

27 Sep 1972  
**Mrs. Naccarato  
Dies Wednesday,  
Service Pending**

WHITEFISH — Mrs. Mildred Sarah Naccarato, 70, Whitefish, died at Galen Wednesday. She was born Aug. 30, 1902, at Afton, Minn., daughter of George and Sarah Briggs. She received her education at Afton and in 1929 married Frank Earl Stevens. To this union, seven children were born, four of which died in infancy.

In 1947, she married Paul Grishechko. They made their home at Superior, Wis. He died in 1961, and Mrs. Grishechko moved to Whitefish to live with her daughter. In 1962 she married Natale Naccarato who preceded her in death in May 1969. Mrs. Naccarato has been at Galen since 1968.

She was a member of the United Presbyterian Church. She is survived by one son, Lauren Stevens, National City, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. Ronald (Laura) Norwich, Duluth, Minn., and Mrs. Curtis O. (Lorraine) Peterson, Whitefish; 12 grandchildren; one brother, Harold Briggs, Afton. She was preceded in death by two brothers George and James Briggs. Funeral arrangements for Mrs. Naccarato will be announced by the Austin Funeral Home.

Last rites for Mrs. Mildred Sarah Naccarato, 70, Whitefish, were conducted Saturday by the Rev. Robert Laird, Presbyterian minister, in the Austin Funeral Home. The body was forwarded to Superior, Wis., for interment.

**Elizabeth Nash Service Monday**

Mrs. Ethel Elizabeth Nash, 73, Montana and have lived in the Yellow Bay, East Lake Shore, Flathead Valley since. Mrs. Nash was a member of the Jehovah's Witnesses. She was preceded in death by her husband last February. She is now survived by one step-daughter, Betty Gordon in Hawaii. Funeral services for Mrs. Nash are planned 3:30 p.m. Monday in the Johnson Chapel with Mr. David Weir of the Jehovah's Witnesses officiating. Interment will be in Lonepine Cemetery near Bigfork.

**Navne Funeral  
Saturday In  
North Dakota**

15 Sept. 1972  
Walter Hansen Navne, 93, Bigfork, died in Kalispell Sunday. He was born Oct. 17, 1878, on the island of Langeland, Denmark. He received his education in Denmark and had been employed in foundry work for a time. In 1902-1903 he attended agricultural college in Denmark. He then farmed until 1906, when he came to the United States and took up farm work and saw mill work at Luke, Wis.

In 1907 he moved to North Dakota and homesteaded in Kidder County. In 1910 he married Pauline Rasmussen. The couple continued to farm the homestead until retiring in 1958 when they moved to Pettibone, N.D. Mr. Navne was preceded in death by his wife in 1966. About four years ago he came to the Flathead Valley and has lived at Bigfork since that time. He was of the Lutheran faith.

He is now survived by one stepson, Christen Jensen, of Kalispell; one grandson, James W. Jensen, Bigfork; three other grandchildren and several nieces and nephews in Denmark. The body is being forwarded by the Johnson Funeral Home to the Eddy Funeral Home, Jamestown, N.D.

Funeral services for Mr. Navne are planned for Saturday from the Pettibone Lutheran Church with interment to follow in Pettibone Cemetery.

**Mrs. Nerison**

Graveside rites for Mrs. Emma Nerison, 88, Kalispell, were conducted Tuesday in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery. The Rev. H. Peder Waldum, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, officiated.

Mrs. Nerison died Friday. She was born Oct. 22, 1884 at Spring Grove, Minn. She had been a member of the Immanuel Lutheran Home for the past four years.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Gladys Kessler, Portland, and Mrs. Eleanor Garding, Kalispell; two sons, Ernest Engberg, Nampa, Idaho, and Allen Engberg, Louisville, Ky.; 15 grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, two brothers and one sister.

## David Nelson Dies Monday, Rites Thursday

David Nelson, 85, 1145 Fourth Ave. E., Kalispell, died Monday in Kalispell General Hospital. He was born in Lanacconing, Md., the son of James D. and Flora Saintclair Nelson. In 1902 he moved to Spokane. He was a foreman for the McGoldric Lumber Co., St. Maries, Idaho, and worked in the woods.

He was employed by the National Park Service from 1937 until he retired in 1953. He was general road and trail foreman in Glacier National Park before retiring and moving to Kalispell.

Mr. Nelson was a World War I veteran, serving in Germany with Hq. Co., 346th Field Artillery, 91st Division. He enlisted in Bonners Ferry, Idaho, Sept. 8, 1917, and was discharged at Camp Lewis, Wash., Feb. 16, 1919. He was a member of the World War I veteran's organization.

