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OBITUARIES

KELLY LEWIS

Funeral services for Kelly Lewis, age two years and five months, will be conducted at 11 o'clock Friday morning at the Nyssa LDS stake house.

She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Allen Lewis of Anaheim, Calif., and a granddaughter of Mrs. Tom (Dorothea Lewis) Mitchell of Nyssa, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Ontario.

Kelly was born March 16, 1967 and succumbed early Tuesday morning, August 19, 1969 at an Anaheim hospital, following an illness of one day.

In addition to her parents and grandparents, the small girl is survived by a six-year-old brother, Rickie.

Lienkaemper chapel will be in charge of the local funeral service and burial rites.

GRACE BARNETT

Services for Mrs. Grace Laura (Long) Barnett, 88, were conducted Wednesday afternoon, August 20, 1969 at Lienkaemper chapel. Officiating was Bishop Reed Ray of the First Ward of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Interment was made in the Nyssa cemetery.

Mrs. Barnett, a former Nyssa resident, succumbed Monday at Ogden, Utah.

She was born in Wyoming, with birthdate unknown. On Dec. 6, 1925 she was married to John Barnett at Billings, Mont. After moving first to Wyoming, they came to Nyssa in 1938 and in 1961 moved to Montpelier. Mr. Barnett died in September that year at Nyssa.

Mrs. Barnett moved to Ogden in 1964 where she resided until her death.

Survivors include two sons, R. H. Long of Ovid, and Hoover E. Long, South Lake Tahoe, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. Ella Johnson, Meeteetse, Wyo., and Mrs. Betty Hall, Geneva, Idaho; three stepdaughters, Mrs. Lois Eire, Fulton, Kan., Mrs. Meta Pickett, Quincy, Wash., and Mrs. Norma Powell, Neosho, Mo.; 11 grandchildren, a number of great-grandchildren, and four great-great-grandchildren.

NURSES GRADUATE

SUNSET VALLEY-Among family members, attending the August 16 practical nurses' commencement exercises in Ontario, were those of Don Hatch, Duane Smith, Gabriel Astoreca and Myron Show. Also attending the rites were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lowtrip, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Fox, Mrs. Bill Linville, Mrs. Patricia Keefauver, Walter Nelson, Dewayne Collins, Michael Robb and Mrs. Delphine Meier.

Nelson arrived August 15 from Willow Springs, Mo. He accompanies a granddaughter, Mrs. Don Hatch, who was returning home after taking her husband and Duane Smith to Mississippi. They went to the southern state to get some school buses.

MINNIE TUNING

Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie S. Tuning of route 3, Parma, were conducted Tuesday afternoon, August 19, 1969 at Sterry Memorial Presbyterian church in Roswell. Officiating was the Rev. John Senn of the Wilder Golden Gate Baptist church. He was assisted by the Rev. Roy Wilson of the Sterry Memorial church. Interment was made in the Roswell cemetery.

Mrs. Tuning succumbed Saturday at Malheur Memorial hospital in Nyssa.

She was born Nov. 21, 1882, at Seymour, Mo., moving to Long Valley by covered wagon with her family when she was five years old. The family returned to Seymour in 1888. She and her brother Judd Stewart, returned to Idaho on March 25, 1905, to homestead outside of Parma. During this time, she worked for the Parma Mercantile.

The deceased was married to Bert E. Peck in Parma in 1907. They lived there until 1916, when they moved to Wichita, Kan., and then to Vallejo, Calif., in 1934. They later returned to Idaho. She married Sam Tuning on March 25, 1951, at Roswell, and they had lived there since.

Mrs. Tuning was a charter member of the Roswell Baptist church.

In addition to Mr. Tuning, survivors include a son, Leonard Peck, Mill Valley, Calif., a daughter, Mrs. Hester B. Reeves, West Covina, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. Ruby Cast and Mrs. Zena Walter, both of Seymour, and Mrs. Dawn Gaskill, Goodland, Kan.; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Memorials are being given to the Idaho Youth Ranch at Rupert.

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH NOTES

The Thursday evening family worship service at Faith Lutheran church will be held at 8 o'clock this evening with Dale Hershey, Nyssa migrant worker, as guest speaker.

His home is in Pennsylvania, and he is in Nyssa with his wife, Dorothy, working in the city to bring about better relations between the Mexicans and whites.

The Hershey couple came to Nyssa in September last year and will be here until the fall of 1970. They reside at 112 E. First street.

Hershey will also speak at the 10:30 a. m. family worship service on Sunday, Aug. 24 at Faith Lutheran.

Dick Nelson will conduct the liturgical portion of the Aug. 21 service; and Danny Nichols will assist during the August 24 service.

Young people of Faith Lutheran church of Nyssa, Grace Lutheran church at Vale and St. Paul's church at Ontario are planning to attend an August 24 afternoon skiing party.

Among the nurse graduates are two of Nelson's daughters, Mrs. Gabriel (Freda) Astoreca of this area; and Mrs. Delphine Meier of Owyhee Junction. Another member of the class is a granddaughter, Mrs. Duane (Norma) Smith.



THE UDELL POULSEN FAMILY

"Finland and her people have become very much a part of us and our lives" stated President Udeell E. Poulsen, who recently returned from Finland where he presided over the Finnish Mission of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Accompanying President Poulsen and his wife Pauline and children, Stanford (11), Pamela (9), Camille (5), and Dallin (9 months).

