

MRS. LILLIAN A. HANCOCK

Funeral services for Mrs. Lillian A. Hancock were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggenen and Campbell chapel by Rev. Mrs. R. C. Treloar. During the services Dan Shepard sang two solo selections accompanied at the piano by Mrs. H. E. Robbin. There were many beautiful flowers and many were from Mrs. Hancock's own garden. Friends acting as pall-bearers were Chris Evenson, Claude Fansler, Dan A. Purvos, Max H. Misfeldt, H. E. Robbin and R. J. Robbin. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Lillian Albion Dassow was born January 25, 1882, in Leavenworth County, Kansas. The family moved to South Dakota where she grew up. She was married to Lemuel A. Hancock in 1906, and 11 years later they moved to Montana to make their home at Havre. After 15 years residence there they moved to the Flathead and made their home on the East Shore of Flathead lake.

Mrs. Hancock had been ill for several months and passed away at her home Friday, Oct. 23, at the age of 60 years.

She is survived by her husband, Lemuel Hancock, at home, her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Boerner of the East Lake Shore, three sisters: Miss Alice Dassow, Mrs. Rose McColin, and Mrs. Clarence Murphy, and several nephews and nieces, all of Kansas City, Kansas.

**IN MEMORY OF
MRS. LILLIAN HANCOCK**

She walked in beauty among the flowers she loved so well, her fingers tenderly touching even the least and most insignificant of them. Each flower that bloomed was a fresh marvel to her and its wonder never grew old. And the flowers seemed to sense her love and responded to her care and devotion until her garden was a riotous mass of beauty and fragrance which she delighted to share with her friends. Sometimes it seemed that her sole thought in caring for her flowers and fruit was to have them to give. She never came empty-handed to her friends—her choicest flowers—her choicest fruits she brought them, happy to give. Nor did her friends, or casual visitors, ever leave her home empty-handed, but came away with arms full of blossoms, baskets of fruit—and perhaps a loaf of home-made bread, but it was something she had joy in giving.

Unassuming, patient, unselfish, devoted to her family, loyal to her friends, she leaves a place on the East Lake Shore that cannot be filled. Never an unkind thought entered her mind, never an unkind word crossed her lips. She lived always with charity and loving kindness in her heart, and she leaves a heritage of tender memories to all who knew her.

Her spirit has fled, but still, she walks in beauty among the stars, in a garden of everlasting flowers.

A. M. W.

Thomas C. Hand Passes Suddenly

The many friends of Thomas C. Hand were greatly shocked Thursday afternoon to learn of his sudden death at his winter home in Beverly Hills, California. Mr. Hand had spent the summer in Kalispell as was his custom for several years, leaving for California in September. When he left for the coast he appeared to be in his usual good health. He was 77 years of age at the time of his death.

Mr. Hand was born at Vermilion, S. D., and came to Kalispell from St. Paul in 1891. During his early years in this community, he served one term as Flathead county sheriff from 1900 to 1902. For a time he was associated with the Coulton Mercantile company. In 1905, he went into the Kalispell flour mill, later to become the Royal Milling company of the General Mills, and he continued with that organization as manager until his retirement a few years ago. He has since been retained by the company in an advisory capacity.

Surviving Mr. Hand are two sons, Thomas C. Hand, Jr., of Salt Lake City and Roger, who recently enlisted in the Navy, and daughter, Mrs. Helene Whitehead of Beverly Hills.

He was a member of the Elks' lodge, Rotary and of St. Matthew's parish of Kalispell. Prominent in the Democratic party, he was state committeeman of the party at the time of his death.

Funeral arrangements are not complete but the body will be brought here for service and burial.

