

ERICK L. FEHLBERG

Funeral services for Erick L. Fehlberg were held Tuesday afternoon at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. A. Jordan of the Trinity Lutheran church. The chapel and adjoining rooms were filled with many friends, and beautiful flowers were banked in abundance about the casket.

Members of the American Legion and Auxillary, Veterans of Foreign Wars and Disabled War Veterans attended in a body. The color guard stood by the casket during the service and all organizations marched in procession part way to the cemetery. Music for the service was furnished by the Auxillary quartette, with one number, Clyde Carr, with a solo and the Carr-Hanger quartette with a hymn. Mrs. W. E. Beaman and Mrs. Burt Carr accompanied at the piano.

Pallbearers were Roy Waller, Lowell Parker, J. P. Hansen, Ben Lee, Harry Koch and Levi Gaustad of the American Legion, and honorary bearers were Hale C. Wolf, Harry Todd, Robert Hunter, William Hossack, Joe Reagen and Elling Lee of the Disabled War Veterans. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery, where Ora Armstrong presided over the American Legion services at the graveside.

Obituary

Erick Louis Fehlberg was born in Kalispell, Montana, September 26, 1894, and passed away at his home at 838 Second avenue east on October 5, 1934.

He was born on a farm four miles east of Kalispell and spent his boyhood there. He attended rural schools and later the Kalispell Business college in Kalispell.

He held several positions as an accountant before he enlisted in the United States Army, June 24, 1918. He was honorably discharged from the army at Camp Lewis, November 4, 1918, because of ill health.

He was married to Opal Lachor, February 14, 1920, and lived east of Kalispell, where he was owner and manager of the Flathead Hog Farms.

Four years ago he and his family moved to Kalispell because of his failing health, where he had lived until his death. Despite his physical suffering he was at all times most devoted and considerate of his family. His companionship with his young son is an especially beautiful picture that will live long in the memories of those who know him.

He was a member of the American Legion, post commander of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War and second vice commander of the Department of Montana of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

Besides his wife and small son, Erick, Jr., he is survived by his father, August Fehlberg of Kalispell; five brothers, Ernest, of Walla Walla, Washington; Bruno, of Kalispell; Otto of Coram; Walter of Belton, and Arthur Fehlberg, who still resides in Germany; and by five sisters, Mrs. Helen Miller, Mrs. Erna Perry, and Miss Freda Fehlberg, all of Kalispell; Mrs. Agnes Packer of Lewiston, Idaho, and Mrs. Wanda Milne of Somers.

MRS. WILLIAM FERGUSON

Funeral services for Mrs. William Ferguson were held yesterday morning at 10 o'clock in St. Charles' church at Whitefish. Rev. Father O'Shea officiating. The pallbearers were Henry Markus, John Hennings, Lloyd Sissel, Charles Yonig, Carl Walker, and John Kvainor. Interment was in the Whitefish cemetery, under the direction of Sherman & Son.

Obituary

Mary Ellen McGraw-Ferguson was born at LaSalle, Illinois, January 2, 1872. She was married to William Ferguson at Merrillville, Indiana, June 24, 1896. Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson came to Whitefish October 17, 1904, and resided there for the past 20 years. She is survived by her husband; a daughter, Mrs. Dorcas Ferguson Scrivener; two grandchildren, June and Lois, children of Mr. and Mrs. A. Scrivener; and five brothers, Phillip McGraw of Whitefish and Aitrick, Thomas, William and George McGraw of Chicago, Illinois, and a large number of nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Ferguson was a member of St. Charles' Altar Society, having served as an officer and taking an active part in the society since its organization. She was also a member of Friendship camp, Royal Neighbors of America. Mrs. Ferguson passed away at the home of her daughter in Everett, Washington, Sept. 16, 1934 at the age of 62 years.

SYVER N. FLADMARK

Funeral services for Syver N. Fladmark were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggoner & Campbell chapel by Rev. D. Hanson. Don Shepard sang two solo selections during the services, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. There were many beautiful flowers banked about the casket and a large number of friends were in attendance. Those acting as pallbearers were Alfred Koford, Joe Erickson, Thor Thorvalson, Peter Grove, F. M. Stevenson and Ole Hove. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Syver Nelson Fladmark was born November 25, 1884, in Norway. He came to the United States in 1900 and was married in Portland, North Dakota, in 1906, to Miss Bertha Steen. They homesteaded near Joplin, Montana, in 1910. In 1922 Mr. Fladmark entered the employ of the National Park service at Belton and two years later moved his family to Kalispell and they have since lived north of the Fair Grounds. Mr. Fladmark was taken sick late in December and later developed pneumonia and passed away March 1, 1934. He is survived by his widow, Bertha Fladmark of Kalispell, two sons, Elmer Fladmark of Belton, and Christian at home, also two daughters, Borghild and Freda, both at home.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends who were so thoughtful during our bereavement. We deeply appreciate the many acts of kindness, the cars donated, the flowers sent and the sympathy expressed in many ways.

