

MASONIC SERVICES CONDUCTED FOR FRANK SAMUEL WALKER

Friends gathered yesterday at the Masonic temple at 2 p. m., when funeral services for Frank Samuel Walker were conducted by the Masonic lodge. Rev. W. H. Sandy of Central Christian church assisting. A quartet composed of Henry Lokensgard, A. P. Bruce, H. B. Henricksen, and Burt Carr, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Carr, sang "Abide With Me," "The Wayside Cross," and "Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me."

The pallbearers were Robert Pauline, A. W. Merrifield, Nerle M. Reiter, Benjamin McKinley, William Cowgill, and F. C. Ellis.

At the grave in Conrad Memorial cemetery taps were sounded by Howard Hunt and Allan French of the American Legion. The funeral was under the direction of Sherman & Son.

Franklin Samuel Walker was born August 17, 1875, at Santiago, Minnesota, and died at his home at Lakeside July 12, 1927, aged 51 years.

Mr. Walker enlisted in the United States Army at Great Falls in 1917 and served as a sergeant throughout the World War. While in the army he was a victim of poison gas, which resulted in ill health and ultimate death. He had made his home on Flathead lake since 1921.

Mr. Walker is survived by his widow, Mrs. Alice M. Walker; one son, Bruce; two sisters, Mrs. J. L. Frederick of Brainerd, Minnesota, and Mrs. M. B. Pullen of Pasadena, California; and two brothers, Charles A. Walker, of Santa, Idaho, and George M. Walker of Sandpoint, Idaho.

He was a member of the American Legion and the Masonic lodge.

FRIENDS PAY TRIBUTE TO MRS. ANNETTE WESTWANG

Funeral services for Mrs. Annette P. Westwang were held Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the Bethlehem Lutheran church. Rev. J. C. Hjelmerik brought a message of comfort to the family and a church full of friends. He was assisted by Rev. G. Aarstad of Whitefish.

A quartette composed of Mrs. A. A. Koppang, Mrs. C. A. Torgerson, Harry Henricksen, and H. L. Lokensgard, sang three hymns, assisted at the organ by Miss Clara Moe. The pall bearers were all close friends, who are employed at Half Moon with Mr. Westwang.

Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery under the direction of Waggener & Campbell.

Mrs. Annette Pauline Westwang was born February 1, 1889, in Lardal, Norway. She came to America in 1907, with her family, settling first in Iowa. Later she came to Kallispeil and on May 16, 1914, she was united in marriage to Marcus Westwang. She was a devoted Christian and a loving mother and wife.

Mrs. Westwang died August 5 at the local hospital, leaving to mourn her loss her husband and eight children, six girls and two boys. She is also survived by five sisters, one of whom, Mrs. L. Myren, of Sioux City, Iowa, was with her when she passed away.

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**MRS. WHIPPS' FUNERAL
TO BE HELD TOMORROW**

The funeral of Mrs. W. C. Whipps, whose death occurred yesterday, will be held at Christ Episcopal church, of which she was a member, at 2 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, January 26.

Anne Elizabeth Ousterhour Whipps, daughter of Edgar and Melissa Harding Osterhour, was born Dec. 25, 1857 at Tunkhannock, Pa., of Holland Dutch and English parentage. Her ancestors were among the very early settlers of Pennsylvania and several of them in the male line participated in the early Indian wars of the Wyoming valley and in the Revolutionary War. She came to Helena, Montana in 1883 and was married to William C. Whipps in that city on October 20, 1886. She died in Kalispell on January 24, 1927 at 2:35 p. m., leaving to mourn her loss her husband and two children, Major William O. Whipps of Helena, Montana and Mrs. Walter A. Kleist of Seattle, one grand child William Surgely Whipps, one sister, Mrs. Lydia O. Bose, one brother, William B. Osterhour of Brooklyn, N. Y. and many devoted and admiring friends.

Mrs. Whipps was a pioneer of Kalispell, having come here in the spring of 1891, and during her long residence here of 35 years she was one of the leading and prominent women of the city. She was a charter member of and helped organize the Century club; She was a member of the D. A. R. and of the War Mothers. Unselfish, charitable and generous she always took a leading part in everything pertaining to the good of the people of the city and the city itself so long as her health permitted. Adjectives are inadequate to express the virtues of such a woman. She was broad in her views, a noble Christian woman who made no distinction in class, color, or creed, judging men and women only by their real worth and numbering among her warmest friends people of all classes. She was a most devoted wife and mother and the world is better for such a woman having lived in it.

