

P. J. WAGNER

Funeral services for P. J. Wagner were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. L. M. Darnell of the Baptist church. During the service Keith Shew sang a solo accompanied by Mrs. Jessie Lawrence and a mixed quartette composed of Mrs. Ruth Darnell, Jackie Sink, Jack Passey and Donald Darnell sang a hymn selection accompanied by Mrs. Homer Bowman. There were many beautiful flowers banked about the casket and friends filled the chapel and adjoining rooms to attend the service. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Pearl Jacob Wagner was born in Boone County, Iowa, Feb. 13, 1879. He attended the public schools there and grew to manhood. He then moved to Dallas county and engaged in farming and in 1902 he moved to the Flathead and engaged in farming in the Lower Valley. He continued his farming activities until his sudden passing Oct. 13, 1941.

Mr. Wagner is survived by his aged mother, Mrs. Abbie Wagner, of Kalispell and two sisters, Mrs. Dollie Williams and Mrs. Ada Ferguson of Whittier, California, and other relatives.

MRS. CATHERINE WALSH

Requiem high mass for Mrs. Catherine Walsh was celebrated Wednesday morning by Rev. H. A. Paley at St. Richard's church in Columbia Falls. Friends serving as casket-bearers were Frank Motichka, Luke Dillon, Robert Saurey, Mike Bern, Will Sheriffs and Ed Farrington. Committal services were held in the Owen-Elliot cemetery chapel in Contad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Mrs. Walsh was born August 21, 1868, at Hoganburg, N. Y., where she was educated in a convent. Her family moved to Denver in 1882 and the following year she was married at Grand Junction, Colo., to Patrick J. Walsh, who was contracting on the Grand River ditch and had a homestead where the town of Fruit, Colo., now stands.

The Walshes moved to Butte in 1885 where Mr. Walsh worked in the mines and also was associated in the assay office of John R. Toole in Anaconda. In April of 1887 Mr. Walsh and several other men were sent to the Flathead by Marcus Daly and located the coal regions of the North Fork. Mr. Walsh remained in the Flathead to homestead the present family home, where the first out-door mass in this section was held, and this service was continued as long as Mrs. Walsh remained on the ranch.

Mrs. Walsh was a vice president of the Montana Society of Pioneers and was active in civic affairs. The past few winters she had resided in California. She was hospitalized September 23 following an automobile accident.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Maude McCrea of Missoula, and three sons: John of Belton, Oliver, who lives at the family home, and Richard of Fort Lewis.

MRS. NANCY E. WATTERS

Funeral services for Mrs. Nancy E. Watters were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by the Rev. Mrs. R. C. Treloar. During the service Don Shepard sang two solo selections, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Those acting as pall bearers were E. B. Holmquist of St. Ignatius, Ronald A. Watters of Lincoln, Mont., Paul Russell, William Watters and Jerome Watters of Missoula and John Watters of Somers. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Nancy E. Stuteville was born May 12, 1845, at Evansville, Indiana. She moved with her parents as a child to Missouri where she received her education. She taught school for a time at Kirksville, Missouri. On January 8, 1865, she was married to Francis M. Watters and nine children were born to them. Mr. Watters passed away in 1900 and five of the children have preceded Mrs. Watters in death. Mrs. Watters homesteaded near Denton, Montana, and made her home there for about 18 years. She came to the Flathead seven years ago and made her home on a farm between Kalispell and Somers. She passed away March 23, 1941, at the age of 95 years.