Signed: Mrs. Bertha Fladmark, Elmer Fladmark, Christian Fladmark, Borghild Fladmark, and Freda Fladmark.

FUNERALS

CHARLES FLINT, JR.

Funeral services for Charles Flint, Jr., who was drowned near Browning Sunday, were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Presbyterian church in Whitefish by the Rev. C. P. Duane. The church was filled with many sympathizing friends and an abundance of beautiful flowers filled the front of the church about the casket. A choir of young ladies sang three lovely hymn selections. Members of the Boy Scouts attended in a body, and six of them, Ray Lyons, Duane Snyder, William Kaeding, John Baker, LaVerne Torgelson and Thomas Hopkins, acted as pall bearers. Interment was made in the Whitefish cemetery under the direction of Waggener & Campbell.

Obituary

Charles Flint, Jr., was born September 15, 1921, in Whitefish, and during his school life, had made his home there with his uncle, Harry Flint, spending his summers with his father in Browning. Charles, who was 12 years old, had completed his sixth year in the Whitefish school last spring. He passed away July 15, 1934. He is survived by his father and step-mother at Browning, his uncle, Harry Flint, and grandmother, Mrs. Belle Flint, of Whitefish, and other relatives and a host of young friends.

CHARLES E. FOOT

A very large number of friends whom he knew in Kallispell and surrounding vicinity attended the Masonic services held for Charles E. Foot yesterday morning at 10 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel. The Rev. Charles A. Wilson was the chaplain and H. I. Moore, acted as worshipful master. The Masonic order attended in a body and conducted the ritual at the graveside in Conrad Memorial cemetery. Two vocal solos were sung by Andrew Dunshire, accompanied by Mrs. W. E. Benman. Pallbearers were H. C. Keith, Hans Walchli, Donald Buckingham, Donald Pauline, Leon B. Allen, and L. R. McKenzie of Missoula.

Obituary

Charles E. Foot was born at St. Cloud, Minnesota, on November 26, 1883, the son of Eugene S. and Laura H. Foot. He received his primary education in the public schools at Royalton, Minnesota, and took a course in the business college at Kallispell after his arrival here in 1910.

After coming to Montana he devoted a portion of his time to farm work for his uncle, C. H. Foot, and

the latter's law office. Early he went into the automobile business which he continued actively here for a few years. Eight years ago he entered the employe of McKenzie-Wallace and took charge of their service stations at Great Falls, and continued in their employ up to the time of his death, which occurred January 15, 1934.

He was married at Great Falls on October 16, 1928, to Lillian M. Hodal who survives him. His father and mother passed away in the winter of 1928-29. He left surviving him four brothers, Guy K., of Kallispell; Paul, Harold S., and Walter L. Foot, of Elroy, Montana, and his uncle, C. H. Foot of Kallispell, and two aunts, sisters of his deceased father, living in Minnesota.

JAMES A. FORD

Many friends filled the Waggener and Campbell chapel to capacity when services were held Monday afternoon for the late James A. Ford by Rev. Walter H. Sandy and Rev. William F. Koehler.

The front of the chapel was banked high with beautiful flowers in tribute from Mr. Ford's many friends. During the services, the Carr-Hanger quartet sang three hymn selections, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Hurl Carr. Pall bearers were Leland Tansel, George Grubb, T. H. Bogart, C. F. Lighthall, Lew Switzer and Roy Rollins. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

James A. Ford, a typical western pioneer, unassuming, industrious, successful and generous, was for many years engaged in freighting through Idaho, Utah, Montana, Wyoming and the Canadian Northwest territory, in the early history of the country, and had many thrilling experiences and adventures. He was born in Muskingum county, O., November 17, 1844. His parents, Charles and Elizabeth (Kroff) Ford, were natives of Maryland, who removed to Ohio when they were young and spent the rest of their lives farming in Muskingum and Perry counties. During his residence of over 40 years in the state, the elder Ford was never on a railroad train, having an unconquerable repugnance to that method of traveling. He died at his Muskingum county home in November, 1909, at the age of 102 years, his wife following him in September 1901.

James Ford was educated at the district schools of his native county. In March, 1862, at the age of 18, he enlisted in the 32nd Ohio Volunteer Infantry and served to the end of the Civil war. He was first in West Virginia under Gen. Thomas, then with Grant at Vicksburg, and finally with Sherman in his famous march to the sea. On this march he was in Gen. Frank P. Blair's division and was forager for the general's mess.