Surviving are his widow, Edith L. Nelson, at home; one daughter, Mrs. Gwendolyn Canham, Rathdrum, Idaho, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday in the Weatherford Funeral Home with Capt. Richard Brooks of the Salvation Army officiating. Military rites at the grave will be conducted by local veterans. Interment will be in Glacier Memorial Gardens.

In Memory Of  
DAVID NELSON  
1886 - 1972

Services  
WEATHERFORD FUNERAL HOME  
Thursday, 1:30 P.M.  
May 18, 1972  
Officiating  
Captain Richard Brooks  
Salvation Army  
Lucille Richardson, Organist  
Richard Schlatter, Bugler  
Military Graveside Rites  
conducted by World War I Veterans No. 362  
Interment  
Glacier Memorial Gardens  
Kalispell, Montana

Casketbearers  
Ray Mather Forrest Yarbrough  
Wilbur Cavitt Frank Benda  
Jack Peters Clarence Bingham

Honorary Casketbearers  
Harry Cannavina Carl P. Jacobsen  
Harry Becker Leonard Ehleng  
Don Barnum Ben Rover  
Joe Himes

## Raymond Nelson Rites Wednesday

Raymond F. Nelson, 66, Valley View Apartments, died in Missoula Sunday. He was born April 26, 1905 at Long Prairie, Minn. He attended school at Tioga, N. D., and barber school at Fargo, N. D. In 1927 he moved to Kalispell and had operated Ray's Barber Shop until his retirement last September.

Mr. Nelson was a member of the Montana State Fiddlers Assn.; the National Old Time Fiddlers Assn., and the Barbers and Musicians Union. He is survived by his widow, Nettie; one son, Fredrick J. Nelson, Missoula; one daughter, Evelyn Dunham, Tampa, Fla.; a brother, Leslie Nelson, Medvale, Utah; one sister, Mrs. Fred Banning, Fortine; eight

grandchildren; one great-grandchild; four stepsons, one stepdaughter, and numerous other relatives.

Funeral services for Mr. Nelson are planned for 11 a.m. Wednesday in the Johnson Chapel. Interment will be in Demersville Cemetery.

## James Ness Service Monday

SEP 29 1972  
James O. Ness, 74, 24 First World War I, in France in the Ave. W., died in Great Falls Montana Rainbow Division Friday. He was born Jan. 21, Following his discharge he 1898, at Lake Preston, S.D., a worked in Washington for a son of Olaf and Kristi Ness. He time before moving to the served in the U.S. Army during Flathead Valley.

He had been employed in various jobs and lately had worked for Hundahl Sheet Metal and McClarty Well Drilling. He was a single man and was preceded in death by his parents, three sisters and two brothers.

He is now survived by one brother, George Ness, Falconer, N.Y.; one sister, Mrs. Virgil Pitts, Hot Springs; four nieces and two nephews.

Funeral services for Mr. Ness will be at 2 p.m. Monday in the Johnson Chapel with the Rev. Dr. Odin Baugh, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating. Interment will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery with military graveside rites conducted by local veterans.

## Frank Newell Dies Monday, Rites Saturday

DEC 12 1972  
WHITEFISH - Frank F. Newell, 62, died at Renton, Wash., Monday. He was born Dec. 28, 1909, at Whitefish, a son of Frank W. and Anna Newell. He had attended Whitefish schools and was a graduate of Whitefish High School. He then attended Montana State College at Bozeman.

Mr. Newell was a mechanical engineer and had been employed at the Fort Peck Dam construction. He later moved to Vicksburg, Miss. In 1955 he moved to Renton, where he was employed as an engineer for the Washington State Highway Department at the time of his death. He was a member of the Kalispell Elks Lodge.

He married Agnes Lininger and is now survived by her at the home in Renton. He is also survived by one son, Fred, Los Angeles, Calif.; two brothers, Bud Newell, Post Falls, Idaho, and Harry Newell, Whitefish, and three nephews. Funeral services for Mr. Newell will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Austin Chapel with the Rev. Dennis Hanson, pastor of the Christ Lutheran Church, officiating. Interment will be in Whitefish Cemetery.

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## Olaf E. Ness Dies, Rites Tuesday

JUN 24 1972  
COLUMBIA FALLS - Olaf married Pearlle Payne Clark in Erling Ness, 81, former resident Kalispell, and is now survived by of Columbia Falls, died in her at their home in Greenacres, Wash., Saturday. He Washington; three sons, Clarence Ness, Fortine; Henry Norway, Feb. 27, 1891. He left Ness, Veradale, Wash., and Ray Norway when he was 16 and Ness, Port Orchard, Wash.; two came to Lake Park, Minn., daughters, Mrs. Hazel Anderson, where he made his home until Kalispell, and Mrs. Lulu Hula, 1914, when he moved to Columbia Falls; two Kalispell and was engaged in stepchildren, Mrs. Helen Morris, logging. He later farmed south Whitefish, and Earnie Clark, of Whitefish and in 1963 moved Silverdale, Wash.; 20 to Columbia Falls. Two years grandchildren and 15 ago he moved to Greenacres. great-grandchildren.