She is survived by her four children, Miss Flora Watters and Mrs. Eva Clark of Route 2, Kalispell, Monroe Watters of Missoula and Fred Watters of Somers; also 12 grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

MRS. C. A. WEAVER

Funeral services for Mrs. Marguerite Weaver were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. Bert Powell of the Methodist church, and Floyd Johnson and Mrs. Earl Hollister of Pomona Grange. Every available space in the chapel and adjoining rooms was filled by the several hundred friends who attended the service. Beautiful flowers were banked high across the entire front of the chapel. During the service Clide Carr sang two solo selections, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Carr. Friends acting as pall bearers were Dr. F. B. Ross, Harry Keith, J. O. Blasdel, Dewey Damon, George Hartman and Clayton Light-hall and honorary bearers were Henry Ballonger, Harold Christensen, Milford Nowman, Mike Emmert, Francis O'Connell and P. F. McClarty. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Marguerite Burch was born September 17, 1894, at Columbia Falls, to Dr. Arthur H. and Augusta Burch. They moved to Kalispell where Mrs. Weaver attended grade and high school, graduating from Flathead high school. She then attended college at Doxonian and Normal college at Detroit, Michigan.

In 1914 she was married to Charles A. Weaver and they made their home in Kalispell until 1925 when they moved to their farm in the Lower Valley.

Mrs. Weaver took a very active interest in all community affairs. She had served as commander of the Macabees, as president of the Lady Owls and was master of the Lower Valley Grange. Several years ago she, with several other ladies, instituted the Farm Women's Market in Kalispell.

Mrs. Weaver passed away Saturday, January 11, 1941, following in-

juries received the previous evening when she was caught between two cars in an automobile accident.

She is survived by her husband, Charles A. Weaver, her son, James Weaver and granddaughter DeJores, all of the Lower Valley; her father, Dr. A. H. Burch, and her brother, Arthur J. Burch of Kalispell.

MRS. CYNTHIA WEST

Funeral services for Mrs. Cynthia West were held Tuesday afternoon at the Owen-Elliott chapel with Rev. L. M. Darnell of the Baptist church officiating. During the services two requested songs were sung by Burnett Elliot with Mrs. D. W. Nelfert accompanying. Friends serving as casket bearers were James Hill, Russell Hill, Edward Moon, Earl Dye, Marshall Kimes and Myrtle Richmond. Interment was in the Lone Pine cemetery, under the direction of the Owen-Elliott mortuary.

Obituary

Mrs. Cynthia Dye West was born September 8, 1852, in Missouri and on February 6, 1879, was married to James I. Dye. To this marriage 10 children were born of whom two survive, Mrs. D. C. Hill of Kalispell and Mrs. Jerry Baird of San Francisco. Mr. Dye passed away February 12, 1929. Mrs. West was later united in marriage to Charles M. West who preceded her in death.

Mrs. West joined the Baptist church when she was 16 years of age.

Besides her two daughters, she is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Rena Roberts and Mrs. Nettie Wilson, 10 grandchildren and 32 great grandchildren and many friends.

J. R. WHITE

Funeral services were held for J. R. White Tuesday morning at St. Matthew's church. Requiem mass was celebrated by the Rev. Dr. J. J. O'Connor of Carroll College, Helena. He was attended by Rev. F. J. Whalen of Kalispell, Rev. Father F.

X. O'Farrell delivered the funeral sermon.

Friends serving as casket bearers were John E. Uehlinger, Dr. Ernest Beaudin, D. Gordon Rogation, Dr. Edson M. Curry, Herbert A. Kendall and Frank Pufahl. Committal services were held in the Owen-Elliott cemetery chapel in Conrad Memorial cemetery. Father O'Farrell and the Elks Lodge officiated. Services were under the direction of the Owen-Elliott Mortuary.

Obituary

James R. White was born April 16, 1879, in Boulder, Colorado, and was the only child of Fiddillar and Mary (Flood) White. After spending his early youth in South Dakota, he moved to Kalispell in 1897. On leaving school he took up clerical work and was associated with his parents in the restaurant business which they conducted for a time in Kalispell. In 1900 Mr. White was appointed assistant postmaster, in which capacity he served for a year and a half, and in 1902 was appointed to the office of postmaster by Theodore Roosevelt. He was reappointed in Roosevelt's second administration and was appointed a third time when Mr. Taft came to office.

He conducted the White Studio in Kalispell for a number of years, and was a member of the Elks Lodge, for which he served as secretary for the past ten years.

