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CARD OF THANKS

Thanks for your prayers and caring during Gennie's illness and passing.
Kermit Fisher & family
P4/21

Thanks to the Vernonia Ambulance crew and Fire Department for their fast response to our accident on March 30. Thankfully, no one was really hurt. We appreciate the staff and volunteer commitment to the community.

Jennifer Butcher and Baby Jacob

PUBLIC NOTICE

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By Anthony Hyde, Chairman

Publish April 21 and May 5, 1999

PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

BEFORE THE BUDGET COMMITTEE FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, OREGON

In the Matter of the Preparation of the Meadowview Service District DSL-1 Budget for Fiscal Year 1999-2000

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Notice is hereby given that the Columbia County Budget Committee will hold a public meeting on May 20, 1999 at 1:30 p.m. to discuss Columbia County's budget for Fiscal Year July 1, 1999 to June 30, 2000. The meeting will be held in the Board of Commissioners' Meeting Room, Room 308, Columbia County Courthouse, St. Helens, Oregon.

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Obituary (More obituaries on page 13)

MARY C. GEORGE

Mary Colleen George, 68, Birkenfeld, died April 9, 1999, at Community Home Health Hospice in Longview, Wash. At her request, no services were to be held. Disposition was by cremation.

Mrs. George was born Feb. 14, 1931, at Omaha, Neb., to Robert and Viola (Welton) Shannon.

She married William George in 1950. They lived in Grants Pass from 1960 to 1995 and moved to Birkenfeld three years ago.

Mrs. George was a homemaker. She was a member of the PTA and 4-H, and was involved with the Grants Pass Elks.

Mrs. George was preceded in death by a brother, Robert O. Shannon.

Survivors include her husband; sons, Marc W. of Pasadena, Maryland and Craig B. of Gresham; daughter Colleen Dransfeldt of Gresham; brothers, Gene of Grants Pass and Larry of Pensacola, Fla.; sister, Shirley Logeais of Grants Pass; 11 grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Remembrances are suggested to Community Home Health Hospice, P.O. Box 2067, Longview, WA 98632.

Dahl McVicker Funeral Home in Kelso, Wash., was in charge of arrangements.

THOMAS E. HYDE

Thomas Edward Hyde, 48, Irvine, Calif., died April 5, 1999, of a cerebral aneurysm. Funeral services were held in Tustin, Calif. Interment was in Newport Beach, Calif.

Mr. Hyde was born April 10, 1950, in Ottumwa, Iowa. He attended school in Iowa City, Iowa.

He and his wife, Ellen, were married for 22 years.

Mr. Hyde was a professional photographer.

Survivors in addition to his wife include a daughter, Shawna, who is attending San Diego State University; his mother, Annette, of Hot Springs, Ark.; brothers Tim of Arlington, Calif., Ted of Los Angeles, Toby of Iowa City; Tony of Vernonia and Todd of Dallas; nieces and nephews.

LYLE L. TAYLOR

Lyle LaVerne Taylor, 75, Vernonia, died April 8, 1999, at Oregon Health Sciences University Hospital in Portland. Memorial services will be held Sunday, May 2 at Vernonia Evangelical Bible Church, 967 State Street, with Pastor Grant Williams officiating. Private interment was held.

Mr. Taylor was born July 14, 1923, at Haines, Oregon, to Marion H. and Arla V. (Shadley) Taylor. He was raised in Haines and Klamath Falls. He was a member of the Madesi Indian Tribe, a splinter tribe of the Pit River Tribe.

He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II.

Mr. Taylor married Elsie Nice in 1945 at Baker, Oregon. They lived in Baker until 1962, when they moved to Sherwood. In 1978 they moved to Jewell where they lived until moving to Vernonia in 1986.

He worked on the farm for his uncle, as a young man, then later worked for Overhead Door Company while still farming. After moving to Jewell, he farmed and raised cattle and sheep. He continued to raise cattle after they moved to their home in Vernonia.

Mr. Taylor was preceded in death by two sisters, Coena and Rowena; and three brothers, Denver, William, and Mick.

Survivors include his wife; sons, Lloyd of Eugene and Gaylen of Forest Grove; brother, Walter of Cove; sisters, Thelma Cutshall of Tigard and Roseanna Streuke of Lake Oswego; a sister-in-law, Shirley Taylor of Cove; three grandchildren, including Brian Taylor of Vernonia; two great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Fuiten, Rose & Hoyt Funeral Home in Vernonia was in charge of arrangements.

FRANK "DUTCH" O. HANENKRATT

Frank O. "Dutch" Hanenkratt, 92, Jewell, died March 30, 1999, in Astoria. A memorial service was April 2, at Caldwell's Luce-Layton Mortuary in Astoria. Interment was at Fort Stevens Cemetery, Hammond.

Mr. Hanenkratt was born Dec. 9, 1906, in Tillamook, to Francis and Alice (Franklin) Hanenkratt. He was raised in Tillamook County.

He enlisted in the U.S. Army after high school, before World War II, and was stationed at Fort Stevens as a gun painter. He continued his career in the military, retiring from the U.S. Air Force.

Mr. Hanenkratt served as town marshal in Eager, Ariz., after his discharge.

He moved to Jewell in 1971.

Mr. Hanenkratt was a lifetime member of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 8987, and a member of Clatsop Post 12 American Legion and the Air Force Sergeants' Association. He had also been a member of the Jewell Grange.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Cora Hanenkratt, in 1997.

Survivors include his daughters, Helen Lawrence of Salem and Helen Honl of Astoria; stepdaughters, Cheryl Piveral of Marysville, Mo., and Dana Sue Nelson of Eager, Ariz.; stepson, Glenn Shaw of Mineola, Tex.; a half sister, Nadine Andan of Seattle; and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Caldwell's Luce-Layton Mortuary of Astoria was in charge of arrangements.

