

DEATH NOTICES

James 'Gary' Johnson
Dec. 17, 1963—Sept. 27, 2021
Hermiston

James "Gary" Johnson, 57, of Hermiston, died Monday, Sept. 27, 2021. He was born Dec. 17, 1963, in Fresno, California, the son of James and Pollie (Sewell) Johnson. Arrangements are with Burns Mortuary of Hermiston.

LeRoy O. Shoemaker Jr.
Jan. 20, 1956 — Sept. 28, 2021
Stanfield

LeRoy O. Shoemaker Jr., 65, of Stanfield, died Tuesday, Sept. 28, 2021, in Portland. He was born Jan. 20, 1956, in Walla Walla. Services are pending. Arrangements are with Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Please share memories of LeRoy with his family at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Verda D. Krug-Underwood
Dec. 22, 1922 — Sept. 26, 2021
Hermiston

Verda D. Krug-Underwood, 98, of Hermiston, formerly Albany, died Sunday, Sept. 26, 2021, in Hermiston. She was born Dec. 22, 1922, in Bogue, Kansas. At her request there will be no service. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Please share memories of Verda with her family at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Carol L. Bockman
Nov. 21, 1935 — Sept. 24, 2021
Hermiston

Carol L. Bockman, 85, of Hermiston, died Friday, Sept. 24, 2021, in Hermiston. She was born Nov. 21, 1935, in Dupree, South Dakota. Services are pending. Arrangements are with Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Please share memories of Carol with her family at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Philip N. 'Phil' Martin
Nov. 14, 1950 — Sept. 26, 2021
Echo

Philip N. "Phil" Martin, 70, of Echo, died Sunday, Sept. 26, 2021, at his home in Echo. He was born Nov. 14, 1950, in Richland, Washington. A private family gathering will be held. Arrangements are with Burns Mor-

tuary of Hermiston. Please share memories of Phil with his family at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Diana Lynne Gehring
Oct. 7, 1955 — Sept. 11, 2021
Hermiston

Diana Lynne Gehring, 65, died Sept. 11, 2021, at her home in Hermiston. She was born Oct. 7, 1955, in Portland. A celebration of life will be held Friday, Oct. 8, 2021, at 11 a.m. at her home for family and friends. Arrangements are with Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Please share memories of Diana with her family at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Lenora 'Susie' Esther
May 10, 1963 — Sept. 29, 2021
Hermiston

Lenora "Susie" Esther, 58, of Hermiston, died Wednesday, Sept. 29, 2021. She was born May 10, 1963, in Hermiston, the daughter of Max and Beverly (Bradfield) Dobbins. Arrangements are with Burns Mortuary of Hermiston.

Amel Frank Veltri
Feb. 21, 1977 — Sept. 25, 2021
La Grande

Amel Frank Veltri, 44, formerly of La Grande, died Sept. 25, 2021, in Lawton, Oklahoma. He was born Feb. 21, 1977, in Los Angeles. A gathering followed by potluck will be held Saturday, Oct. 9, 2021, at 11:30 a.m. at Hermiston Landmark Baptist Church. A memorial service in La Grande will be announced at a later date. Arrangements are with Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Please share memories of Amel with his family at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Yvonne E. (Smith) Wells
May 10, 1940 — Sept. 16, 2021
Hermiston

Yvonne E. (Smith) Wells, 81, of Hermiston died Sept. 16, 2021, in Spokane. She was born May 10, 1940, in Custer, South Dakota. A celebration of life will be held on Sunday, Oct. 10, 2 p.m. at Walchli Farms, 32697 E. Loop Road, Hermiston. Arrangements are with Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Please share memories of Yvonne with her family at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

'Eminent Oregonians' shares important stories

By TAMMY MALGESINI
Hermiston Herald

Pulitzer Prize winning journalist Nicholas Kristof sings praises for "Eminent Oregonians," a soon-to-be released book about the lives and contributions of three Oregonians who "helped create modern Oregon."

