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Kenneth Van Riper

Funeral services for Kenneth H. "Van" Van Riper, 67, were held Monday, Feb. 15, at the Memorial Gardens Funeral Chapel, Vancouver, Wash. The Rev. LaVern Brassard officiated at the service. Burial was in Evergreen Memorial Gardens Cemetery.

Van Riper died Wednesday, Feb. 10, in Vancouver. He had resided in Vancouver the past 42 years.

He was born July 4, 1914, in Brown County. He was a retired automobile dealer and bartender. Van Riper at one time owned his own car dealership in Portland and also worked for 13 years for a Vancouver dealer.

He is survived by one son, Douglas of Rockville, Md.; one daughter, Sandra Rea, Vancouver, Wash.; four sisters, Marvel Menninga, St. Cloud, Minn.; Jerry McEvoy, Hays, Kan.; June Birrenkott, Lemmon, S.D., and Lorraine Frisbie, Milwaukie, Ore., and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, the former Shirley Healy of Langford; his parents, Frank and Katie Van Riper, his brothers, Elvin C. and Milton W. (Frankie) and his sister, Marcella Ott, Groton.