

## 1903 Heppner Flood victims from a variety of flood victim's lists:

This list was compiled in consideration of many sources. It would be impossible to come up with an accurate listing of those who lost their lives on that fateful day. The journal that was originally kept as victims were brought into the Roberts building was never completed. The lists of victims that appeared in the newspapers, both local and across the country, had many errors. There were only two obituaries posted in the Heppner newspapers. A Memorial Service was held on October 15, 1903, for all the victims, but a listing of victims was not posted in these papers. If you have additions or corrections to this list, please contact Tami Sneddon.

The chart below lists names that have appeared on a variety of lists. The columns represent the different lists.

### Key

**RC:** Resolution of Condolence (news release of clubs and organization's members that have died.)

**SB:** Flood scrapbook located at the Morrow Co. Museum

**HG:** Heppner Gazette (newspaper)

**HT:** Heppner Times (newspaper)

**EO:** East Oregonian (Pendleton newspaper)

**OR:** Portland Oregonian (newspaper)

**SC:** San Francisco Call (newspaper)

**b:** born

**M:** >Missing

**Meth:** Listed on the Methodist Church commemorative calendar 1904.

**Heppner Cemetery headstone location:** The flood victims are all located on the north end of the cemetery, the oldest part of the cemetery. When you drive through the gate the area on the right is section "A"; On the left is "B" (or the middle section) and, as you exit the cemetery the area on the right is section "C". These are my personal designations, not the cemetery's. The cemetery uses lot and plot, but because there are no physical markings at the cemetery itself, I thought this system would be easier for location of headstones for those unfamiliar with the cemetery.

A | BC | DEF | GH | IJK | LMN | OPQR | STUVW |

Name	Flood Journal	Heppner Gazette June 18, 1903	Heppner Times June 18, 1903	Heppner Gazette June 25, 1903	Resolution of Condolence or Other	Located at Heppner Cemetery	M/F	age	family
LEFFLER, Maud (*Liffler)	Page 4	x*	x	x*			F		Meth
LEFFLER, Mrs. Susan	Page 8		M	x	RC Rawlins Relief		F		Meth
LIPSETT, Florinda (child)			M			B	F	2	Florinda b.1901
LIPSETT, Mr. W. Wallace	Page 3	x	x	x		B	M	33	b. 1870
LIPSETT, Florinda Mrs. W.W.	Page 2	x	x	x	Photos in 07/18/1903 S.F. Call newspaper	B	F	28	b. 1875 Meth
LONG, Clara	Page 7	x	x	x	SB1pg18		F		
LONG, Jame's	Page 5	x	x	x			F		
LONG, James H.	Page 7	x	x	x	SB1pg18	A	M	40	40 yrs 3 mos 3 days
LONG, Mina Adell Mrs. James	Page 4	x	x	x	RC Women of Woodcraft	A	F	30	30 yrs 4 mos 17 days

(Mina)									
LONG, Ray				x				M	
LOONEY, Pres	Page 5	x	x	x				M	
MALLERY, . ole	Page 6	x		x				F	
MALLORY, Hazle			x					F	
Man 30-35	Page 2	x		x				M	
Man small	Page 3	x	x	x				M	
<u>MATLOCK</u> , James W.	Page 1	x	x	x	RC Whitmore RC Degree of Honor RC AOOW	B		M	Ex-sheriff b. 06/20/1842
<u>MATLOCK</u> , Mrs. Tom J. (Mary E.)	Page 1	x	x	x	RC Women of Woodcraft	B		F	b. 02/26/1849
MCBRIDE, Alicia	Page 4		M					F	
MCBRIDE, Alma		x	x	x				F	
MCBRIDE, Anna	Page 2	x	x	x				F	
MCBRIDE, family			M						
MCBRIDE, Mr. Sam	Page 2	x	x	x	RC Rebekah			M	
MCBRIDE, Mrs. Samuel (Hannah)	Page 9		M	x	RC Rebekah RC Women of Woodcraft	A		F	48 b. 08/01/1854 Meth
MCBRIDE, Wilford	Page 3	x	x	x				M	
<u>MCDOWELL</u> , Zedda	Page 4	x	x	x		x		F	7 b. 12/4/1895
MCSWORD, Dr. P.B.	Page 2	x	x	x				M	Meth
MESSINGER, Martin					SB1pg25			M	No record in family file
MORGAN, Mrs. (**elderly)			x**					F	
MORGAN, Mrs. Robert	Page 9			x				F	
<u>MORGAN</u> , Sarah E. Mrs. S.N.	Page 6	x	M			C		F	44 b. 07/14/1858
MORGAN, Robt.	Page 7	x	x	x				M	
MORGAN,					OR7/18/03				

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