

## LAST RITES HELD FOR PAUL JENSEN

The funeral of Paul S. Jensen was held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Fairview chapel. Rev. George McVey Fisher officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Fuller sang three hymns, accompanied by Mrs. L. P. Blackmer.

The chapel was filled to overflowing by the many friends, and a profusion of flowers testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held. Those acting as bearers were: Art Hansen, H. C. Wagner, Lou Hansen, Adolph Lauman, L. Blackmer and William Reimer. Interment was made in Fairview cemetery under the direction of Waggoner and Campbell.

### Obituary

Paul Jensen was born August 29, 1862, and passed away at the age of 68 at his home at Creston. He came to this country when he was 24 years of age, and was married to Dentia M. Madsen November 5, 1887 at Chicago, Illinois. Mr. Jensen is survived by five children all of whom live in this county. They are: Martin and John Jensen, Mrs. Henry Isch, Mrs. Ellen Weaver, and Mrs. Carrie Barrows. He was a kind man and a loving father, and will be greatly missed by his family and the host of friends he has made during his long residence here.

## LAST RITES HELD FOR J. W. JOHNSON TUES. AFTERNOON

Funeral services for John W. Johnson were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Sherman and Son chapel. S. I. Rapson, pastor of the Christian Science church conducted the services. The Knights of Pythias Lodge ritual service was also used at the chapel. Mrs. J. A. Gudgel sang, "O'er Waiting Harp Strings" and "Rock Of Ages Truth Divine." Mrs. S. I. Rapson was the accompanist. Members of the G. A. R., Womens Relief Corps, Elks, and Odd Fellows of which Mr. Johnson was a member, attended the services in a body and the American Legion were present to pay military respects. The pall bearers were: Sidney M. Logan, John Foy, E. C. O'Neill, Lee Kerr, John Kennedy, and John Uehlinger. Services were concluded at the Conrad Memorial cemetery where interment was made with the Odd Fellows ritualistic ceremony. The American Legion fired a salute over the grave. Taps were sounded by Harold Brewer and Allen French, buglers for the Legion.

### Obituary

John W. Johnson was born at Beaver, Lawrence County, Pa., February 23, 1847. He enlisted in B Co., 45th Regiment Iowa Infantry, May 20th, 1864, at Washington, Iowa, and was honorably discharged from the service as a private, September 16, 1864, at Keokuk, Iowa.

After the Civil War he came west to Montana territory, and saw special service as a civilian scout under Gen. Nelson A. Miles in the Sioux-Cheyenne Campaign from August 1876 to December 1877.

On July 9th, 1884 he was married to Miss Lizzie Drannan at Miles City. Later, Mr. Johnson and his family came to Kalispell when the town was established in 1891. Here he held the position of town marshal and chief of police for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson went to the Montana Soldiers' Home April 10, 1915. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Zora Butler of Stockton, California.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends for their many acts of kindness and sympathy in our recent bereavement, as well as for the many beautiful flowers. The services of the members of the Christian Science church, the Grand Army of the Republic, the American Legion, the Odd Fellows, and the Knights of Pythias were also especially appreciated.

Mrs. Zora Johnson Butler.

### JACK JOHNSON HAD REMARKABLE RECORD FOR PUBLIC SERVICE

An examination of the records in the city hall shows that the late J. W. Johnson, whose death occurred January 8, has served longer in the police department of Kalispell than any other man.

He was first appointed chief of police by the late W. H. Griffin in 1896, and served until 1897. In 1897 he was named as City Marshal and Street Commissioner by Mr. Griffin, and served until 1900, when he was again appointed chief of police and served until 1902.

In that year there was a change of administration. Sidney M. Logan was elected mayor, and again Mr. Johnson was named chief of police, and served till 1904.

In 1906 Mr. Griffin again became Mayor, and appointed Jack Johnson as chief of police, for his term which ended in 1908.

James Harbert was the next Mayor, and he also chose Jack Johnson for chief for his term from 1908 to 1910.

He next appeared on the scene as chief under Robert Pauline in 1914, and served till the summer of 1916, when he resigned on account of his infirmities and entered the Soldiers' Home.

During all this time he was very lame and walked with a cane, but he was as active as a man of half his years, and it was said of him that he was absolutely fearless.

There is some question as to how he received his injury. Some say that he was injured while a scout under General Miles, and others that he was shot in the leg while a deputy sheriff in Custer county in the early days. In any event he had an injury which would have completely disabled the average man, but he never mentioned it, was always ready to respond to the call of duty and was active up to the hour of his death.

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We wish to thank our friends for their sympathy and kindness, and everyone who gave assistance in any way during the long illness and death of our brother and uncle. Signed: Euphemia Johnson, James C. Johnson, J. Albert Johnson and Clyde Summers.