JOHN C. HEBBARD

Funeral services for John C. Hebbard were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. C. S. Kleckner of the Central Christian church and M. S. Spink of the Odd Fellows lodge. During the service Mrs. M. S. Spink sang two solo selections, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Odd Fellows acting as pall bearers were W. J. Pierce, A. E. Mercer, C. W. Spriggs, T. S. Perry, James Cochran and George Conrad. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

John Charles Hebbard was born March 25, 1869 in Nottingham, England. He grew up in England and at the age of 25 years, came to the United States and made his home in Chicago. On May 25, 1898 he was united in marriage to Miss Guewendola

Roberts. Seven years later, in 1905 they moved to Kalispell. They have lived here since, with the exception of nine years spent east of the range where they homesteaded and lived from 1910 until 1919.

Mr. Hebbard passed away Wednesday morning, June 23, 1942 at his home in Kalispell having reached the age of 73 years.

He leaves to mourn his passing, his wife Mrs. Guewendola Hebbard at home, and three children, Bruce F. Hebbard of Kalispell, Harold Hebbard of Wallace, Idaho and Mrs. Jennie Hellinger of Devon, Montana.

RETHA H. HELLER

Retha H. Heller was born July 8, 1867, in Germany and came to the United States when she was 19 years old, making her home in San Francisco, California. In August, 1892, she was married to Augustus Heller in the Spokane Hotel, Spokane, Washington. In the same year Mr. and Mrs. Heller moved to Kalispell to make their home. In 1900 Mrs. Heller returned to Germany with her daughter for an eleven-months visit.

Mrs. Heller was an associate member of the Century club, a member of the Federation of Women's clubs and attended the Christian Science church. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Carolyn Brust of San Diego, California; one brother, Theodore Hines, who made his home for many years in Kalispell; three sisters and two grandchildren, Stanford and Vestal Brust, both of San Diego, California.

Mrs. Heller passed away November 6, 1942, in Kalispell, following a very brief illness, and following services in Spokane was interred in the family lot there.

CYRIL M. HELLMAN

Funeral services for Cyril M. Hellman were held Friday morning at St. Charles church in Columbia Falls by Rev. Father Foley. The church was filled by many friends and beautiful floral tributes were banked about the front of the church. Friends acting as pall bearers were John P. Mikota, William Opalka, John Jensen, James Burnes, Tim Sullivan and Daniel Sullivan. Interment was made in the St. Richards cemetery under the direction of Waggener and Campbell.

Obituary

Cyril Method Hellman was born in Moravia, July 3, 1871. At the age of three years he came to the United States with his parents and lived on a farm at Brainard, Nebraska. At the age of eighteen Mr. Hellman went to Denver, Colorado where he was employed about five years. In 1894 he came to the Flathead and lived in the Fairview and Cedar Lake districts for a time and then homesteaded in the Bad Rock district.

He was married Dec. 31, 1900 to Miss Ida Ladenburg and they continued to make their home at the farm. Mr. Hellman had been ill for some time and passed away at his home May 5, 1942 at the age of 70 years.

He is survived by his widow Mrs. Ida Hellman at home, two sons, Hubert of Columbia Falls and John of Glendale, California, three daughters, Mrs. Mary Daniel and Mrs. George DeFlyer of Columbia Falls and Mrs. Jack Gordon of San Francisco, two grandchildren, one brother Frank Hellman of Brainard, Nebraska and three sisters, Mrs. John Rozmahel of British Columbia, Mrs. Frank Dolazel of Bruno, Nebraska and Mrs. Adolph Klein of Stockton, Calif.

JOHN HERMAN

Funeral services for John Herman were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. T. B. W. Allen of the Presbyterian church. During the services Clide Carr sang two solo selections, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Many beautiful flowers were banked about the casket and the chapel was filled by many friends. Those acting as pallbearers were C. A. Weaver, J. J. Caswell, F. J. Balley, Pete Rau, E. J. Van Duzer and J. W. Dunsmore. Interment was in the Courad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

John Herman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Herman, was born June 17, 1865, at Virginia City, Montana Territory, and passed away in Kalispell February 5, 1942.

When a little boy he moved with his parents to Butte, where he received his first schooling. The family later lived at Stevensville, Helena and Thompson Falls.

