.

COURTS

SUITS FILED

PENDLETON — The follow- ing suits have been filed in Umatilla County courts (interest, court costs and fees not listed):

- Midland Credit Manage- ment Inc. vs. Mindy Hum- bert of Hermiston: seeks \$1,237.05.
- Midland Credit Manage- ment Inc. vs. Shawn White of Hermiston: seeks \$2,285.45.
- Credits Inc. vs. Blanca E. Martinez of Hermiston: seeks \$715.96.
- Credits Inc. vs. Jorge Alberto Martinez of Hermiston: seeks \$937.52.
- Credits Inc. vs. Leonardo and Nancy M. Campos of Hermis- ton: seeks \$1,504.21.
- Credits Inc. vs. Travis Cori Ness of Hermiston: seeks \$8,002.56.
- Credits Inc. vs. Astrid Her- nandez of Umatilla: seeks \$3,537.42.
- Credits Inc. vs. Norma Guti- errez and Javier Carrillo of Hermiston: seeks \$2,492.07.
- Credits Inc. vs. Eric J. and Amanda Hausinger of Board- man: seeks \$3,034.66.
- Credits Inc. vs. Jennifer Stites of Stanfield: seeks \$4,942.61.
- Credits Inc. vs. Kember L. and Dylan Studer of Umatilla: seeks 709.66.
- Credits Inc. vs. Lesly Aguilar of Umatilla: seeks \$1,898.70.
- Credits Inc. vs. Jessica L. Payton of Hermiston: seeks \$1,894.12.
- Quick Collect Inc. vs. Jacob and Reylena Cimmiyotti of Hermiston: seeks \$252.18.
- Synchrony Bank vs. Janie Cuellar: seeks \$2,300.52.
- Laura Annette Renz of Uma- tilla vs. Harley Alan Werner Jr. of Troutdale and Jane Doe Werner: seeks \$120,000 plus non-economic damages to be determined at trial.
- David Edgar Wonnacott of Umatilla (TRCI) vs. Tyler Blewett, Supt., TRCI, et al.: seeks \$5,104.06.
- Credits Inc. vs. Brittany Johnson of Hermiston: seeks \$4,964.73.
- Credits Inc. vs. Jose Orejel

- Manzo and Angelica Orejel of Irrigon: seeks \$754.36.
- Credits Inc. vs. Brian Snyder of Irrigon: seeks \$441.01.
- Credits Inc. vs. Jeffrey and Amber Terry of Hermiston: seeks \$640.57.
- Credits Inc. vs. Ellen K. and Darcy Vandever of Hermis- ton: seeks \$1,613.35.

JUDGMENTS

PENDLETON — The follow- ing judgments have been rendered in Umatilla Coun- ty courts (interest, court costs and fees not listed):

- Jefferson Capital Systems LLC vs. Jerry P. Reeves of Hermiston: judgment for \$2,079.70.
- Credits Inc. vs. Mallory E. Murr of Umatilla: judgment for \$6,438.89.
- Credits Inc. vs. Humberto Guzman Barreto of Hermis- ton: judgment for \$9,949.17.
- Credits Inc. vs. Stephanie Pe- rez of Hermiston: judgment for \$1,260.35.
- Credits Inc. vs. Oriana S. Cou- tino of Hermiston: judgment for \$6,106.52.
- Credits Inc. vs. Luz Martell of Hermiston: judgment for \$2,190.95.
- Bonneville Billing & Collec- tions Inc. vs. Joshua McK- amey of Hermiston: judg- ment for \$233.89.
- Credits Inc. vs. Kimberly Silva of Boardman: judgment for \$2,191.11.
- Credits Inc. vs. Francisco Muniz of Umatilla: judgment for \$1,277.79.
- Credits Inc. vs. Maria G. and Francisco Arreola of Umatilla: judgment for \$4,632.89.

MARRIAGES

PENDLETON — Marriage licenses have been regis- tered in Umatilla County for:

- Esteisy Leon Mendoza, 21, and Ignacio Madrigal, 25, both of Irrigon.
- Julianna Grace Vanden Brink, 31, and Timothy Scott Nie- henke, 27, both of Umatilla.
- Claudia Renee Dugan, 29, of Hermiston, and Samoul Nang, 29, of Aloha.



