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### Ethel Dachwald

*11 MAR 1976*  
Ethel J. Dachwald, 84, died in Whitefish Friday, March 5. She was born March 29, 1891 in Welch, Oklahoma, a daughter of John H. and Lulu Duncan.

She spent her early years on a farm near Welch and when she was 8 years old she moved with her family to Ennis, Texas, where she received her education.

When she was 17, she moved to Harrington, Washington, where she met and was married to Lewis J. Dachwald on Jan. 28, 1914 in Spokane. The couple continued to live there until 1939 when they moved to Whitefish where Mr. Dachwald was a train-master for the Great Northern Railroad.

He preceded her in death on August 29, 1964.

Mrs. Dachwald continued to live in Whitefish making her home at the Mountain View Manor until several months ago when she moved to the extended care center at the North Valley Hospital.

She was a member of the Charles Catholic Church and the Altar Society of the Church.

She is now survived by one son, Lewis J. Dachwald, Jr. of Whitefish. She also was preceded in death by three sisters, two brothers and one grandson.

Rosary for Mrs. Dachwald was recited in the Austin Chapel at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, March 8.

Mass of the Requiem was celebrated at St. Anthony Church Tuesday.

Casketbearers were: John Lence, Dan Montpetit, Ceril Murphy, Roland Nadeau, Jack Joy, and Art LaBrie.

Burial was made in Glacier Memorial Gardens under the direction of the Austin Funeral Home.

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### *1 May 1976* Margaret E. Daley, 65

Margaret E. Daley, 65, Flathead two years ago. Ridgewood Terrace, Evergreen, died Saturday afternoon in Kalispell Regional Hospital.

Surviving are her widower, Frank L. Daley, her daughter, Mrs. Bob (Roberta) Kinniburgh Evergreen; her son, Jerry F. Daley, Camarillo, Calif., one brother, Del Gates, Lewistown; two sisters, Mrs. Ray (Jeanne) Sabin, Escondido, Calif., and Mrs. Tony (Judy) Sena, Chula Vista; and five grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a son, Donald, in Somers in 1934.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Weatherford Funeral Home with the Rev. Dr. Odin A. Baugh, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church officiating. Burial will follow in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

They returned to the Flathead County treasurer's office as a deputy clerk 12 years before moving to Chula Vista, Calif. She worked as record secretary in the Chula Vista Police Department two years.

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### *12 May 1976* Roy W. Daley, 78

Roy W. Daley, 78, Somers, was dead on arrival at the Kalispell Regional Hospital after being stricken at home Wednesday evening. He was a charter member of the Somers Volunteer Fire Department and was a former member of the Sons of Norway Lodge in Somers.

Surviving besides his widow at home, are two sons, Roger L. Daley, Garden Grove, Calif., and Kenneth R. Daley, Somers; four brothers, Robin, Chula Vista, Calif., Glen, Rollins, Calif., and Frank and Forrest W. Daley, both of Kalispell, and two grandchildren. His sister, Twila Foy, died in April.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday in the Eidsvold Lutheran Church, Somers, with the Rev. Alton O. Johnson officiating. Burial will follow in Glacier Memorial Gardens. The family suggests memorials to the memorial fund of the church.

Mr. Daley was born Nov. 8, 1897 on the Daley Homestead at Rollins and later attended the Rollins school. In his early life he ranched there with his family. His parents were Robert and Lucy Daley.

He married Jessie Eckerson in Yankton, S.D. on June 19, 1932. Mr. Daley operated the Somers Garage from 1924 until he retired in 1962. While the Somers Band was operating in Somers, Mr. Daley served as one of its directors.

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# John L. Daly, 65<sup>D-19 JUN 1976</sup>

John L. Daly, 65, Kila, died Saturday in Kalispell. He was a retired carpenter.

Mr. Daly was born May 26, 1911 in Pittsburg, Pa., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Daly. He moved with them to Roundup as a child and attended school there. He attended normal school in Billings, after which he taught school at Belgrade and later at Kila.

