

# JAMES W. BIRD ANSWERS CALL

VETERAN OF CIVIL WAR AND PIONEER OF ANACORTES PASSES AWAY EARLY THURSDAY MORNING—WAS FIRST WEATHER OBSERVER HERE—FUNERAL FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

James W. Bird, veteran of the civil war and possessor of medals and decorations won in that contest, and pioneer of Anacortes, passed away this (Thursday) morning. The funeral will be held at Haugen's chapel Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the remains will be taken to Seattle for cremation. He is survived by a widow living here, and two brothers, one living in Long Beach, Cal., and the other in New York.

James W. Bird was born in Cattaraugus county, New York, in 1840, and was a few days more than 84 years of age at his death. The year he became of age he enlisted as a private in Company B, 154th New York infantry, joining the colors at Ellicottsville, and was discharged at Elmira, New York, in 1865, having served throughout the war. He possessed a lieutenant's commission when discharged.

The dead veteran was engaged in several of the bloodiest battles of the civil war, among them Fredericksburg, Chancellorsville and Gettysburg. He was on General Joe Hooker's staff when that officer commanded the first army corps and was with General Sherman on his march to the sea.

After his discharge from the army Mr. Bird came west and settled in Minnesota, living in that state until he came to Anacortes, early in 1890, leaving from Fairbault. In Anacortes he became a general contractor and builder, being engaged in clearing and opening many of the city's streets, as well as in erecting some of its early buildings.

For several years Mr. Bird kept the weather records for the Anacortes station. In February he was married to Mrs. W. J. Blaisdell, who survives him. Mr. Bird was a lifelong Mason, and for 20 years was treasurer of Pidalgo lodge, of this city.

A little more than a year ago he suffered a partial stroke of paralysis, and recovered from its effects largely. About three months ago he commenced to fall rapidly, and two weeks ago was taken to the hospital, where he passed away after several days' unconsciousness.

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SAILORS FROM WARSHIPS  
GIVE PAVEMENT DANCE

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wiley were guests of Mrs. C. R. Wiley over the week-end.

Miss Margaret Radmacher arrived Friday for a two weeks' visit with her parents.

Mrs. D. D. Wilder returned this week from a camping trip on Vancouver island.

W. A. McKenna and Worth Alexander, of Mt. Vernon, were in Anacortes Wednesday.

C. R. Wiley, of Los Angeles, was here last week visiting Mrs. C. R. Wiley, of Thirtieth street.

Mrs. Nick Bessner had the misfortune to injure her ankle last week, but is getting along nicely.

Mrs. A. W. Muller and children, who are camping at Similk Bay, came in Sunday for a brief stay at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Fomo and children are away on a holiday auto tour of Eastern Washington and Oregon.

Mrs. C. J. Weaverling has been confined to her home with a touch of bronchitis for the past week or two.

Mrs. William Gaffney and daughter, of Everett, arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dale.

Miss Madeline Friese, of Everett, left Tuesday for her home, after a week's visit with Miss Adeline Dale. —Special sale of summer hats at \$1 and \$1.50, and others priced accordingly. Mrs. Jordan's.

Charles F. Weaverling has been confined to his home for the past week with illness, but is much improved.

James H. Shields, D. D., will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and evening.

Don Fry entertained six of his classmates at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Fry, for the week-end.

—Cedar siding, \$10 per M. Standard Cedar Lumber Co. Phone 3051.—if

Mr. William McClean, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. E. W. Calvert, of Ansley, Nebraska, returned this week.

Mr. C. P. Washburn, manager of the Mission theatre of Mt. Vernon, was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Lewis Beebe, of Rome, Wash., returned home Saturday morning, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. F. Maryott.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dale, of Mt. Vernon, motored over Monday for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dale and family.

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Next Tuesday afternoon the Social club of the W. B. A. will meet with Mrs. Wilson, Thirty fourth street and N Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse LeFleur and their son Louis expect to leave the last of the week for a camping trip at Marblemount.

William Schafer and his nephews, James and Louis Schafer, of Kirkland, returned Sunday from a hiking trip up the Cascades.

Miss Dorothy Stewart is giving a dancing party at her home on Seventh street, this evening, for a number of her young friends.

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## MISS MARIE STEWART BECOMES MRS. CRANE

Miss Marie Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Stewart, of this city, was united in marriage to Mr. Floyd Crane, who has been attending the Anacortes high school as a special student, Wednesday evening, at the home of the bride's parents on Twenty-fourth and M streets. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers and the beautiful ring ceremony was read by Rev. J. R. Landsborough. The bride is a graduate of the Anacortes high school and of St. Luke's hospital nurses' training school.

The bride wore a dark green traveling suit and carried a shower bouquet of Cecil Bruner roses and fern, and her matron of honor was her sister, Mrs. Dr. St. Pierre. The groom was supported by his cousin, Harold Crane, of Bellingham, who sang two songs, "O Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly." Only near relatives of the bride and groom were present, excepting Mr. and Mrs. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson. The young couple left in the evening for Bellingham, where they will make their home.

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EAGLES WIN FROM WHOLE  
LEFT-HANDED BALL TEAM

## MISS MARTHA AND ERNEST

In the presence of intimate friends of Wednesday afternoon Anstenson became the bride. L. Knapp, of this city, played the organ. Carlyle the bride, down the aisle, the ceremony was read by Rev. J. R. Landsborough. The bride is a graduate of the Anacortes high school and of St. Luke's hospital nurses' training school.

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After the reception was held and the groom received the congratulations of their friends. The bride and groom spent their honeymoon in the mountains, and