

Alice Taylor Dies, Rites Friday At 2

Miss Alice Taylor, 76, Marlon Stage, died in Kalispell Tuesday evening.

Miss Taylor was born July 5, 1892 at Alexandria, Minn. In 1916, she came to Montana, where she has been a resident of Patrick Creek since that time.

She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Kitty Frazer of Kalispell; two nieces, Margaret Peterson of Shelby and Ruth Jumper of San Diego, Calif.; one nephew, Edmond Frazer of Anchorage, Alaska, and several greatnieces and nephews.

Funeral services for Miss Taylor will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 2 p.m. Friday with Charles Krubb of Roman, officiating. Interment will be in the Glacier Memorial Gardens.

J. Archie Taylor Dies; Funeral Rites Thursday

WHITEFISH — J. Archie Taylor, 77, a longtime Whitefish resident, died in Phoenix, Arizona Friday.

Mr. Taylor was born May 25, 1891 at Minneapolis, Minnesota. He spent his childhood in Minnesota, later moving to Spokane, where he graduated from high school.

He was then employed as a car foreman for the Great Northern Railway in Spokane and in 1931 was transferred to Whitefish where he continued working for the railroad until retiring in 1961. He had continued to make his home in Whitefish and has spent his winters in Arizona.

Mr. Taylor is survived by his widow, Hazel and one daughter, the Rev. Evelyn Taylor of St. Joseph, Mo.

Funeral services for Mr. Taylor will be conducted in the Austin Chapel at 2 p.m. Tuesday with the Rev. Wayne Masters, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, officiating. Following the services the body will be forwarded to Spokane for interment.

Ralph Taylor Dies; Rites To Be In Havre

WHITEFISH — Ralph Grover Taylor, 54, a Great Northern Railway conductor from Havre, died west of Whitefish Wednesday afternoon.

He was born May 16, 1914, at Glasgow. In 1955 he moved to Havre where he has resided since that time.

He is survived by his widow, Cora; one son; two daughters; five brothers, including Glen Taylor of Whitefish, and one sister.

The body has been forwarded by the Austin Funeral Home to the Holland and Bonine Funeral Home in Havre where services and interment are being planned for Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Thayer, Early Valley Native Dies

Mrs. Jessie Thayer, 84, who resided at 230 Second St. E., died in Kalispell Tuesday evening. She was born in the Flathead Valley Jan. 14, 1884. Mrs. Thayer, the youngest of 11 children, was the first white child born east of the Flathead River.

She received her schooling at Egan School. In 1898 she homesteaded with Mrs. Charles Perrin in the Star Meadow area. Mrs. Thayer was married to Duncan Sinclair who preceded her in death Jan. 2, 1929. In 1962 she was married to Ralph Thayer. She was preceded in death by her parents, four brothers and six sisters.

Mrs. Thayer is survived by her husband, Ralph Thayer; two nephews, Delbert Lang, Kalispell; and Manley McCormick, Kalispell; six great-nieces and four great-nephews.

Funeral services for Mrs. Thayer will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 2 p.m. Saturday, with the Rev. O.C. Baugh of the Presbyterian Church officiating. Interment will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery under direction of Johnson Funeral Home.

Funeral Saturday For Mrs. Jessie Thayer

Funeral services for Mrs. Jessie Thayer, 84, who died Tuesday in Kalispell are set for 2 p.m. Saturday at the Johnson Funeral Home. The Rev. Odin D. Baugh, First Presbyterian Church, will officiate. Interment will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Mrs. Thayer was born Jan. 14, 1884 in Flathead County. She was the first white child born east of the Flathead River in the county. She was the 11th child of John and Margaret Lang who filed a pre-emption claim on Flathead County land May 14, 1883 thus being among the first settlers in the locality.

One of the first schools in the valley was on the Lang homestead and Mrs. Thayer's father was the first school director. He was also the first justice of the peace in the county along

with Tyson Duncan who had the position on the west side of the river. Mr. Lang was also the first deputy sheriff on the east side of the river.