He was married to Virgie Anderson on July 16, 1894, at Thompson Falls and in 1895 they established their home in the Niarada district, where they lived for more than 30 years. He is survived by two sons, Otho Herman of Niarada and L. G. Herman of Hot Springs and three grandchildren; also two brothers and one sister, Chris and George Herman and Mrs. Annie Whalen of Thompson Falls. Mrs. Herman preceded him in death Sept. 20, 1941.

"Johnny" Herman, as he was familiarly known by old and young, white man and Indian, was one of the best known sons of the old west that is now little more than a memory. He was closely identified with the early development of the state as it evolved from a raw frontier territory to one of the richest states in the union.

At the age of 17 Johnny hired out as a "bull team" driver from Fort Benton to Helena, an early-day wagon freight route. Later he worked with the general land office survey in Central Montana and at Thompson Falls in the early 80's operated a pack train to Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. With the coming of the Great Northern railway to the Flathead, he contracted to supply meat to the construction crew from Marion west to Libby.

One of the leading cattlemen of western Montana, John Herman was well known throughout the state and his kindly manner won for him a host of friends. His generosity knew no bounds and his love for his patriotism and loyalty to his country were outstanding. He was a staunch Republican and he served his community well as county and state committeeman at various times. He was affiliated with the Masonic lodge, and the Shrine for more than 30 years.

DESMOND C. HILL

Funeral services for Desmond C. Hill were held Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the Waggoner & Campbell chapel by Rev. C. S. Kleckner of Central Christian church. During the service Clide Carr sang two solo selections, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pall bearers were Victor Atlier, Albert Egan, John deYoung, Fred Stebbins and Frank R. Marsh. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

"Dick" Desmond Clapper Hill was born March 31, 1872 in Audrian county, Missouri, and passed away at Kalispell, Montana, October 31, 1942, at the age of 70 years. He was married in October, 1886, and came to the Flathead, bringing his family, 38 years ago. For many years he had been engaged in farming in the Creston district.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ora Hill, at home, eight children, Mrs. Violet Moon of Kalispell, Mrs. Marie Kimes of Kalispell, Mrs. Anabelle Richmond of Butte, Robert Hill, Russell Hill, James Hill and Omar Hill, all of Kalispell, and Harry Hill now in Texas with the U. S. Armed Forces. There are also 32 grandchildren, three brothers, Jim of Mist, Oregon, Clayton of Castle Rock, Wash., and Robert of Missouri and two sisters in Mexico, Missouri.

MRS. ELIZABETH HINMAN

Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Hinman were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggoner & Campbell chapel by Rev. C. S. Kleckner of Central Christian church and the Rebekah lodge. During the services Miss Caroline Walchli and Mrs. M. S. Spink sang two hymn selections, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Members of the Rebekahs and Patriarchs Militant and Auxiliary attended in a body and the Auxiliary conducted services at the graveside. Many beautiful flowers were banded about the casket. Those acting as pallbearers were A. J. Jeffries, Sr., Bert Adams, A. E. Mercer, J. W. Wunderlich, J. B. Cochran and M. S. Spink. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Elizabeth M. Westorhans was born at Covington, Ky., December 25, 1873. She was educated in Hamilton, Ohio, and taught school there.

She was married to Fred Hinman on August 27, 1903, at Virginia City, Montana, and they made their home in Madison county until 1914. At that time they moved to Kalispell and have made their home here since.

Mrs. Hinman was a member of the Rebekah lodge and of the Past Noble Grands Circle. She was also a member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Patriarchs Militant and was its secretary for a number of years.

She passed away at her home Thursday, September 10, 1942, at the age of 68 years.

She is survived by her husband, Fred Hinman, at home, a son, Edwin of Bozeman, Mont., and a daughter, Mrs. Edith Parsley of Lewiston, Idaho, and four grandchildren.