Living abroad was not a new experience for the Poulsen family, since they had previously spent four years in Cape Town, South Africa, where Mr. Poulsen was secretary and Financial Manager of the subsidiary company of Del Monte Corporation. Nevertheless, Finland afforded new challenges, especially due to the difficult Finnish language, which none of the family knew upon arrival, except Mr. Poulsen. However, after a few months the children were speaking like native Finns as a result of their constant association with neighborhood playmates and friends at church.

For Mrs. Poulsen Finnish was more of a challenge, due to fewer opportunities to hear and use the language since her responsibilities as a mother confined her much more to the home. Nevertheless, she learned to communicate effectively with the cook who assisted her in the home several hours each day. She also gave frequent talks in Finnish in various auxiliary meetings and public meetings of the church.

Since they had never experienced winter in California nor South Africa, the children especially enjoyed the winter sports of skiing, ice-skating, and sleighing. As a matter of fact, knowing that last winter would be their last in Finland, they hoped that it would be cold and last a long time.

Finland is a beautiful land of many contrasts: of green-wooded country-side and forest in summer, to ice-land and snow in winter; a land of light during long, summer days, to a land of winter darkness. It is a land where 213 of the populace live mostly on small, parcelled farms, worked primarily by horse-drawn implements, and where they produce much of the necessities to sustain life; yet, it is a country with beautiful modern cities where industry is thriving and where they are very much a part of the 20th Century. It is a land of topographical variety, from the heavily wooded flat southland, situated around some 60,000 lakes, to the rolling hills of lapland that become bush land in summer and but snow and ice in winter.

The Finns as a people, contrary to general opinion, are not Scandinavian; nor are they

views with each missionary, through special conferences and training meetings, via correspondence, as well as through many printed materials prepared especially to assist them in their labors.

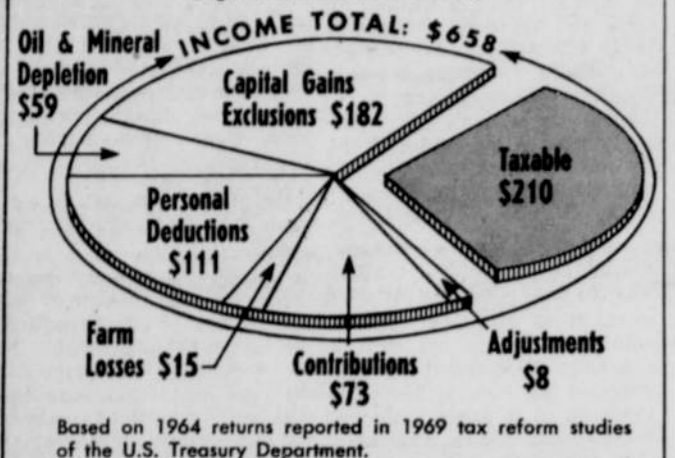
In his capacity of head of the Church in Finland, President Poulsen, assisted by two local Finnish men, had as their prime responsibility to train local men and women in Church government. The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints has no paid clergy; rather each member is expected to contribute of his time and talents to assist in teaching and in working in the Church in other positions when called to do so. The Finnish Mission is organized into four Districts and 24 Branches, and the leadership for these Districts and Branches was taken from among the local Finnish men. As men have gained experience in serving in the Church they are ordained to the Melchizedek Priesthood and called to be Branch Presidents and to accept other responsible leadership positions within the Church. During his time in Finland President Poulsen ordained some 60 men Elders within the Church. Of course there is a tremendous training program involved in teaching these new leaders how to effectively carry out their responsibilities. Various leadership training seminars and leadership meetings were held to accomplish this need.

Mrs. Poulsen was called to be an advisor to the women's organizations of the mission, and being certain that our young women and ladies are afforded the complete Church program Finland.

The Poulsens were called to serve in Finland for a period of three years as a special missionary call. They received no salary for this service, but they were provided a home and an allowance for food during their time there. Now, with their return to the States, Mr. Poulsen will return to his regular profession of business and finance. Del Monte Corporation had a position open for him, but he accepted the position of Assistant Comptroller for the Church, and the family will now be living in Salt Lake City.

Mr. Poulsen is the son of Mrs. Selma Poulsen and the late George Poulsen, formerly of Nyssa. Mr. Poulsen graduated from the Nyssa High School class of 1946, where he was a Class President, cheer leader, and active in dramatics. And in 1948-49-50 performed his first mission to the land of the complete Church program Finland.

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FLETCHER'S CORRAL
 BY ROGER FLETCHER
 Malheur County Agent

COUNTY FAIR 4-H INFORMATION

On Wednesday, August 27, between 200 and 300 4-H Livestock club members will converge on the fair grounds in Ontario to enter their exhibits in the 1969 Malheur county fair scheduled for August 28-31.

The 4-H livestock show will again make a significant contribution to the fair. Eighty 4-H dairy animals, 115 beef, 121 sheep and 61 hogs are anticipated.

The 4-H schedule has been revised this year to include two additions which should enhance the program. 4-H livestock members will have an opportunity to give deomonstrations in their project area. Demonstrations are designed to teach the art of communicating. In addition to demonstrations, the program will include a round robin showmanship contest on Saturday afternoon, August 30, at 1 p.m. The grand champion 4-H beef, sheep, swine, dairy and horse showman will meet in the same ring with their animals. The obvious purpose of this event is to determine the most versatile showman.

A complete schedule of fair activities is printed on page one of this Journal issue.

Judging changes have been made since publication of the 1969 premium book. Dairy judge is Ronald Lind, OSU graduate student; beef judge is John Landers, extension livestock specialist at OSU; swine judge is LeRoy Pulliam of Madras and the sheep judge is Crawford Oveson of Enterprise.

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