JAMES W. WOOD

James Willsey Wood, 65, Hillsboro, died April 4, 1999, in Portland, of cancer. At his request, no services will be held. Disposition was by cremation. Inurnment was in Skyline Memorial Gardens in Portland.

Mr. Wood was born April 25, 1933, in Curtis, Neb. He had lived in Hillsboro since he was a teen and attended Hillsboro High School.

He served in the U.S. Army.

Mr. Wood married Ruth Herbert in 1953.

He was a machinist for Albina Engine & Machine and later was a machinist superintendent at Techni-Flow until his retirement in 1994.

Survivors include his wife; daughter, Kimberlee Mannerow of Forest, Ontario, Canada; sons, Barry J. and Christopher E., both of Hillsboro; sisters, Irma Mack of Hillsboro and Reida Peters of Edmonds, Wash.; brother, Leonard of Manning, and three grandsons.

Remembrances are suggested to the American Cancer Society.

RETHA PAGE

Retha Page, 90, died March 31, 1999. At her request, no service was held. Interment was in Riverview Cemetery.

Mrs. Page was born Aug. 26, 1908, in Cathlamet, Wash. Her maiden name was Berry.

She lived in Vernonia and McMinnville before moving to the Portland area.

Mrs. Page was a sales representative and trainer for Niagara Cyclo Massage Co. and retired in 1973.

She married Jesse B. Crandall in 1927; he died in 1942.

In 1972 she married Norman Page; he died in 1983.

She married John Henderson in the early 1990s; he died in Feb., 1999.

Mrs. Page was a member of Tigard Christian Church.

Survivors include her daughters, Jeanine McKinley of Silverton and Mary Lou Schnell of Sherwood; son, Melvin Crandall of Tigard; sister, Agnes Jensen of Mapleton; 10 grandchildren, and 17 great-grandchildren.

Remembrances are suggested to Tigard Christian Church.

Young's Funeral Home on Tigard was in charge of arrangements.

MAURENE G. MARKWART

Maurene G. Markwart, 84, died April 13, 1999. A memorial service was April 17, in Bethany Lutheran Church. Private interment was in Willamette National Cemetery.

Mrs. Markwart was born April 17, 1914, in Portland and was raised in Seaside. Her maiden name was Berg.

She graduated from Emanuel Hospital School of Nursing in 1936.

Mrs. Markwart served as a nurse in the U.S. Army in England and Germany during World War II.

She married Edwin H. Markwart in 1950.

Mrs. Markwart was a registered nurse for 10 years in the offices of Drs. Fearl and Stearns and was co-owner with her husband of Wilshire Pharmacy for 40 years until their retirement in 1991.

Survivors include her husband; son, William of Portland; brother, Edward of Jewell, and two grandchildren.

CHICO "MICKY" TEJEDA

Chico "Mickey" Tejada, 29, Tigard, died March 31, 1999, in Buxton. No services will be held. Disposition was by cremation.

Mr. Tejada was born March 5, 1970, in North Bend.

He worked as a maintenance assistant at Park Place Living Center.

Mr. Tejada was preceded in death by two brothers, Bo and Nicholas.

Survivors include three sons, Hunter, Brandon, and Jeremy, all of Oregon; two daughters, Jessica and Samantha, both of Oregon; his mother, Jodi Christian of Eugene; father, Manuel Humberto Tejada Sr., of El Monte, Calif.; his adopted father, Skip Christenson of Oregon; brothers, Rick of Oregon, Skip, and two other brothers of California; sisters, Rowena and Gina, both of Oregon, and Kathy and two other sisters of California; grandparents, Georgi and Mac McCollum of Eugene, and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hamm of Oregon; and a girlfriend, Kimberly.

MONTE L. TALLMAN

Monte L. Tallman, 79, died April 13, 1999. A memorial service was April 17, in Fuiten, Rose & Hoyt Funeral Home in Forest Grove. Disposition was by cremation.

Mr. Tallman was born Feb. 25, 1920, in Buxton and was raised in Timber. He graduated from Forest Grove Union High School and attended the University of Oregon.

He served in the U.S. Army Air Forces in Europe during World War II.

Mr. Tallman married Donna C. Page in 1942.

He was a logger, mill worker, and a coin collector for GTE for 20 years before retiring about 1985.

Survivors include his wife; daughter, Donna L. Jacobs of Oak Harbor, Wash.; five grandchildren, and 11 great-grandchildren.

Remembrances are suggested to the American Heart Association.

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2ND NOTICE OF BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETING

A public meeting of the Budget Committee of the City of Vernonia, Columbia County, State of Oregon, to discuss the budget for the fiscal year July 1, 1999, to June 30, 2000, will be held at the Vernonia Public Library. The meeting will take place on the 26th of April, 1999, at 6:30 PM. The purpose of the meeting is to receive the budget message and to receive comment from the public on the budget. A copy of the budget document may be inspected or obtained on or after the 2nd day of April, 1999, at Vernonia City Hall, 919 Bridge Street between the hours of 8 AM and 5 PM. This is a public meeting where deliberation of the Budget Committee will take place. Any person may appear at the meeting and discuss the proposed programs with the Budget Committee.

Michael J. Sykes
Chief Budget Officer

Publish April 21, 1999

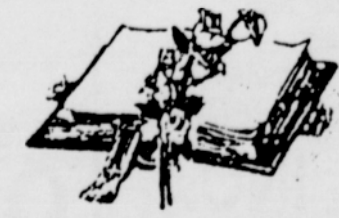
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