

## Obituary

### MARION DONALD CALHOUN

Marion Donald Calhoun, 88, Ripon, California, died March 28, 2004. A private graveside service was held April 1 followed by a memorial service at Lakewood Memorial Park in Hughson, Calif.

Mr. Calhoun was born May 19, 1915, in Allendale, Missouri, where he was raised and educated. He served in the U.S. Marines during WWII.

In 1939, he married Annabelle. They made their home in Minneapolis, Minn., Chula Vista, Calif., Stockton and Ripon, Calif. He worked in sales management. He was preceded in death by his wife.

Survivors include two sons, David of Stockton, Calif., and Steven of Vernonia; three daughters, Georgia Robertson of Acampo, Calif., Deborah Jacroux of Carmen, Calif., Cindy Wilbur of Ripon, Calif.; eight grandchildren; six great-grandchildren.

### MILDRED N. ELLIS

Mildred N. Ellis, 79, Banks, died March 26, 2004.

Ms. Ellis was born December 30, 1924, in Lawton, Oklahoma, to Claud and May (Brantley) Ellis.

Survivors include a sister, Helen Wagoner of Banks; one nephew.

Westside Cremation & Burial was in charge of arrangements.

### ARTHUR CLINTON LAUBACH II

Arthur Clinton Laubach II, 78, formerly of Mist, died April 11, 2004. A graveside service will be held Saturday, April 17, at Mist Cemetery, Hwy 47, at 1:00 p.m. with Pastor Jeff Mullins of the Birkenfeld Community Church officiating. Everyone is invited to the Natal Grange Hall at 2:00 p.m.

Mr. Laubach was born December 23, 1925, in Denver, Colorado, to Arthur Clinton and Mary A. (Dowling) Laubach I. He was raised and educated in Rosemead, California. At 12 years of age, he ran away to join the cavalry and was assigned to guard the Mexican border, but was sent home after his mother found him. He served in the U.S. Marines during WWII.

In the 50s, he was a partner in a logging company and directed loggers in the Brazilian rain forest. At various times he also owned a prune orchard in Canyonville, owned and operated a mining claim, owned a tavern in North Plains, and was a partner in a car dealership in Beaverton.

In 1973, he married Dorothy M. Hyde. They made their home in Mist. "The Man from Mist," as he was known, was a lobbyist in Salem, served on the Board of Directors of WOEC, and was chair of the Mist-Birkenfeld RFPD for 12 years.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Arthur III of Fresno, Calif.; two daughters, Mary Corder of Fenton, Michigan, and Kate M. Conley of Mist; two step children, Beverly N. Smith of Salem, and Bill Hansen of Banks; 15 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren.

Remembrances are suggested to the Mist-Birkenfeld Helping Circle Scholarship Fund, c/o Irene Jones, 69099 North Bank Road, Birkenfeld, OR 97016.

Haakinson-Groulx Mortuary in

Clatskanie was in charge of arrangements.

### JACK McDONALD

Jack McDonald, 82, Beaver, died April 6, 2004. A memorial service was held April 10 at the United Methodist Church in Tillamook.

Mr. McDonald was born February 6, 1922, in Brookings, to George and Iris McDonald. He was raised in Vernonia and graduated from Vernonia High School. He served in the U.S. Army during WWII.

In 1952, he married Stella Fry. They made their home in Bay City, then in 1957 moved to a dairy farm on the Miami River and, later, to Beaver.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Susan Kamna-McDonald; one brother, Ralph; one sister, June McRae.

Survivors include his wife, a son, Mel of Bay City; three daughters, Janice Welch of Bay City, Julie Pieren of Beaver, June of Los Angeles, Calif.; Two brothers, Lynn of Independence, Lyle of Hillsboro; two sisters, Joanne Hall of Hillsboro, Dorothy Simonsen of King City; eight grandchildren; nieces and nephews.

Remembrances are suggested to Tillamook Hospice, 1015 3rd St., Tillamook, OR 97141.

Wauds Funeral Home in Tillamook was in charge of arrangements.

### BIRDENE A. MILLER

Birdene A. Miller, 88, Forest Grove, died March 29, 2004. Funeral services were held April 2 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Hillsboro, with Rev. Bruce A. Rumsch officiating. Interment was at Willamette National Cemetery.

Mrs. Miller was born October 4, 1915, in Bennett, Nebraska, to William E. and Anna (Gaskel) Maahs. She was raised and educated in Neb.

In 1940, she married Paul R. Miller. They made their home in Neb., then moved to California in 1959 and to Banks in 1975. They moved to Forest Grove in 1992. She worked as a hairdresser and helped her husband run their custom meat cutting business in Neb.

She was preceded in death by her husband; a daughter, Marlyce Kae Miller; a son, Bill; five brothers.

Survivors include a daughter, Sharrie D. VanDyke of Cornelius; sister, Evelyn Giesler of Hillsboro, three

grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews.