Mr. Daly served in the Army during World War II. After the war he returned to Billings and was associated with his father and brother in the R.J. Daly Plastering Co.

He married Viola Burlingham Nov. 1, 1951 in

Kalispell. They made their home in Billings where he was employed at the Humble Oil Refinery for 11 years. They returned to the Flathead eight years ago and he was self-employed as a carpenter until he retired in 1973.

Mr. Daly was a member of Flathead Post #4, D.A.V. in Kalispell; and the Farmers Union.

Surviving, besides his widow at home are his stepdaughter, Mrs. Norman (Frances) Knutson, Walla Walla, Wash., two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Bergman, and Mrs. Walter (Stella) McGrail, both of Billings and four grandchildren.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Weatherford Funeral Home with the Rev. John Rieth of Faith Free Lutheran Church officiating. Burial

with military honors by local veterans will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

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# Lester E. Darling, 66<sup>D-27 APR 1976</sup>

Lester E. Darling, 66, resident of Columbia Falls, died Tuesday in Whitefish. Mr. Darling was born at Newlon, Jan. 14, 1910. He moved to the Flathead Valley in 1919 and attended school at Apgar and Columbia Falls.

He had been employed by the U.S. Forest Service as a dispatcher in the Spotted Bear District for 25 years and retired from the Forest Service in 1960. He then worked as a Flathead County deputy sheriff for five years. He was a veteran of World War II.

On Aug. 16, 1931, he was married to Dorothy Hunter in Columbia Falls and is survived by her at the family home in Columbia Falls.

He also is survived by three sons, Gerald Darling of the Mountain Brook area, Ronald and Robert Darling, both of Hungry Horse, five daughters, Mrs. Ed (Connie) Gamble of Porterville, Calif., Mrs. Robert (Shirley) Adams

Mrs. George (Donna) Walton and Mrs. Joe (Sue) Smith all of Columbia Falls and Mrs. Jack (Shari) Anderson of Pasco, Wash., 16 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, three brothers, Floyd, Victor and Marvin Darling, all of Columbia Falls and numerous nieces and nephews.

Services for Mr. Darling will be at 2 p.m. Thursday from the Van Leuven Funeral Chapel with the

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# Hazel M. Darrow, 77<sup>D-5 JUN 1976</sup>

Mrs. Hazel M. Darrow, 77, of Kalispell died in Kalispell on Saturday.

She was born April 22, 1899, in Decatur, Neb., a daughter of William and Amy Smith. She had received her education in Nebraska and was married to William Rader there.

In 1921, they moved to Essex and about 10 years later, they moved to Kalispell.

Mrs. Rader was preceded in death by her husband William, and on March 31, 1945, she was

married to Joe Darrow in Butte. They had lived at Pocatello, Idaho until 1961, when they returned to Kalispell.

Mrs. Darrow now is survived by her widower, Joe, at the Montana Veterans Home in Columbia Falls; two sons, Robert Rader of Phoenix, Ariz. and Harry Rader of Ogden, Utah; two daughters, Mrs. Kenneth (Pearl) Eckelberry of Kalispell and Mrs. Rosie Burlew of Phoenix, Ariz.; four grandchildren, Barbara Willis of Bremerton,

Wash., Carrie Rader of Swan Lake, Bobbie Lee Rader in California and Edward Bremerton in Phoenix; two great-grandchildren, Kimberly and Kenneth Willis of Bremerton and a number of other relatives.

Services for Mrs. Darrow will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday with the Rev. C. Marshall Bowers of the Church of the Nazarene officiating. Burial will be in the Fairview Cemetery.

Rev. Ray Davis of the United Methodist Church officiating. Burial will follow in the Woodlawn Cemetery.

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## Clair Davis, 52<sup>D-3 SEPT 1976</sup>

Clair Davis, 52, of Columbia Falls died in Whitefish Friday evening. Mr. Davis was born April 25, 1924 at Conrad.

He grew up in the Conrad area where he engaged in ranching. He later moved to Butte where he was a live stock inspector, later moving to the Flathead

where he was a livestock inspector here.