Mr. White was married to Miss Nellie Ahern in St. Paul, Minn., in 1909. To this union were born six sons, three of whom preceded their father in death. He is survived by his widow and three sons, Charles who is home, James a student of Catholic University, Washington, D. C., and Maurice, who is attending Carroll College in Helena. Out-of-town friends who attended the services were F. F. Ahern of St. Paul, Minn., brother of Mrs. White, and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Haggerty of Miles City.

Mr. White passed away on March 22, 1941, at his home, following an illness of several months.

MRS. ROSETTA WHITEHEAD

Funeral services for Mrs. Rosetta Whitehead were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. L. M. Darnell of the Baptist church. During the service Ruth Sparling, Aro-dyne Day and B. F. Day sang two hymn selections, accompanied by Mrs. Homer Bowman. Friends acting as pall bearers were Robert Croskrey, John E. Grubb, Homer Bowman, Oscar Proud, A. J. Rueshell and LeRoy Grey. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Rosetta Henry was born in Malden, Missouri, Oct. 17, 1873. She was married to Finis Whitehead on September 15, 1890. They moved to Kalispell in 1911, where she had made her home since.

She was the mother of five children, two of whom preceded her in death, a son, Elmer, and a daughter, Geneva. She leaves her husband, Finis Whitehead and three daughters: Pearl Busler of Cody, Wyoming; Helen Parker of Kalispell, and Effie Ballenger of Whitefish; a sister, Leona Kneckman of Columbia Falls; five grandchildren, a number of relatives in California and a great many friends.

Mrs. Whitehead had been a member of the Baptist church for many years.

JOHN WHITMARSH

Funeral services for John Whitmarsh of Rexford were conducted April 3 by the Masonic lodge in Eureka. Burial followed in Conrad Memorial cemetery in Kalispell with the Kalispell and Eureka Masonic lodges conducting graveyard services.

Obituary

John Whitmarsh was born July 26, 1861, at Pepin, Wisconsin, and died March 26, 1941. He spent his early life at Pepin where he married and reared three sons, Albert, Merle, and Arthur Whitmarsh. In 1910 he came with his family to Gateway, Montana, where he farmed for several years, moving to Rexford in 1915 where he had since resided. His second wife, Mrs. Belinda Smith Whitmarsh, died in June, 1926. Two sons were born to this union, Vern and Charles of Seward, Alaska.

He was a kind and devoted father and besides his family, left many friends to mourn his loss.

MRS. EMILY WILKE

Funeral services for Mrs. Emily Wilke were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. Bert Powell of the Methodist church and officers of the Lower Valley Grange. The chapel and adjoining rooms were filled by the many friends, and beautiful floral tributes were banked high across the front of the chapel. Clide Carr sang two solos during the service, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pall bearers were R. A. Roussele, P. F. McClarty, Hermie McLouth, Vernon McLouth, Roman Zeller, and Dewey Damon. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Emily Newman was born in Butte January 31, 1886, and passed away in Kalispell Jan. 23, 1941.

She moved to the Holt commun-

ity with her parents in 1888 at the age of three.

In 1906 she was married to Ambrose Dereche and two children were born to them, Marjorie and Robert. Mr. Dereche was injured in a log jam and died, leaving her with the two small children. She was married in 1913 to Joe Grammar who was killed in the World War in 1917. She was married on April 29, 1920, to Ed Wilke and they moved to the Lower Valley where they have lived since that time.

She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, Edward Wilke, her son, Robert Dereche of Somers, four grandchildren, Marjorie and Gary Dereche, and Norma and Geraldine Damon, two sisters, Mrs. Emil Bjork and Mrs. Charles Morton, both of Holt, and many other relatives and friends.

ANTON E. WILSON

Funeral services for Anton E. Wilson were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. C. S. Kleckner of Central Christian church. During the service Don Shepard sang two solo selections accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pall bearers were George Anderson, Joe Darrow, John Sunde, John McNully, Cecil Ripke and C. E. Ordish. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Anton E. Wilson was born August 22, 1893, at Minneapolis, Minn. At the age of 12 years he moved with his parents to Montana and lived for several years at Outlook and Whitehall. About 13 years ago he came to the Flathead and lived in Kalispell and Whitefish. He moved to Cut Bank last July and passed away there December 12, 1941, at the age of 48 years.