Mrs. Thayer received her schooling at the Egan School and in 1898 homesteaded with Mrs. Charles Perrin in the Star Meadow area. Mrs. Thayer was married first to Duncan Sinclair who died in 1929. She married Ralph Thayer in 1962.

She was preceded in death by her parents, four brothers and six sisters. Surviving are her husband Ralph and two nephews, Delbert Lang and Manley McCormick, both of Kalispell. There are six great-nieces and four great-nephews.

Duncan Thomas Funeral Rites Announced

Duncan Thomas, 73, died at his home at 529 Seventh Ave. W. Monday evening.

Mr. Thomas was born Dec. 21, 1894, at Cando, N.D. He had attended schools in North Dakota and in 1909 moved to Montana. He has resided in Lincoln and Flathead counties much of the time since then.

He had been employed by the Lincoln County bridge department for a time and had also worked in various saw mills in the area. He was a member of the Moose Lodge of Troy.

Mr. Thomas was a single man and has no known survivors.

Funeral services for Mr. Thomas will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 10 a.m. Thursday with Envoy Jay Champion of the Salvation Army officiating. Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

K. K. Thomason Dies; Rites To Be In Kansas

WHITEFISH— Kenneth Kirtland Thomason, 53, Trego, died in Whitefish Tuesday evening.

He was born Jan. 25, 1916, at Bluejacket, Okla. He spent his youth and early years at Coffeerville, Kan. During World War II, he worked overseas in construction work in Arabia. In May of 1966, he moved to Trego from Placerville, Calif., to work for Walsh-Groves Construction Co. as office manager. He had served with the company for 22 years. He was a member of Lodge 56, AF&AM of Volcano, Calif., North Star Eastern Star Chapter 450 of Fall River Falls, Calif., Shasta 9, Royal Arch Masons of Redding, Calif., and the Redding Commandery Knights Templar 50.

June 21, 1946, he was married to Helen Hall at Borger, Tex., and is survived by her at the family home in Trego.

He is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. C.R. Sahl of San Leandro, Calif., Mrs. R. B. Henry of Coffeerville, and Mrs. Charles Christian of Miamiville, Okla.

The body will lie in state at the Austin Chapel after 8 p. m. today for friends who wish to call.

The body will be forwarded Thursday to the Ford Funeral Home at Coffeerville where Masonic services and interment are planned for Friday afternoon.

A. J. Tigges Requiem Mass Announced

Alexander Joseph Tigges, 73, New York, died in Kalispell Tuesday evening.

Mr. Tigges was born June 7, 1895, at Mosinee, Wis. He had attended elementary and high school in Wisconsin. He later graduated from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology with a degree in electrical engineering. He had served as Lieutenant commander in the Navy during World War I. He was then employed by Jackson and Moreland of Boston and New York. He had been employed in the New York office for more than 27 years. For the past year, he had been employed as consulting engineer for Monsanto in New York City.

Mr. Tigges had served on the Federal Board of Pollution Control. He was an honorary member of the Naval Reserve; he was a member of the St. Agnes Catholic Church of Manhattan, N.Y.; a fourth degree member of the Knights of Columbus; member of the MIT Alumni Assn. and the Consulting Engineers Assn.

He was single and was visiting in the Flathead at the time of his death.

He is survived by one nephew, Kenneth Tigges, Kalispell, and one niece, Cecelia Stewitzki of Mosinee, Wis.

Rosary for Mr. Tigges will be recited in the Johnson Chapel at 3 p. m. Thursday. Requiem high mass will be celebrated in St. Matthew's Catholic Church Friday morning with interment to follow in the Glacier Memorial Gardens.

Ralph Tillman Dies; Rites Wednesday

COLUMBIA FALLS — Ralph "Rooney" Tillman, 57, died in Whitefish Sunday evening.

Mr. Tillman was born at Victor in February 1911. He grew to manhood there and graduated from Victor High School. Following his graduation, he engaged in construction work and continued to follow construction until 1959, when he came to the Flathead Valley and made his home at Columbia Falls. In 1960, he was employed by the Great Northern Railway as a laborer and machine operator.