Staff photo by Ben Lonergan, File

A sign posted on a Kayak Public Transit bus stop in Hermiston advises that the route is not running due to COVID-19 concerns. The transit operator resumed routes in Hermiston on June 4 and is preparing to resume more regional operations on Tuesday, Sept. 8.

Kayak to reopen more local routes starting Sept. 8

HERMISTON HERALD

Kayak Public Transit is preparing to enter its next phases of resuming oper- ations throughout East- ern Oregon, according to a press release.

Starting Tuesday, Sept. 8, the free bus service will resume its Arrow route between Mission, Pendleton, Meacham and La Grande, the release stated.

The Whistler route between Pendleton, Adams, Athena, Weston, Milton-Freewater, Col- lege Place and Walla Walla, Washington, will resume operations on Sept. 21.

Kayak is also “ten- tatively” planning to resume its Hopper route

with stops in Mission, Pendleton, Heppner, Echo, Stanfield, Herm- iston, McNary, Umatilla and Irrigon on Oct. 5, according to the release.

Buses already resumed running along the Metro, Mission Express, HART (Hermis- ton Area Regional Tran- sit), Rocket and Tripper routes on June 4.

All passengers are required to wear face coverings and keep 3 feet of distance between themselves and others passengers, along with keeping 6 feet of distance between themselves and the driver.

People seeking addi- tional information can call the Kayak dispatch office at 541-429-7519.

POLICE LOG

MONDAY, AUG. 24

- 1:10 a.m. — A hit-and-run was reported on West Highland Avenue.
- 8:07 a.m. — A domestic disturbance was reported on South Highway 395.

TUESDAY, AUG. 25

- 4:10 p.m. — A caller reported a hit-and-run involving a “red boxy type van” that hit her vehicle and fled the scene on Aug. 21 near the Hermiston Bottle Drop, and said there is video evidence and witnesses.
- 7:58 p.m. — A vehicle theft was reported on Northwest Third Street.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 26

- 6:07 a.m. — A disturbance was reported on East Main Street.
- 9:07 a.m. — A disturbance was reported on East Jennie Avenue.
- 10 a.m. — Someone wanted to speak to police about a motor vehicle accident that happened and the other party was not being “cooperative.”
- 11:08 a.m. — A motor vehicle accident was blocking the eastbound lane at West Ridgeway Avenue and Northwest Third Street.
- 2:21 p.m. — A domestic disturbance was reported on West Ridgeway Avenue.
- 2:47 p.m. — A domestic disturbance was reported on West Hermiston Avenue but police were unable to locate it.
- 3:27 p.m. — Very small children were reportedly running in the road at West Orchard Avenue and Southwest 11th Street.
- 3:42 p.m. — A robbery was reported on South Highway 395.
- 5:21 p.m. — An assault was reported on Northwest 11th Street.
- 6:51 p.m. — A caller reported a drunken driver on North First Street based on a man vomiting in the vehicle behind them in the drive-thru, but the report was determined to be unfound- ed.
- 7:02 p.m. — A motor vehicle accident was reported on North First Street.
- 9:19 p.m. — An assault was reported on West Highland Ave- nue.

THURSDAY, AUG. 27

- 5:49 p.m. — A hit-and-run was reported on North First Street.
- 9:05 p.m. — A disturbance involving a person refusing to get out of a taxi was reported on West Highland Avenue.
- 10:02 p.m. — A motor vehicle accident was reported on North First Street.

FRIDAY, AUG. 28

- 1:07 a.m. — An assault was reported on Northwest Third Street.
- 1:11 a.m. — Unauthorized entry into a motor vehicle was reported on West Highland Avenue.
- 8:15 a.m. — A burglary was reported on West Madrona Ave- nue.
- 9:19 a.m. — A disturbance was reported on South First Street involving a woman yelling for help from a window.
- 2:33 p.m — A hit-and-run was reported on North First Street.
- 4:04 p.m. — A vehicle theft was reported at Northeast Second Street and East Main Street.