Mr. Davis was married on Jan. 19, 1952 to Ramona Goss at Browning. Mr. Davis is survived by his widow Ramona at the family home, one son, Robert Davis, and one daughter, Shelley Davis at the family home, and by four brothers and six sisters.

Services will be 11 a.m. Tuesday in the Van Leuven Funeral Chapel in Columbia Falls.

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## Vernon R.

## Davis, 57

TROY — Vernon R. Davis, 57, died in the Veterans Administration Hospital in Martinez, Calif., on Monday.

He was born Sept. 14, 1918 here and received his schooling here.

On Nov. 2, 1939 he married Florence Osborn in Libby. He now is survived by his widow at the home, three daughters, Barbara Tong and Carol Moore both of Troy, and Peggy Davis of Libby; three sons,

Charles and Stanley both of Troy and Larry of Libby, two brothers, Rodney of Troy and Fay of Republic Wash.; three sisters Tressa Covar, Anna Pattie and Florence Siebenforcher, all of Troy and nine grandchildren.

Graveside services will be 2 p.m. Thursday at the Troy Cemetery with Pastor Orville Forrest officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of the Vial Funeral Home.

D-26 JUL 1976

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## Elva Davis, 67

Elva Davis, 67, 169 Lower Valley road, died Sunday in Kalispell Regional Hospital.

She was a life-long resident of Flathead Valley.

Mrs. Davis was born Sept. 1, 1909 in Columbia Falls, the daughter of William and Susan Michels. She attended schools in Columbia Falls.

She was married to Mern Howell, a logger, in 1935 in Columbia Falls. He was drowned in an accident here in June of 1953. She married Richard E. Davis, Jan. 15, 1969 in Kalispell, and now is survived by him at home.

Mrs. Davis worked as a domestic at the Four Seasons Motor Inn for a few years during the early 1970s and later at the Eagles Hall. She was a member of the auxiliaries of Eagles Lodge No 234 and

VFW Post No. 2252 in Kalispell.

Other survivors include her daughter, Mrs. Freddie Combs, Kalispell; five sons, William (Buck) Chapman, Columbia Falls; Dick Howell, Santa Ana, Calif.; Delbert Howell, Whitehouse, Ohio; Michael Howell, Kalispell; and Eddie Howell, Kalispell; three brothers, Roger, Michels and Sidney Michels, both of Kalispell; 15 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, a daughter, two brothers and one sister.

Services will be at 2 Wednesday in the Weatherford Funeral Home with the Rev. Elwood Grissom, of the Assembly of God Church officiating. Burial will follow in Fairview Cemetery. The family suggests memorials to Eagles Lodge No. 234, Kalispell.

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D- 19 JUN 1976

**Charlotte Dearholt, 83**

Mrs. Charlotte Ellen Dearholt, 83, resident of Columbia Falls, died in Columbia Falls on Friday, January 1974. Mrs.

Mrs. Dearholt was born at Alexandria, Minn. on June 15, 1893. She grew up and received her education in Minnesota and in 1915 was married to Julian Lund at Fergus Falls.

They later made their home in the Wolf Point and Glasgow area. From 1929 until 1935 they had resided in California, before returning to Eastern Montana.

In 1946 she moved to Columbia Falls and was co-owner and operator of the Glacier Cafe and had continued to make her home here.

In 1948 she was married to Henry F. Dearholt who preceded her in death in January 1974. Mrs.

Dearholt now is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Irwin (Lucille) Wise of Montebello, Calif., and Mrs. David (Betty) Duran of Hacienda Heights, Calif.; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services for Mrs. Dearholt will be Tuesday afternoon at 2 from the Van Leuven Chapel in Columbia Falls with the Rev. Ray Davis of the United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will follow in the Glacier Memorial Gardens.

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**A. C. DeLange death reported**

Word has been received of the death of Ambrose C. DeLange who passed away Monday evening, September 6, in Riverside, California, at the age of 92 years. He was born in Cresco, Iowa, on April 24, 1884.