He was a veteran of World War II, having served in the U.S. Navy.

Mr. Tillman was a single man and is survived by one brother, Herman Tillman of Butte; two sisters, Mrs. G.R. Martin of Auburn, Wash., and Mrs. William Helm of Darby; several nieces and nephews including Mrs. Mary McSloy of Columbia Falls.

Funeral services for Mr. Tillman have been set for Wednesday at 2 p.m. from the Van Leuven Chapel in Columbia Falls with military graveside rites following in the Woodlawn Cemetery.

Titchbourne Funeral Saturday

WHITEFISH — Mrs. Elsie Titchbourne, 83, died in Hot Springs Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Titchbourne was born Oct. 10, 1885, at St. Paul, Minn. She had spent her early life and received her education in Minnesota. In 1907, she moved to Malta and was married to Ott Cassidy there in 1908. She was later preceded in death by a son and her husband.

In 1922, she moved to Glacier Park where she was employed at the Lewis Hotel for several years. In 1925, she moved to Whitefish and in 1927, was married to Bud Titchbourne at Whitefish. She was then employed as cook for area lumber camps for a number of years. During World War II, she was employed at Boeing Aircraft in Seattle. She then returned to Whitefish, where she managed the Palm Hotel until retiring about six years ago.

She then lived at Fortine for two years before returning to Whitefish to reside at the Palm Hotel.

Mrs. Titchbourne is survived by a brother-in-law, Fred Titchbourne of Fortine; two grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; a niece and a nephew.

Funeral services for Mrs. Titchbourne will be conducted in the Austin Chapel at 4 p.m. Saturday with the Rev. Dennis Hanson, pastor of the Christ Lutheran Church, officiating. Interment will be in the Whitefish Cemetery.

Harry E. Todd, 73, Dies; Rites Pending

Harry E. Todd, 73, died at his home at 535 First Ave. E., Saturday.

Mr. Todd was born Sept. 4, 1895, at Defiance, Ohio. He had received his education and spent his early life in Ohio. In about 1915 he moved to Montana where he operated a bakery at Ronan for several years. He was a veteran of World War I, having served in the U.S. Army during the war. In 1923 he moved to Kalispell from Missoula and has owned and operated the Todd Bakery here since that time.

Mr. Todd was a member of the St. Matthew's Catholic Church, the Disabled American Veterans and the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

May 25, 1918, he was married to Mary Theresa Morris at Tacoma, Wash., and was preceded in death by her Jan. 17, 1965.

He is now survived by one son, James Todd of Kalispell; two daughters, Mrs. Glen (Marie) Hartman and Mrs. John (Clarann) Brady, both of Kalispell; three brothers, Elmer of San Jose, Calif., Dick and John,

both of Columbus, Ohio; three sisters, Nelle Kenning of Defiance, Mabel Estep and Dorothy Thomas, both of Columbus; 14 grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements for Mr. Todd will be announced by the Johnson Funeral Home.



HARRY E. TODD

Arthur Towner Dies; Rites To Be In Iowa

Arthur L. Towner, 72, a resident of Iowa City, Iowa, died in Kalispell Friday morning.

Mr. Towner was born May 28, 1896, at St. Helena, Calif. He was a co-founder of the American Hospital Supply Co. Mr. Towner was a regular summer vacationer of the Flathead Valley having spent many of the past summers on Flathead Lake.

He is survived by his widow, Ruth; one son, Robert of Evanston, Ill.; one daughter, Mrs. Betty Ruth Cox of Bettendorf, Iowa, and seven grandchildren.

The body will be forwarded by the Johnson Funeral Home to the George L. Gay-Orhout Funeral Home in Iowa City for services and interment.

Sandra Traeger Dies; Funeral Rites Wednesday

Sandra Lou Traeger, 23, died Saturday in the Kiser Memorial Hospital in North Bend, Ore.