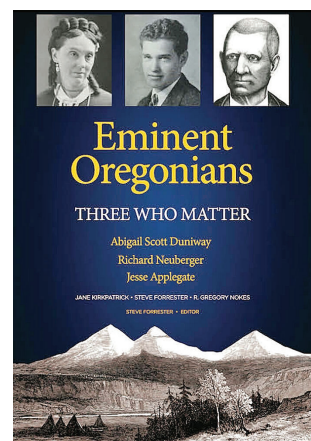
Characterized as a publication "inspired by Lytton Strachey's 'Eminent Victorians,' the authors describe three Oregonians who were often at odds with their moments in history." In the book's promotional materials, Richard A. Baker, U.S. Senate historian emeritus, said Oregon authors Jane Kirkpatrick, R. Gregory Nokes and Steve Forrester each present well-sourced and insightful commentary.

After a career as a mental health and early childhood specialist for 17 years, Kirkpatrick, an award-winning author has written more than three dozen fiction and nonfiction books — many based on the lives of historical women, writes about Abigail Scott Duniway (1834-1915). The lead character in Kirkpatrick's September 2020 historical fiction

release "Something Worth Doing" centered around Duniway, an early women's rights advocate, newspaper editor and writer.

Nokes, a former journalist and foreign correspondent who has authored several books about Oregon's history, shares about the trailblazing efforts of Jesse Applegate (1811-88). Three years after Applegate and his brother, Lindsay, each lost sons on the Oregon Trail's Columbia River route, he helped pioneer an alternate southern route, later called the Applegate Trail. A representative of Oregon's pioneer government, Applegate voiced strong opposition to slavery during the 1857 Constitutional Convention in Salem.

Forrester, president and CEO of EO Media Group, which owns the East Oregonian, former editor/publisher of The Daily Astorian and a former U.S. Senate page, writes about Richard Lewis Neuberger (1912-60). As an 8-year-old, Forrester remembers being fascinated by Neuberger, who visited his family's home in Pendleton — his father and Neuberger met while writing at



Steve Forrester/EO Media Group
'Eminent Oregonians' explores the lives and contributions of three Oregonians who helped create modern Oregon.

The Oregonian. Serving on the Oregon House of Representatives and later the U.S. Senate, Neuberger co-authored The Wilderness Act.

Kerry Tymchuk, Oregon Historical Society executive director, said three talented Oregon authors share remarkable stories about three iconic Oregon figures. He encouraged history buffs to pick up a copy.

For more information or to order the book, visit www.eomediagroup.com/books/eminent_oregonians.

BRIEFS

Hermiston plans community yard sale

If you need motivation to clean out your garage, Hermiston Parks & Recreation has just the event for you.

A community yard sale is planned Friday, Oct. 8, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the parking lot of the Hermiston Community Center, 415 S. Highway 395. People are encouraged to come out and find a bargain or sell their garage/yard sale items.

Spots are available for \$5 each — no food sales or consultants. The space is approximately 8-feet by 20-feet and people must

provide their own tables. For more information or to reserve a space, visit bit.ly/hermistonrecreation or call 541-667-5018.

American Legion plans fundraising yard sale

American Legion & Auxiliary, Hermiston Post 37 will host a parking lot sale Saturday, Oct. 9 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Grocery Outlet, 1815 N. First St. Hermiston.

Veterans and area supporters may bring donated items for the sale that morning starting at 7 a.m. No prices will be posted on items — buyers may

make offers knowing their funds will go toward helping veterans.

In addition, an information table will be staffed so veterans can inquire about membership in the nation's largest "veterans helping veterans" organization. Non-veterans may join the American Legion Auxiliary if they are related to a deceased veteran who served in the U.S. military. If their veteran relative is living, that veteran must hold current membership or once held membership in the American Legion.

For more information, call 541-720-1815 or 541-571-5816.

—Hermiston Herald

POLICE LOG

TUESDAY, SEPT. 28

9:17 p.m. — A domestic disturbance occurred on Joy Lane, Hermiston.

11:43 p.m. — Hermiston police responded to two reports of a theft on Southeast Sixth Street.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 29

5:31 a.m. — Hermiston police received a report of a vehicle theft on Northwest 11th Street.

2:04 p.m. — A Hermiston resident asked to speak to an officer about his neighbor's daughter, who she suspected she has a warrant.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 30

9:54 a.m. — A domestic disturbance occurred at Columbia River Health Clinic, 450 Tatone St., Boardman.

5:26 p.m. — Boardman police responded to a report of a burglary at The Farmers Cup, 450 Laurel Lane.