Mr. Wilson is survived by his brother, Leo Wilson, of Kalispell and three sisters: Mrs. Grace Christensen of Cut Bank, Mrs. Trossa Gaudy of Flaxville, Montana, and Mrs. Anna Marriatt of Royalston, B. C. Canada.

WILBUR L. WINEBRENNER

Funeral services for Wilbur L. Winebrenner were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. L. M. Darnell of the Baptist church. During the services Clide Carr sang two solo selections, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. The front of the chapel was banked high with beautiful flowers and friends filled the chapel and adjoining rooms to attend the service. Friends acting as pall bearers were C. Gean Keefe, Manuel Bauska, Harry Krause, Alfred Krause, Bruno Krause and O. S. Anderson. Interment was

made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Wilbur Lyle Winebrenner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Winebrenner, was born in Cartersville, Missouri, Sept. 9, 1912.

The family moved to Great Falls, Montana, in 1916 where Wilbur began his grade school education. In 1924 the family moved to the Flathead where he graduated from the rural schools and attended high school. Recently he had engaged in farming and trucking.

He was married to Miss Gladys Ada Hawthorne August 8, 1941 and they made their home in Kalispell.

He passed away September 10, 1941, in Kalispell at the age of 29 years.

Mr. Winebrenner is survived by his wife at home, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Winebrenner of Kalispell, five sisters, Mrs. Hah Sand of Niarada, Mrs. Irene Goss of Augusta, Mont., Mary, Leona and Betty Lou of Kalispell, and four brothers Ralph of Spokane, Ivan of Augusta, Roy with the U. S. Navy stationed on the U. S. Lambertson, at Mare Island and Kenneth, Jr., at home, also other relatives and many friends.

MRS. ELVIRA WRIGHT

Graveside funeral services for Mrs. Elvira Wright were held Tuesday morning at 11:30 by G. E. Thomas with interment in the Demersville cemetery, under the direction of the Waggener and Campbell Funeral Home. Those acting as pall bearers were Omar Lininger, Wilton Lininger, Everett Lininger, Warren Williams, Marlon Reason and Murel

Obituary

Elvira Courson was born April 22, 1847, in Indiana and passed away at Proctor, Montana, September 21, 1941, at the age of 94 years. She was married at the age of 19 to James Wright and four children were born to them, all of whom survive. They are Mrs. Van B. Williams of Proctor, Mrs. May Klingingsmith of Unionville, Mo., and David Wright and Wylie Wright both of Des Moines, Iowa. There are also 23 grandchildren, 42 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

FRED M. WYMAN

Funeral services for Fred K. Wyman were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. T. B. Allen of the Presbyterian church. During the service Elsie Carr sang two solo selections, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pall bearers were Albert Lawlor, James Doekstader, Hans Larson, A. E. Hoodman, M. R. Marth and Ed Lee. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Fred K. Wyman was born May 2, 1870, in Augusta, Wisconsin. At the

age of 18 years he came to the Flathead by team over Marias Pass and Bad Rock Canyon. He returned to Minneapolis for two years, returning to the Flathead in 1890. He made his home, in the early days, near Bigfork and later worked for the O'Brien Lumber company, predecessor of the Somers Lumber company. He also did surveying and covered most of Northwest Montana. He was assistant state forest ranger from 1912 to 1914 and since that time had devoted his time to timber sealing for the Somers Lumber company.

Mr. Wyman passed away on Feb. 11, 1941, in Kallispell at the age of 70 years.

He is survived by one son, Harold V. Wyman of Kallispell; one daughter, Mrs. Harold Beavers of Poison; a sister, Dr. Mattie K. Wyman of Seattle, Wash., and two brothers, Frank E. Wyman of Calgary, Alberta, and Bert Wyman of Bain Tree, Alberta.