The pallbearers will be: S. W. Swenson, James M. Mettler, Lowell Parker, S. E. Johns, T. C. Hand, George W. Hunt.

The honorary pallbearers: James Conlon, Michael Quilligan, C. R. Griffith, F. W. Merigold, W. J. Brennen, P. N. Bernard, Charles W. Pomeroy, W. B. McDonald, S. M. Logan, H. C. Keith, Henry Good, A. L. Saunder, John R. Listle, L. D. Spafford, Lew Knight, J. H. C. Fitch, George W. Noffsinger, Harry J. Rodolf, George Joyce, James Harbert, John E. Lewis, O. U. Miracle, B. K. Wheeler, Thos. J. Walsh, John E. Erickson, Robert Pauline, Bert Boorman, H. C. Karow, Dr. A. T. Munro, Albert Galen, Charles H. Foot, E. E. Day, W. R. Smith, H. W. Dickey, Archie Patterson, C. W. Short, C. J. McAlister, C. D. Conrad, Harry Keith, Jr., James F. Vogt, C. A. Peplow, Hiram Johnson and F. M. Morgan.

OBITUARY

(Rev. Thomas A. Wickes)

Rev. Thomas A. Wickes was born at Marietta, Ohio, May 13, 1848, and was educated there, graduating from Marietta college in 1869.

For some years he farmed in Missoula and then became a minister of the Congregational church. Also for a while, he taught at Joplin. His health failed and he came to Montana. The family first settled at Wickes, near Helena, where an uncle was in charge of a mine in what has become almost a ghost city. This was in 1879 and Mr. Wickes took charge of the religious work at that place for a time, organizing a community church which was placed under Presbyterian auspices, Mr. Wickes being received into the Presbytery of Montana, then a part of the Synod of Utah. Owing to ill health Mr. Wickes was again compelled to give up active pastoral work. So he took up business life in Boulder, Montana. But in response to need he soon offered to supply the feeble Presbyterian group of that city and gave his entire salary to the building fund. In five years a fine church and manse were theirs, valued at \$8,000.

In 1906 Mr. Wickes retired from business and lived for several years in Missoula, where he filled for five months a vacancy in the Presbyterian church. After he became interested in the Flathead lake district and purchased the place on the west shore which he named Iona Vista and spent much of his time there the last few years. However, always ready to help, he served as "supply" pastor for a longer or shorter time at Whitefish, Hot Springs, Troy, and Libby.

Mr. Wickes served as moderator of Montana Synod in 1922 and has rendered a like service in Kalispell Presbytery. Many committee appointments in both organizations fell to his lot.

Both Mr. Wickes and his wife were ardent out-of-door enthusiasts even after reaching advanced age and were particularly expert skaters. They kept up their favorite sport to the very last opportunity, often appearing on Flathead lake. Mr. Wickes, although never a strong man, had an amazing vitality and recovered from more than one severe illness after he was in his seventies.

He is survived by his widow and three children, Mrs. Bessie Hope of Kalispell, Mrs. W. W. Taylor of Whitefish and W. W. Wickes of Missoula. There are also 12 grandchildren and one great-grand child.

**MRS. DAISY WRIGHT BURIED
AT THE DALLES, OREGON**

Funeral services for Mrs. Daisy Wright, formerly of Kalispell, were held at The Dalles, Oregon, Tuesday, June 14. The services were conducted by Rev. C. A. Edwards, and interment was made in the Odd Fellows cemetery. The Dalles Daily Chronicle contains the following:

"Mrs. Wright was born in Deer Lodge, Montana, in 1882, and lived there until a young woman, attending public and high schools in that city. She taught school for five years, and in 1905 married J. D. Wright of Butte, living in that city for several years and moving later to Kalispell.

They later moved to California and then to Portland. Mrs. Wright leaves an aged invalid mother, Mrs. A. Wilson, who makes her home here; two sisters, Mrs. Frank Simmons of The Dalles and Mrs. Margaret Cague of Kalispell, and two brothers, Frank and William Wilson, both of Butte, Montana.

During her residence here she was telephone publicity manager for the Pacific coast states for the McCall Publishing company.