MRS. MARY HODGSON

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary M. Hodgson were held Friday morning at 11 o'clock at Central Christian church by Rev. C. S. Kleckner. During the services Clide Carr sang two solo selections accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Carr. Friends acting as pall-bearers were E. E. Jaquette, G. Leonard Dowler, Lem Larson, J. C. Doyle, Christ Ost and Clyde Iseninger. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery under the direction of the Waggoner and Campbell funeral home.

Obituary

Mary Margaret Phillips was born Nov. 6, 1867, in Marion County Ohio, where she grew to womanhood. She was married to William E. Hodgson in 1887 and they made their home there until 1895 when they came to the Flathead to make

their home in the Half Moon district in the north end of the county. Mrs. Hodgson moved to Whitefish five years ago and passed away there at the home of her daughter on Nov. 23, 1942, at the age of 75 years.

She was a member of Central Christian church and took an active part in the work of the W.C.T.U.

She is survived by her four children: Mrs. Joe Monagan and Mrs. Hallie Swisher of Whitefish, Mrs. Tombrink and Mark Hodgson of Columbia Falls, and 11 grandchildren and four great grandchildren. There are also three brothers, James and Charles Phillips in Iowa, and C. D. Phillips of Whitefish, and two sisters, Mrs. Arletta Proffit and Mrs. John Proffit, living in Kansas.

ANNA HOLMQUIST

Funeral services for Anna Holmquist were held Wednesday afternoon at the Owen-Elliott chapel with the Rev. Beulah Rayson of the Westside Methodist church and Rev. H. R. Carlblom of the Calvary Tabernacle officiating. Friends serving as casket bearers were S. B. Jackson, Thomas Stone, V. L. James, A. J. Casey, Martin Bertelson, and K. G. Weinbrenner. Interment was in the Demersville cemetery.

Obituary

Anna Crossley Holmquist was born September 2, 1906, in Kalispell, and passed away February 28, 1942, following an operation. Mrs. Holmquist is survived by her husband, Harold; five children, Harold Jr., Ernest, Mildred, William and Barbara; her father, Harry Crossley of St. Ignatius; two brothers, Clayde Crossley of Kalispell and Glen of Vancouver, Wash.; three sisters, Ruth of Lebanon, Oregon, Mrs. Swan Odegard of North Fork, Idaho, and Mrs. Clyde Jessup of Vancouver, Wash.

MRS. ELIZABETH HOPE

Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth D. Hope were held Monday afternoon in the First Presbyterian church of Kalispell with Rev. Frank Hills officiating. During the services Burnett Elliot sang "Hills o' Home" and "Beulah Land," accompanied by Miss Louise Hanger. Friends serving as casket bearers were T. W. Elliot, Chester King, T. H. Bogart, Andrew Dunsire, Dr. F. H. Keller, and Richard Taylor, a nephew.

Committal services were held in the Owen-Elliot cemetery chapel in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Elizabeth Darling Wickes was born December 21, 1878 in Joplin, Missouri. At the age of three months she moved with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. A. Wickes, to Montana, traveling by covered wagon. Upon reaching Montana the family settled in a community which later became known as Wickes, Montana. A few years later the family moved to Boulder, Montana, where Mrs. Hope received her elementary education. She attended and graduated from the Conservatory of Music at Oberlin. On July 25, 1897, she was united in marriage to Frank Montana Hope.

The young couple made their home in Boulder and Missoula, and later on the west shore of Flathead Lake, where Mr. Hope died in 1924. Mrs. Hope passed away on July 4, 1942. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. T. A. Wickes of Whitefish; two daughters, Mrs. William Burford of Shelton, Washington, and Mrs. George Gendenning of Kalispell; a sister, Mrs. William Taylor of Whitefish; a brother, William Wickes of Missoula; four grandchildren, other relatives and many friends. One daughter, Mrs. Beth Stiles, preceded her in death in 1932.

Mrs. Hope was a member of the Presbyterian church of Kalispell and had been a resident of the Flathead valley for 31 years.

