

EMPLOYEE INTERRUPTS LAKE WENATCHEE-AREA BURGLARY

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World staff writer

WENATCHEE — An East Wenatchee man and a Cashmere woman were charged Wednesday with burglarizing a Lake Wenatchee-area factory using a stolen truck.

Cameron Michael Darnell, 23, was arrested early Saturday at U.S. Mat Systems, off Highway 2 near Winton. Chelan County sheriff's deputies said Darnell and Heather Marie Smith, 34, entered the plant about 12:30 a.m. in an attempt to steal

tools and metals, but were interrupted by an employee who held Darnell until deputies could arrive.

Smith allegedly fled the plant but was located by a deputy in Peshastin, driving the stolen Toyota truck she and Darnell had used to reach the Winton plant.

Chelan County prosecutors filed charges against her Wednesday identical to Darnell's, plus one count of driving with a suspended license.

Both face arraignment in April.

FUNERAL SERVICE DIRECTORY

Friday

Janet Louise Hill, 90, of

Wenatchee: 1 p.m. commemoration service at Heritage Memorial Chapel in East Wenatchee, with Pastor Dennis Henn officiating. Concluding services and interment will follow at the Wenatchee City Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 2 to 5 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Arrangements by Heritage Memorial Chapel, East Wenatchee.

Jack Edwin Jones, 73, of

Wenatchee: 11 a.m. memorial service at Eastmont Baptist Church, 400 S. Kentucky Ave., East Wenatchee, with a reception to follow at Pybus Public Market, 7 N. Worthen St., Wenatchee. Arrangements by Telford's Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee.

Saturday

John Abraham Figenshow, 96, of
Tonasket: 12 p.m. celebration of life at the Fraternal Order of Eagles, 213 S. Western Ave. in Tonasket, with John Newton officiating. Arrangements by Bergh Funeral Service of Oroville and Tonasket.

Doris Marie (Faudree)

Frederick, 78, of Wenatchee: 2 p.m. memorial service at the Wenatchee Free Methodist Church. Arrangements by Jones & Jones-Betts Funeral Home, Wenatchee.

Gordon Fredrick Miller, 73, of
Leavenworth and formerly of
Wenatchee and Dryden: 11 a.m. memorial service at Dryden Community Church.

Harry Gallup Sanford Jr., 82,

of Omak: 2 p.m. celebration of life at Precht-Harrison-Nearents Funeral Chapel in Okanogan. A reception will follow at The Old Flour Mill, 96 E. Pine St., Okanogan. Arrangements by Precht-Harrison-Nearents Funeral Chapel.

Francis L. "Frank" Smith, 97,

of Wenatchee: 2 p.m. memorial service at Wenatchee First Assembly of God, with Pastor Jerry Beebe officiating. Arrangements by Telford's Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee.

Ann Louise (Sherwood) Moll, 80,
of Wenatchee: 12 p.m. open house at 1323 Love Court in Wenatchee. Arrangements by Telford's Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee.

Lydia Erma Matilda Feddersen

Helm Wallace, 95, of Spokane and formerly of Havillah and Tonasket: 1 p.m. celebration of life at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Havillah, with burial to follow at Havillah Cemetery. A reception will follow at the church. Arrangements by Bergh Funeral Service of Oroville/Tonasket.

Sunday

Tony Ray Lee, 50, of Forks and formerly of Wenatchee: 1 p.m. celebration of life at 1819 Castlerock Ave., Wenatchee.

Monday

June Rosemary Hayes, 91, of
Wenatchee: 2:30 p.m. memorial service at Brethren Baptist Church, 535 Okanogan St., Wenatchee. Arrangements by Telford's Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee.

James O. Howell, 88, of
Wenatchee: 11 a.m. graveside service at Evergreen Memorial Park Cemetery in East Wenatchee. Arrangements by Telford's Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee.



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Cashmere's Spirit of America Committee breaks ground on its 9/11 memorial Wednesday behind the Riverside Center in Cashmere. The project is expected to be completed in time for a Sept. 11, 2015, dedication.

Spirit of America project underway

By **RICK STEIGMEYER**
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CASHMERE — Work is just getting started on the tiered cement landing that will anchor the 9/11 Spirit of America Memorial.