Miss Traeger, daughter of Robert Traeger, Culbertson, and Joyce Traeger, Kalispell, was born March 9, 1945, in Williston, N.D. She lived in Baineville to the age of five years and then moved with her family to Kalispell. She attended elementary and high school in Kalispell and upon graduation, attended Northern Montana College in Havre. She received her degree in 1967. She taught in the Lincoln School in Coquille, Ore., a little over a year.

Surviving Sandra are her parents; two sisters, Linda and Kari L., both of Kalispell; and a brother, Douglas, Whitefish; a half-brother, Terry, and a half-sister, Tracy, both of Culbertson.

Funeral services have been set for Wednesday at 2 p.m. from the Waggener & Campbell Chapel with J. Torrance Harvey, Lakeside Chapel, officiating. Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Martin Trenne Dies At 76 In Great Falls

Martin Trenne, father of Mrs. Kenneth Christison of Kalispell, died Thursday in Great Falls.

Mr. Trenne, 76, a former legislator and secretary of the State Board of Equalization, had been in failing health for the past 12 years.

He resigned his post with the equalization board in 1957 and had served as a Republican representative from Roosevelt in 1933 and 1934.

Mr. Trenne had served as deputy registrar of motor vehicles 1941-49 and was a past secretary to state automobile and hardware implement dealers.

He also is survived by his widow, Marguerite; a son, Grant of Washington state; and two step-daughters, Mrs. George Jones of Great Falls and Mrs. Edward Dyer of Lakewood, Calif.

Treweek Rites Set For Wednesday

Funeral services for Tamara Lynn Treweek, four-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Treweek, have been set for Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. from the Waggener & Campbell Chapel with the Rev. Baugh, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Kalispell, officiating.

Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

She is survived by her parents; a sister, Sherree Ann; her paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Treweek, Kalispell, and her maternal grandfather, Bob Mellick, Kalispell.

She died in Seattle last Saturday following heart surgery. It has been suggested by the family that memorials be made to the Heart Fund by those wishing to do so.

Mrs. Tripp Graveside Rites Set

Mrs. Pearl Rose Tripp, 79, Libby, died Monday evening.

Mrs. Tripp was born Sept. 15, 1888 at Watopa, Minn. When quite young she moved with her parents to Canada where they lived until moving to Kalispell.

March 29, 1909, she was married to John Tripp in Missoula. The couple returned to Kalispell where Mr. Tripp was associated with Miracle and Tripp Construction Co. In 1922 they moved to Great Falls where they lived until 1926 when they moved to California.

In 1951 Mrs. Tripp returned to Montana, and has resided in Libby since.

She was preceded in death by her husband April 26, 1939, and is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Anna Briggs, Libby; two grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Graveside rites for Mrs. Tripp will be conducted in Conrad Memorial Cemetery at 1 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. Charles Nowlen, pastor of the Epworth Methodist Church, officiating. Friends will meet at the Johnson Chapel before going to the cemetery.

Trosper Rites Wednesday In Polson

POLSON — Miss Lynda Trosper, 21, a former Polson woman, died Friday at Denver, Colo. She had been a bookkeeper for the Gates Rubber Company of Denver. She was a 1965 graduate of the Polson High School where she had been a cheerleader, twirler and band member. She had been worthy adviser for the Polson Rainbow Assembly.

She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Trosper of Polson; three sisters Mrs. Richard (Danna) Hartt of Polson, Elvenc and Leslee Ann Trosper both of the family home; two brothers, Bradley and Randy Trosper of the family home; paternal grandmother, Mrs. Marie Brubaker of Spokane, maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stockton of St. Ignatius and foster grandfather, B. P. Trosper of Polson.

Funeral services for Miss Trosper will be conducted in the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church of Polson at 2 p.m. Wednesday with the Rev. Donald Jacobson officiating. Interment will be in the Lakeview Cemetery under the direction of the Mosley Funeral Home.

Kenneth Trusty Dies; Funeral Rites Pending

WHITEFISH — Kenneth D. Trusty, 28, died in Seattle, Wash., Thursday.

He was born Jan. 7, 1940, in Kalispell. He attended school in Whitefish until entering the U.S. Army in 1957. In 1960, he was discharged and began working for the Forest Service and later for the Montana Plywood in Whitefish.