GEORGE M. HOUTZ

Funeral services for George M. Houtz were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggoner and Campbell chapel by the Rev. T. B. W. Allen of the Presbyterian church. Friends filled the chapel and there were many beautiful flowers banked about the casket. Miss Gerahline Caswell sang two appropriate solo selections accompanied at the organ by Miss Louise Hanger. Friends acting as pall bearers were Walter Franz, Paul Casey, H. A. Fisher, J. C. King, O. S. Jordet and D. Gordon Rogoffen. Honorary bearers were J. Karcher, W. E. Benman, C. D. O'Neil, A. W. Hollenstiner, Adrian Adams, T. H. Bogart, L. D. Spafford and Frank Dehl. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery under the direction of the Elks lodge with James Gurey in charge of the committal.

Obituary

George McClellan Houtz was born at Urbana, Ohio, May 19, 1862 to John and Elizabeth Shurtleff-Houtz. When he was a young man he started his newspaper career by working for a paper at Atlanta, Ill. He later moved to Gettysburg, South Dakota, pioneering there in the same business. He was married at Bunt, South Dakota, to Miss Irene Merriman of Atlanta, Ill., on September 28, 1887. They moved to Demersville in 1891 and Houtz and Kiplinger published the Flathead Journal. In December of the same year they moved to Kalispell and in 1892 Moore and Houtz combined to publish the Flathead Herald-Journal. Later Mr. Houtz owned and published the Kalispell Journal which was discontinued about 25 years ago when Mr. Houtz retired.

Mr. Houtz was a member of the Presbyterian church and of the Elks lodge. He passed away July 17, 1942, in Kalispell at the age of 80 years.

He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Cora Johnson, of Kalispell; three sons: Ervin of Missoula, Ned of Wenatchee, Wash., and George M. of Seaside, Ore., and one brother, Edward of Dayton, Ohio, who is past 90 years of age. There are also several grandchildren.

MRS. ANNA HOYLMAN

Funeral services for Mrs. Ann Margaret Hoylman were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. L. M. Darnell and Rev. G. Hochstettler. During the service three hymn selections were sung by a double quartette composed of Anna Birkey, Goldie Sala, Rosell Backman, Leora Lapp, Harold Oesch, Adeline, Reuben and Paul Kauffman. Friends acting as pallbearers were R. W. Carr, N. L. Kauffman, J. N. Birkey, H. W. Pessup, Val Zimmerman and William Phummer. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Ann Margaret Hein was born September 11, 1883, near Muskegan, Mich. When she was ten years old her parents moved to Nebraska, near Hastings. In this community she received her education and became a member of the Christian church.

She was married to Walter Hoylman February 26, 1907, at Ayr, Nebraska. In June, 1935, with her husband and part of their family they made their home near Creston, Montana.

She passed away at her home near Creston on April 22, 1942, after a lingering illness.

She leaves to mourn her departure her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Elsie Grueter of Lincoln, Nebraska, and Mrs. Eda Belled of Kalispell; two sons, Howard of Kalispell and Byron of West Los Angeles, Calif.; (three sons preceded her in death; one son, Walter J. Hoylman, passed away April 21, 1942, at Roseland, Nebraska); her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Hein of Hastings, Nebraska, three sisters, Misses Minnie and Clara Hein of Hastings, Nebraska, Mrs. Edith Maxon of Elwood, Nebraska, four brothers, Fred, Ben and Louis Hein of Hastings, Joseph Hein of Pomona, Calif., three grand children and many other relatives and friends.

MRS. SARAH M. Hoylman

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah M. Hoylman were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggoner and Campbell chapel by Rev. C. S. Kleckner of Central Christian church. During the services Clido Carr sang two solo selections accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pall bearers were Guy Keo, W. E. Willey, Louis Chabot, William C. Ross, Verne Kelley, and George DeFries. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Sarah Margaret Ross, daughter of David and Mary Ross and direct descendant of Betsy Ross, was born at Louisville, Kentucky, on September 29, 1866. She was the eldest of a family of five children.