On leaving the army, he went to Leavenworth, Kan., and drove a mule team from there to Salt Lake, Utah, and Virginia City, Mont., reaching the latter place in September, 1865. In the following spring he moved to Eagle Rock, and for two years drove a stage from there to Sand Hole, first for the celebrated Ben Holliday, and later for the Wells-Fargo company. In 1868 he removed to Palsada, Nev., and for 22 months was employed by W. H. Fritchard to drive a nine-span mule team in freighting between Eureka

Utah, where he drove a freighting team for Andrew Clark until 1872. He then began operations in the freighting business for himself, starting with a six-mule team and steadily increasing his outfit. When he sold out in the spring of 1888 to the Northwestern Transportation company of the Black Hills, he turned over five 14-mule teams, constituting one of the finest freighting outfits in the country at that time. In the meantime he had bought cattle in the Judith basin and in 1884 purchased the Edgar ranch, consisting of 320 acres, located about a half mile from the town of Ulican. He was engaged in ranching and the stock business until the spring of 1891, when he sold out to Beldon Peters and removed to Flathead valley, taking up his residence at Kallispell. Since then he has been largely engaged in buying and selling stock.

In 1898 he built the Ford business block in Kallispell. It is a two-story building, 50x140 feet in size, the second floor housing the Ford hotel. In 1901 three sisters and a brother moved to Kallispell, the sisters living with him and operating the hotel. From 1901 to 1921 he was engaged in various business enterprises as well as in the hotel business.

For many years he was a director in the Conrad National bank. He was largely interested in mines in Flathead county, and in the Kintha Lake oil fields. In 1921 he disposed of the hotel business and in 1923 built a home on First avenue east, where he lived a retired life until his death.

In politics, Mr. Ford was an ardent democrat and has given his party good service from time to time, both in official positions and as a diligent worker in the rank and file. He was a member of the first city council of Kallispell. He was 88 years of age when he died.

He is survived by two sisters and one brother, all of them living in the home on First avenue east, and by one brother living in Zanesville, Ohio, and other relatives and many friends. Mrs. Mary E. Weaver, Miss Lida H. Ford, R. Nelson Ford, Dave E. Ford of Zanesville, Ohio.

**MRS. GLADYS FORTIN DIES
IN SEATTLE JANUARY 23**

Mrs. Gladys Riddel Fortin, wife of Lieut. Henry O. Fortin, of Trego, Montana, and an officer in the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, passed away at the Seattle General hospital at 11 o'clock Tuesday night, January 23, 1934. Mrs. Fortin is survived by her husband, stationed in Seattle, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Riddel, four brothers, Austin, Chester, Elman and Donsoth, and one sister, Loretta, all of Morehead, Kentucky.

Mrs. Fortin was born in Morehead, Kentucky, March 6, 1910, and was educated in the schools of Morehead, and attended the Morehead Teachers' college.

She was married to Lieut. H. O. Fortin on August 30, 1929, in Seattle.

Her charm, loveliness and sweet character were constantly felt and enjoyed by her relatives and a host of friends in both the east and west and in Alaska.

The funeral was held at Bonney-Watson Funeral Home at 3 p. m., January 25, and interment took place at Acaela Memorial cemetery.

OLIVER FREDERICK

Funeral services for Oliver Frederick were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. L. N. Field of the Bethlehem Lutheran church. During the services Mrs. H. Hanson and Rev. L. N. Field sang two duets, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Those acting as pallbearers were Pete Christenson, Iver Isaacson, Nels Knutson, H. B. Henriksen, Julius Bergren and W. B. Jordan. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Oliver Frederick was born January 5, 1868 in Norway and came to the United States on a sail boat with his parents when two years of age. The family moved to Wisconsin where Mr. Frederick grew to manhood. When he became of age, he moved to Helena, Montana, where he remained about 15 years and then moved to Kalispell 30 years ago. Here he was married to Miss Mary Johnson. She passed away in 1907. He engaged in ranching in the Swan lake district for many years and also was in the hotel business in Kalispell until a few years ago. In 1920 he was married to Gertie Ecklie, who now survives him with their 5-year-old daughter, Olive. He is also survived by one brother, Fred, in Wisconsin, and two sisters, Mrs. Tina Stendle of Cedar Valley, Washington, and Mrs. Mary Stendle of Vancouver, Washington.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express our appreciation to all those who were so kind and assisted us in so many ways at the time of the illness and death of our beloved husband and father. We especially wish to thank Rev. Field for his comforting words, those who sang, all those who sent the beautiful flowers, and also those who furnished care.

Signed: Mrs. Gertie Frederick and Olive.