But Cashmere has already shown it to be the right home for what is hoped to become an important tribute and draw for those wanting to acknowledge their patriotism.

Were it not for the donations of many volunteers, there would be little chance that a town the size of Cashmere could accomplish such a project, said Tom Green, the project's chairman, at a brief groundbreaking ceremony at the site behind Cashmere's Riverside Center Wednesday.

"People are stepping up to volunteer like you wouldn't believe. It took all of it to happen for us to be here today," said Green, a former Chelan County commissioner. The memorial, he



Tom Green, left, and Dan Dean show designs for the memorial.

said, will be something very special for Cashmere and Chelan County.

The Spirit of America Committee has raised about \$16,500 so far for the anchoring project estimated to cost about \$120,000. Green said most of that expense be absorbed by pledged donations of labor and materials from local contractors, builders, archi-

itects, lumber yards, concrete finishers, metal forgers and welders. Designer Robert Miller drew up the plans for the project, another donation.

"When you see how much help, money and effort has been contributed, you see how civic-minded and patriotic the people of Cashmere are," said Cashmere Mayor Jeff Gomes. "Cashmere is the spirit of

America."

The group lobbied to win the bronze sculpture of clasped hands representing those lost in the 9/11 terrorist attacks. Sculpted by Jim and Christina Demetro and funded by a Lacey non-profit group, the life-size structure had traveled through the state on a flatbed trailer looking for a home. Some western Washington cities didn't want it. Cashmere won out over many that did.

"I never dreamed it would come here," said Jack Purcel, a Navy veteran of the Vietnam War and member of the Cashmere committee. "I thought for sure some bigger city or an airport would get it."

The project is scheduled for completion in time for dedication Sept. 11, 2015. Donations to complete the project and maintain it can be made to the Community Foundation of North Central Washington, 9 S. Wenatchee Ave., Wenatchee, WA 98801.

IN MEMORIAM

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James O. Howell

April 21, 1926 ~ March 21, 2015

James O. Howell, 88, passed away on March 21, 2015, smelling his morning bacon frying in the pan. Dad was born in Waynesburg, KY April 21, 1926, where his parents, Isom Howell and Pearl (Robinson) Howell had a tobacco farm. Jim was the youngest of nine children and the last of his family. When times were hard and they lost the farm, the entire family migrated to Washington State after several of the men had worked the apple harvest. They settled in Oroville, WA and Dad completed his education. He enlisted in the Army March 14, 1946, and served in the Philippines. He married Peggy Pachino in 1947, and they had three children: Brenda Mathews Hand, Debra (Patrick) McHale, and Ron (Renee) Howell. He and Mom owned an apple orchard and a small business, before going to work for the Cascade Market. After their divorce, Dad moved to Wenatchee, WA and went to work for Mid-State Electronics. Here, he met Colleen Myers and they married in 1970. They did apartment management in Bellevue, WA for Pacific Village. They moved back to Wenatchee when Dad retired. Colleen passed on March 22, 1988.



He liked to fish, hunt, dance at the Chieftain and the Mid-Night Raid. He enjoyed building model airplanes and flying them. He did not enjoy repairing the planes after the crash. He had a joke for every occasion.

Dad struggled with his COPD and congestive heart failure. He received care through the Wenatchee VA Clinic, Central Washington Hospital, Hospice and the Caring Cottage.

He leaves behind his children; nine grandchildren, Stacy Mathews, Karie Kelly, Shayla (Parrish) Prolo, Greg Burr, Derrick (Jennifer) Burr, Tara (Chad) Crouch, Kat McHale, Travis Howell, and Amy (Chris) Thompson; 11 great-grandchildren, Jacob Kelly, Chase Moses, Chance Moses, Dagen Mathews, Skyler Mathews, CJ Mathews, Daniel Crouch, Andrew Crouch, Lucy Crouch, Emma Thompson, and Owen Thompson; and one great-great-granddaughter, M'Kaelie Kelly.

A Graveside Service for Jim will be held 11:00 a.m. Monday, March 30, 2015, at Evergreen Memorial Park in East Wenatchee. Arrangements are by Telford's Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee, WA.