He married Emma Ennis in 1915 at Kalispell and was preceded in death by her in 1940. June 10, 1947, he

Funeral services for Mr. Ness are planned for 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at Van Leuven Chapel in Columbia Falls. Interment will follow in Woodlawn Cemetery.

## Clara Nielsen

SEP 28 1972

Mrs. Clara (Ekholt) Nielsen, age 60, passed away Sunday morning at the Whitefish hospital.

Mrs. Nielsen was born May 9, 1912, at Maddock, N. Dak., a daughter of Carl and Karen Ekholt and shortly thereafter moved with her parents to Shelby, Mont., where her par-

ent's homesteaded on a farm north of Shelby.

Feb. 14, 1936, she married William Nielsen, later moving with her husband to Fortine for several years and then to Wisconsin. She has resided in Fortine since 1957.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1971, one daughter and one son. She is survived by a daughter, Ida Waters, Fortine; five sisters, Anne Wiegond, Shelby; Gine Lewis, Kevin, Mont.; Palma Malenhauer and Alice Siler, Colorado Springs, Colo.; and Cora Micheals, Cut Bank, Mont.; three step-sons, Ronald Nielsen, Amherst, Wis.; Edwin Nielsen, Peoria, Ill., and Art Nielsen, New Berlin, Wis.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 3:30 p.m. Sept. 27 at the Kingdom Hall in Eureka under direction of the Austin Funeral Home.

Interment will be in the Tobacco Valley Cemetery.

## Eva D. Norton Mass Wednesday

13 Nov 1972

Mrs. Eva D. Norton, 83, died Monday. She was born Nov. 18, 1888 at Grand Forks, N.D., a daughter of Robert and Adelaide Watson. She married William Dunlap who preceded her in death in 1945.

She later married Ray Norton in Spokane who preceded her in death in 1962. She then moved to Kalispell, made her home with her daughter for a time, and then moved to the Lutheran home where she had resided since. She was also preceded in death by two sons, Patrick and Lawrence Dunlap, and is now survived by one son, Arthur Dunlap in California; one daughter, Mrs. Stuart (Mary) Swenson, Kalispell, and three grandchildren.

Mass of the Resurrection for Mrs. Norton will be celebrated

Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. in St. Matthew's Catholic Church with Father James Moe as celebrant. Interment will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

## Howard T. Nye Dies At Boulder, Interment Here

Howard T. Nye, 82, died at Boulder, Thursday. He was born Dec. 8, 1889, at Valentine, Neb., a son of Theodore and Libby Nye. As a small boy he moved with his parents to Bridger where the family homesteaded, later moving to Kalispell where he was preceded in death by his mother.

The family then moved to the Yakima Valley where they entered into sheep operations under the name of Benson and Nye. In 1923 they moved to Dixon where they built a sheep and cattle ranch on the Flathead River. They sold the ranch and lived in the Hot Springs area for a short time before moving to Joliet where they raised registered sheep.

Due to a car accident in 1958 Mr. Nye retired from ranching and lived at Billings. In 1963 he moved to Boulder where he has operated the Sunshine Health Mine. He is survived by his widow Bernice; three daughters, Mrs. Ronald Fuller and Mrs. Margaret Woendeman, both of Boulder, and Ruth Nye, Dixon; three sons, Howard Nye, Jr., Bozeman, Theodore Nye, Butte, and Major Nye, Seattle; a stepson, Jim Langher, Ronan; a brother, Earl Nye, Seattle and several grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mr. Nye will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday in the Scott Chapel of Boulder. Graveside rites will be in Demersville Cemetery at 2 p.m. Wednesday. Friends will meet at the Johnson Chapel before going to the cemetery.

## Plan Rites In North Dakota For Tom Niemitalo

JULY 16 1972

Thomas P. Niemitalo, 24, Belden, N.D., died Sunday in Kalispell. He was born in Stanley, N.D., and raised in Belden and attended schools there. He graduated from Dickinson State College, and then taught school in the Crosby district.

Since 1968 he has spent his summers working for the Forest Service in Kalispell. He was a member of the Apostolic Lutheran Church. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Niemitalo; six brothers, John Jr., Vaughn, Wesley, Douglas, Keith and Steven; two sisters, Paula, all of the family home, and Sharon, Denver, Colo., and his grandmother, Mrs. Hilja Niemitalo, Belden.

His body will lie in state at the Weatherford Funeral Home until 7 tonight and then will be forwarded to North Dakota for funeral services and burial.