In 1883 she traveled with her parents by covered wagon to Adams County, Nebraska. She was united in marriage to Lycargus M. Hoylman on January 18, 1885, at Ayr Nebraska. She lived in Nebraska for several years, later moving to Wyoming and still later to South Dakota before coming to the Flathead in 1917, where she has since resided.

She passed away at her home on Seventh avenue west December 11, 1942, at the age of 76 years, after a prolonged illness of about 16 months.

Her husband preceded her in death in 1930.

She was the mother of seven children, three of whom preceded her in death. Those surviving are Mrs. Lillie Eggers of Lewellen, Nebraska; Mrs. Hazel Gignina and Miss Mary Hoylman of Kalispell; Guy Hoylman of Spokane, Washington. A granddaughter, Doris Hoylman, who has made her home with the deceased for many years, also remains.

She is also survived by one sister, Mrs. Mary Caslin of Oshkosh, Nebraska, and one brother, Tucker Ross of Arvada, Wyoming. Also six grandchildren; eight great grandchildren and many other relatives.

She transferred her membership from the Baptist church in Nebraska to the Central Christian church at Kalispell in 1922.

At a late hour Sunday afternoon a telegram was received by the family from relatives in Arvada stating that the brother, Tucker Ross, had passed away on Tuesday, December 8.

CHARLES HULIT

Funeral services for Charles Hult were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. C. S. Kleckner of the Central Christian church. There were many beautiful flowers banked about the casket and many friends attended the services. Mrs. George Hamilton sang two solo selections accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pall-bearers were Edward Lewis, Leon Lenon, Everett Lewis, W. R. Martin, T. E. Lincoln and Albert Lewis. Interment was in the Fairview cemetery.

Obituary

Charles Hult was born April 17, 1860, at Canton, Ill. He grew to manhood in Illinois, and at the age of 21 moved to Oklahoma to engage in ranching. In 1892 he was married to Miss Elizabeth Long and they continued in Oklahoma in the cattle ranching business for 18 years. Mr. Hult spent a year in Georgia and returned to Oklahoma where he lived until 1910 when he moved to Albert, Canada, living there for 10 or 12 years. He later lived in Colorado and two years in Sweet Grass before coming to Kalispell in 1928.

He passed away at his home on Eight avenue west in Kalispell Wednesday, June 24, 1942, at the age of 82 years.

He is survived by his two children, Philip Hult of Columbia Falls, and Mrs. Charles Doxtater of Whitefish, and five grandchildren.

MRS. CARL A. HUMMER

Amidst a profusion of beautiful flowers, funeral services for Mrs. Carl A. Hummer were held at Christ Episcopal church at 2:00 o'clock p. m. September 14, by Reverend Willis Rosenbhal assisted by the church choir. Those acting as pall-bearers were Maurice Driscoll, Clifton C. Clark, Daniel J. Korn, H. J. Hunt, A. R. Johnson and J. S. MacMillan. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Ileta W. Hummer was born on September 18, 1902, at Canton, Missouri. She spent her childhood and attended school in Canton, and high school at Hannibal, Missouri. She then attended dramatic arts and music school in Kansas City, Missouri, and continued her dramatic work until her marriage. In 1929 she came to Montana, and in September, 1930, was married to Carl A. Hummer at Portland, Oregon, and since that time had made her home here in Kalispell.

Mrs. Hummer was always active in social and civic affairs and devoted considerable time to radio broadcasting in the interests of her husband's store. Her amiable personality made for her many friends.

She is survived by her husband, Carl A. Hummer, of Kalispell, Robert C. Rathbone, a son by a former marriage, who is now with the armed forces in Arizona, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Ward of Burlington, Iowa, and two sisters, Mrs. Kaye Viason of State College, Pennsylvania, and Mrs. William Morris of Hannibal, Missouri.