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Joseph C. Jurgens

August 20, 1939 ~ March 13, 2015

Joseph C. Jurgens Sr., 75, of Soap Lake, WA, passed away quietly at 8:30 a.m. on March 13, 2015, at his home in Soap Lake. In attendance were his children and grandchildren. Mr. Jurgens was born on August 20, 1939, to George and Edna Jurgens of Cashmere, WA. The family moved to Lakeview Park in 1949, and into the city of Soap Lake in 1950. He married Elizabeth Jeanne George on September 5, 1959, in Soap Lake. They were married for nearly 40 years, until her passing on July 8, 1999. During that time, they lived in various locations in eastern and western Washington state.

Mr. Jurgens was preceded in death by his father; his mother; and his wife, Betty. He is survived by five children, Elizabeth Wilson of Prosser, WA, Edna Boryk of Ephrata, WA, Joseph Jurgens II, Thomas Jurgens, and Eric Jurgens, all of Soap Lake, WA; two brothers, James and Paul Jurgens of Soap Lake; a sister, Georgianna Polaski of South Carolina; and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

A Graveside Service will be held at Valley View Memorial Park on Saturday, April 25, 2015, at 11:00 a.m. He will be greatly missed.

June Rosemary Hayes

June 20, 1923 ~ March 24, 2015

June Rosemary Hayes, 91, a longtime Wenatchee, WA resident, passed away on March 24, 2015. June was born June 20, 1923, in St. Cloud, MN to John and Mary Hopkins, and was one of seven children. June moved to the Wenatchee Valley in 1940, following in the steps of her sister, Beulah. She was the owner and sole proprietor of June Hayes Upholstery from 1952 to 1971. In 1971, June moved to California to be closer to her sister, Joy, and took a job painting and cleaning film cells for Filmation Film Studios. In 1989, June returned to the Wenatchee Valley, where she became an integral member of the local AA community. For many years, she enjoyed Sunday morning meetings and monthly potlucks with her AA family. More than anything, June loved to be surrounded by her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren; you could always count on a bin of homemade cookies waiting for you anytime you stopped by. June was an avid gardener and shared her passion with others through her longtime participation in the Master Gardener program.

June is survived by her son, Allen B. Hayes (Bonnie); her son, Michael J. Hayes (Beth); her granddaughters, Angela Bolton (James), and Myriah Hayden (Terry); grandsons, Nathan Hayes and Mike McCoy; and great-grandchildren, Stephanie Bolton, Lexi Bolton, Mackenzie Bolton, Isabelle Hayden, Dulin Hayden, Tate Hayden and India McCoy. June was preceded in death by her parents; and beloved brothers and sisters: Marian Heltemis, Beulah (Billie) Braun, George Hopkins, Hugh Hopkins, Joy Aiello, and Allen Hopkins.

A Memorial Service will be held Monday, March 30, 2015, at Brethren Baptist Church, 535 Okanogan Street, Wenatchee at 2:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in June's name to Alcoholics Anonymous, 530 S. Wenatchee Avenue, Wenatchee, WA 98801. Arrangements are by Telford's Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee.

News of record

CHELAN COUNTY

Wenatchee Avenue.

Graffiti

Reported March 22: 400 block Crawford Avenue, 1200 block Cascade Street, 1200 block Okanogan Avenue, 500 block Red Apple Road, 2400 block Entiat Way in Entiat.

Reported March 23: 10 block North Buchanan Avenue, 500 block Highland Drive, 500 block Hainsworth Street.

DOUGLAS COUNTY

Vehicle prowls

Reported March 22: 1300 block Sixth Street Northeast.

Burglaries

Reported March 23: 2800 block Easy Street, shed broken into.

Malicious mischief

Reported March 22: 700 block South Miller Street, de-icer placed in gas tank.

Vehicle prowls

Reported March 22: 10 block North Wenatchee Avenue, 1400 block McKittrick Street, 1300 block North Wenatchee Avenue.

Reported March 23: 1300 block North Wenatchee Avenue, 500 block North Emerson Avenue, 10 block North

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