FRIDAY, OCT. 1

2:25 p.m. — The Umatilla County Sheriff's Office responded to a report of a burglary at M&M Storage, 30437 Union St., Hermiston.

2:39 p.m. — The Umatilla County Sheriff's Office responded to a report of a vehicle theft at Shearer's Foods, 78035 Highway 207, Hermiston.

SATURDAY, OCT. 2

3:27 p.m. — Umatilla police responded to a report of an assault

on Apple Court. 8:27 p.m. — A domestic disturbance occurred on Apple Court, Umatilla.

SUNDAY, OCT. 3

9:11 a.m. — Hermiston police responded to a report of a burglary on the 500 block of East Main Street. An officer took a report.

10:03 a.m. — The Morrow County Sheriff's Office responded to a report of a vehicle theft on Upper Rhea Creek Road, Heppner.

10:11 a.m. — Umatilla police responded to a report of a vehicle theft on Second Street.

11:12 a.m. — The Umatilla County Sheriff's Office responded to a report of a vehicle theft on North Townsend Road, Hermiston.

6:30 p.m. — A domestic disturbance occurred at the intersection of Highway 730 and Highway 395 North, Umatilla.

MONDAY, OCT. 4

5:11 p.m. — Hermiston police responded to a report of a disturbance on the 500 block of East Catherine Avenue.

ARRESTS, CITATIONS

Sept. 29
Hermiston police arrested Kathryn Alicia York, 30, for possession of a stolen vehicle.

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Juan Domingo Gaspar, 30, for driving under the influence of intoxicants, reckless driving and resisting arrest.

The Morrow County Sheriff's Office arrested Bradlee D. Miller, 30, for felony strangulation. Umatilla police arrested Alvaro Rosas Mendez, 30, for felonies of fourth-degree assault and strangulation.

Hermiston police arrested Tami Jean Califf, 54, on misdemeanors of menacing and pointing a firearm at another.

Umatilla police arrested Alvaro Rosas Mendez, 30, for felony fourth-degree assault and felony strangulation.

Oct. 2
Stanfield police arrested John Paul Surber, 53, for DUII, attempted unlawful use of a weapon and second-degree disorderly conduct.

Umatilla police arrested David Andrew Agnew, 28, for fourth-degree assault.

Hermiston police arrested Roberto Reyes Linarez, 37, for DUII, hit-and-run involving property, reckless driving, driving while suspended or revoked, felony fourth-degree assault and on two warrants for failure to appear.

Oct. 4
Hermiston police arrested Samuel Perez Carrillo, 36, for two counts of felony fourth-degree assault.

PET OF THE WEEK

SEVERAL CATS UP FOR ADOPTION

Fuzzball Animal Rescue is in need of Cat/Kitten food and supplies (litter, wet and dry food)

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Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, animal shelters need our help more than ever. Please donate to your local shelter, or offer to foster an animal in need.

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Hermiston
www.oregontrailvet.com

If interested please go to fuzzballrescue.com and fill out an application. If you are not able to adopt, but would like to foster or donate, visit fuzzballrescue.com or you can mail in donations to Fuzz Ball Animal Rescue, PO Box 580, Hermiston, OR 97838

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<p style="font-weight: bold; font-size: small;">NEW BEGINNINGS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">Worship Service 10:30 AM Sunday School 9:00 AM Pastor J.C. Barnett Children's Church & Nursery Available 700 West Orchard Avenue P.O. Box 933 Hermiston, Oregon 541-289-4774</p>	<p style="font-weight: bold; font-size: small;">Seventh-day Adventist Church</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">Saturdays Sabbath School.....9:30 a.m. Worship Service.....11:00 a.m. English & Spanish Services 541-567-8241 855 W. Highland Ave. Hermiston, OR 97838</p>	<p style="font-weight: bold; font-size: small;">Hermiston Christian Center & School</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">Sunday Gathering: 10:00 AM</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">This gathering is also livestreamed on our Facebook page.</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">Nursery care is available 3 years & under Kids Club available 4 years-5th grade</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">Sunday Prayer Gathering: 6:00 PM</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">NEED PRAYER? CONTACT US! 1825 W. Highland Ave. 541-567-3480 hcc4u.org hcc4u2020@gmail.com</p>																																					
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