- 6:27 p.m. — A disturbance was reported on East Highland Avenue.
- 8:17 p.m. — A disturbance was reported on West Standard Avenue.
- 11:40 p.m. — A drunken driver was reported on West High- land Avenue and arrested.

SATURDAY, AUG. 29

- 9:10 a.m. — A disturbance was reported on West Highland Avenue.
- 1:11 p.m. — A disturbance was reported on East Highland Avenue and South First Street.
- 7:48 p.m. — A disturbance was reported on East Catherine Avenue.
- 10:46 p.m. — Unauthorized entry into a motor vehicle was reported on Southwest 13th Place.
- 11 p.m. — A disturbance was reported on East Gladys Avenue.

SUNDAY, AUG. 30

- 11:50 a.m. — A fight was reported on Southwest Tony Drive and West Joseph Avenue.
- 2:01 p.m. — A hit-and-run was reported on West Elm Avenue.
- 3:45 p.m. — An assault was reported on Northwest 11th Street.
- 7:39 p.m. — A hit-and-run was reported on Northeast Alora Drive.
- 9:21 p.m. — A disturbance was reported on West Division Avenue.
- 10:44 p.m. — An assault was reported on North First Street.

DEATH NOTICES

Floyd D. Calhoun

Stanfield

Dec. 10, 1948 — Aug. 17, 2020

Floyd D. Calhoun, 71, of Stanfield, died Monday, Aug. 17, 2020, at his home. He was born Dec. 10, 1948, in Rochester, Minnesota. Arrangements are pending with Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Share memories with the family at www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Michael S. ‘Mike’ Humphrey

Umatilla

April 12, 1948 — Aug. 24, 2020

Michael S. “Mike” Humphrey, 72, of Umatilla, died Monday, Aug. 24, 2020, in Portland. He was born April 12, 1948, in Richmond, California. A private burial will be held at Hillcrest Memorial Park in Grants Pass. Arrangements by Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Share memories with the family at www.burnsmortuaryherm- iston.com.

Dennis J. Rogers Sr.

Hermiston

Nov. 11, 1951 — Aug. 27, 2020

Dennis J. Rogers Sr., 68, of Hermiston, died Thurs- day, Aug. 27, 2020, in Kennewick, Washington. He was born Nov. 11, 1951, in Heppner. Burial will be at a later date in the Hermiston Cemetery. Arrangements by Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Share memories with the family at www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Dorothy E. Sanders

Walla Walla, Washington

Aug. 21, 1942 — Aug. 26, 2020

Former Hermiston resident Dorothy E. Sanders, 78, of Walla Walla, Washington, died Wednesday, Aug. 26, 2020, in Pasco, Washington. She was born Aug. 21, 1942, in Kansas City, Kansas. A graveside service was held Monday, Aug. 31 at 11 a.m. at the Hermis- ton Cemetery, where masks will be required. Arrange- ments by Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Share memo- ries with the family at www.burnsmortuaryhermiston. com.

Applications open for \$62M fund for Black Oregonians

By ZANE SPARLING
OREGON CAPITAL BUREAU

A \$62 million relief fund is now accepting applica- tions from Black residents picking up the pieces after the novel coronavirus shat- tered lives and livelihoods across Oregon.

The Oregon Cares Fund for Black Relief and Resil- iency will distribute the money — taken from the \$1.4 billion sent to Oregon via the federal CARES Act — in increments of \$1,000, \$2,000 or \$3,000, depending on the severity of the virus’ impact.

Grants are also available for Black-owned businesses and nonprofits.

Two nonprofits, The Contingent and The Black United Fund, will manage monetary distribution, and an 11-member Council of Trust was formed to provide oversight.

Grant applications will be accepted on a rolling basis, with distribution of the money expected two to three weeks later.

The money will be dis- tributed based on need — not on a first-come, first- served basis.

The Oregon Legisla- ture’s Emergency Board, which approved the \$62 million allocation in July, requires that the money be disbursed no later than Dec. 30, 2020.