Mr. Trusty was married to Joan Randall May 22, 1965, in Kalispell.

He moved to Seattle in June and worked at the U.S. Navy as service station attendant.

Mr. Trusty is survived by his widow, Joan; one daughter, Becky; a son, James; his father, Vincel of Whitefish; his mother, Mrs. Geraldine Watson of Havre; three brothers, Joe and Larry of Seattle, and Vincent of Vietnam; and a half-sister, Sheri Ann Trusty of Whitefish.

Funeral services will be announced by the Catron Funeral Home.

Mrs. Mary Edith Turner Dies In North Dakota

Mrs. Mary Edith Turner, 90, died at Williston, N.D., Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Turner was born Aug. 3, 1877 at Stewardson, Ill. She received her education and spent her early life in Illinois.

Feb. 14, 1899, she was married to Levi B. Turner at Stewardson. In 1904, the couple moved to Eastern Montana, where they lived at Poplar for a short time before moving to Elmdale.

Mrs. Turner had served as postmaster at Elmdale for more

than 20 years. They then moved to Washington for several years, later moving to Brockton.

About 1935, they moved to Bigfork, where they resided until moving to Kalispell. For the past two years, Mrs. Turner had made her home with her daughter at Donnybrook, N.D. She was preceded in death by her husband in 1944 and by a son, John, in 1959.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Isaac (Mary) Ruggles, Kalispell; Mrs. Otto (Minnie) Anderson, Donnybrook, N.D., and Mrs. Ellen Lee, Spokane; two brothers, Sam Sheehan, Champaign, Ill., and Howard Sheehan, Enid; one sister, Mrs. Fannie Kessler, Stewardson, Ill.; 16 grandchildren; a number of great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services for Mrs. Turner will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 2 p.m. Saturday with the Rev. Fred Paxton, pastor of the Central Christian Church, officiating. Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Mrs. Tutvedt Dies; Rites Announced

Mrs. Belinda Tutvedt, 72, 370 Third Ave. E.N., died in Kalispell Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Tutvedt was born Oct. 10, 1895 at Kindred, N.D. She had attended schools in North Dakota and about 1917 she moved to Montana where she resided at Bigfork for a time before moving into Kalispell.

She was a Lutheran and had attended the Bethlehem Lutheran womens organization. She was a member of the Sons of Norway.

Oct. 12, 1949, she was married to Peder G. Tutvedt and is now survived by him at the family home.

She is also survived by three sons, Owen Hill of Great Falls, Burnell Hill of Spokane, and Donald Hill of Anaheim, Calif.; three stepdaughters, Mrs. Harold (Pearl) Shepherd of Chester, Mrs. Lyle (Ruby) Glee of Galata, and Mrs. Leo (Arlene) Shepherd of Kalispell; three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Stehaug of Bigfork, Mrs. Gertrude Fredericks of Kalispell and Mrs. Olga Otterson of Annadale, Va.; 19 grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mrs. Tutvedt will be conducted in the Bethlehem Lutheran Church at 1:30 p.m. Friday with the Rev. H. Peder Waldum, officiating.

Interment will be in the Glacier Memorial Gardens under the direction of the Johnson Funeral Home. The family suggests friends who wish may contribute memorials to the Immanuel Lutheran Home.

James Tyree Dies; Rites Pending

James L. Tyree died at his home on Pleasant Drive Monday.

He was born March 16, 1904, in Joplin, Mo. Oct. 15, 1930, he was married to Josephine Sloan. As a young man he worked in the Butker Hill mine in Idaho later in the Forest Service as a line-man and in Glacier Park on a trail crew.

During World War II he worked at Renton, Wash., in the shipyards. He lived in West Glacier for 10 years before moving to Kalispell in 1958.

He is survived by four sons, Richard, Douglas and Gerald all of Kalispell and Jack of Spokane; two daughters, Mrs. Harold (Shirley) Heck of Spokane, and Mrs. Vernon (Barbara) Beamus of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho; 20 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral arrangements will be announced by the Johnson Funeral Home.