Remembrances are suggested to the Birdene A. Miller Memorial Fund, c/o Trinity Lutheran Church, 2194 SE Minter Bridge Road, Hillsboro, OR 97123.

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

### JACK BOYD NELSON

Jack Boyd Nelson, 76, formerly of Mist, died March 24, 2004. A memorial service was held March 30.

Mr. Nelson was born October 13, 1927, in Portland. He was raised in Mist, attending school in Vernonia until he was 16, then moved to Seattle, where he completed his education.

During WWII, he served in the Merchant Marine and U.S. Navy. In 1947, he married Beth Naomi Crowther.

He was preceded in death by a son; Jeffrey.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Paul and Mark; a daughter, Lisa McCracken; nine grandchildren; one great-grandchild.

Remembrances are suggested to the "Make a Wish Foundation."

Finley's Sunset Hills was in charge of arrangements.

## Banks Fire District #13

### MARCH 2004

- Mar 1 - EMS Assist - heart prob. MVA - Wilson River Hwy.
- Mar 2 - EMS Assist - trauma
- Mar 3 - Miscellaneous fire
- Mar 4 - EMS Assist (2) - sick
- Mar 5 - EMS Assist (2) - stroke & allergies.
- Mar 6 - MVA, car fire - Hwy 6/47
- Mar 7 - EMS Assist - sick
- Mar 8 - EMS Assist - back pain MVA - Hwy 26, MP 43
- Mar 9 - Chimney fire
- Mar 10 - Commercial alarm
- Mar 11 - EMS Assist - heart prob. Brush fire
- Mar 12 - EMS Assist - sick
- Mar 13 - MVA - 26 @ Lodge Rd. Chimney fire
- Mar 14 - EMS Assist (2) - chest pain & diabetic MVA - Hwy 47
- Mar 15 - EMS Assist (2) - assault & seizure
- Mar 16 - EMS Assist (2) - sick & trauma
- Mar 17 - EMS Assist - sick
- Mar 19 - Station Cover - N. Plains
- Mar 20 - EMS Assist - fall Smoke investigation
- Mar 21 - Auto alarm
- Mar 22 - EMS Assist (2) - sick & overdose
- Mar 23 - Smoke investigation (2) & illegal burn
- Mar 25 - EMS Assist - chest pain MVA (3) - Tophill, DQ, Sell Rd.
- Mar 26 - EMS Assist - cardiac MVA - Nowakowski
- Mar 27 - EMS Assist (5) - fall (2), beathing, stroke, un conscious
- Mar 28 - MVA - 26 @ DQ
- Mar 29 - EMS Assist (2) - seizure auto/pedestrian
- Mar 31 - EMS Assist - breathing MVA - Hwy 47

## Vernonia Rural Fire District

Abbreviations: EMS, Emergency Medical Service; MVA, Motor Vehicle Accident

### MARCH 2004

- Mar 2 - EMS Assist
- Mar 3 - Chimney Fire
- Mar 4 - EMS Assist Hazmat - Level 1
- Mar 6 - MVA
- Mar 9 - Public Assist
- Mar 11 - EMS Assist
- Mar 13 - Structure Fire
- Mar 14 - MVA
- Mar 15 - EMS Assist, MVA Illegal Burn, Agency Assist
- Mar 17 - EMS Assist (2) MVA
- Mar 20 - EMS Assist (2)
- Mar 21 - EMS Assist (3)
- Mar 24 - MVA
- Mar 28 - EMS Assist Illegal Burn
- Mar 29 - Illegal Burn
- Mar 30 - Smoke Investigation
- Mar 31 - Chimney Fire

## WEATHER REPORT

### MARCH 2004

DATE	TEMPERATURE		PRECIP. AMT.
	HI	LO	
1	53	29	--
2	55	30	.21
3	46	36	.19
4	48	33	.25
5	50	33	.20
6	49	35	.01
7	63	43	--
8	74	42	--
9	55	27	T
10	58	29	--
11	67	30	--
12	52	32	--
13	61	35	--
14	57	36	--
15	58	31	--
16	59	34	--
17	61	38	T
18	47	31	.27
19	50	27	--
20	64	33	--
21	69	38	--
22	66	31	--
23	58	36	.25
24	51	39	.15
25	48	38	.45
26	46	40	.36
27	53	32	.03
28	67	31	--
29	76	31	.02
30	49	26	T
31	51	30	.15

Temperature and precipitation amounts are from the official U.S. weather station at the Vernonia water plant. Measurable precipitation in March totalled 2.54 inches.

Hard is the heart that loved naught in May.  
Geoffrey Chaucer

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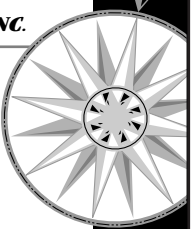


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