He was married to Agnes L. Voss in Wasaw, Wisconsin, in 1908. They came to Montana in 1909 and homesteaded north of Glendive and then moved to Scooby and to Whitefish in 1917 where he was employed as a locomotive engineer and retired in 1957.

He was married to Katy Boughton in 1946 in St. Paul and they lived in Essex and Whitefish and he had lived in Havre and Shelby as an engineer, also in Kalispell for 11 years.

His wife passed away in November, 1968, and since he has resided mostly in Riverside with his daughter, Lenore.

He was a longtime member of the B. of L. E. and a member of the Masonic Lodge in Whitefish.

He is survived by four daughters: Mrs. Kenneth Miller (Edris) of Whitefish; Mrs. Lenore Campbell of Riverside, California; Mrs. Geo. (DeEtta) Mason of Concord, California; and Mrs. Bob (Eldenne) Hoppes of Portland, Oregon. He also is survived by two sisters in Tucson, Arizona. He had ten grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

He was cremated and his remains taken to St. Paul for burial.

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25 June 1976

**Ruth N. Decker, 81**

Ruth N. Decker, 81, died in Kalispell on Friday afternoon. She was born July 15, 1894, in Ellisville, Miss.

As a child she moved with her family to Nebraska where she received her education. As a young woman she moved to Montana and was married to John Decker at Polson.

The couple later moved to the Flathead Valley and had lived at Columbia Falls and the Creston area for many years. Mrs. Decker was preceded in death by her husband, John, on Dec. 26, 1970 and by one daughter, Lucille Valentine. She now is survived by two sons, Don Decker of Kalispell and Jack Decker of West Glacier, three daughters,

Dorothy Pierce and Helen Weaver, both of Marathon, Fla. and Joanne Dempsey of Henderson, Ky., seven grandchildren, one brother, John, Gadow of Columbia Falls and several nieces and nephews.

Graveside services for Mrs. Decker will be conducted in the Lonepine Cemetery near Bigfork Tuesday morning with the Rev. Ron Pierce, pastor of the Swan Chapel, officiating. Friends and relatives will meet at the Johnson Chapel at 10 a.m. Tuesday and proceed to the cemetery for services.

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# Joseph Delory, 84

31 Dec 1976

Joseph Delory, 84, of Coram died in Whitefish on Friday evening. He was born Nov. 24, 1892, in Georgetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada. He had received his education and spent his early life in Canada.

On April 12, 1915, he was married to Beatrice Turner in Nelson, B.C. In 1928, he moved to Coram where he built his home and worked as a carpenter in the area since that time.

In 1943, he established a logging business known as Delory and Son Logging which he operated until his retirement in 1956 following the death of his son, Raymond, in a logging accident.

In 1963, he married Bonnie Ward at Hungry Horse and they moved to San Benito, Texas. In 1966, due to ill health, Mr. Delory returned to Coram where he has resided with the Herbert Pearsons.

He was a member of the Assembly of God Church of Hungry Horse. He now is survived by one son, Albert of Trail, B.C., three daughters, Mabel Vaughan of Oliver, B.C., Helen

and Lillian Ferguson of Central Falls, R.I., one sister, Sadie Labiano of Boston, 18 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Services for Mr. Delory will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 2 p.m. Monday with the Rev. Jack MacDonald, pastor of the Assembly of God Church of Hungry Horse officiating. Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

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# Louise Dennis

2 Sept 76

Funeral services for Louise N. Dennis were conducted from the Austin Chapel Friday at 2:00 P.M. with Rev. Donald E. Heinrichs of the Assembly of God Church officiating.

Music was furnished by Al Olson, soloist and Marion Heinrichs, organist.

Casketbearers were: Terry Abell, Art Engelter, Art Colle, Manuel Lamb, Rev. Wayne Masters and Bob Search.

Interment was made in the Whitefish Cemetery.

Mrs. Dennis was born October 18, 1891 in Crow Wing County, Minnesota, the daughter of Nils and Kersten Nelson. She moved with her parents to North Dakota as a small child where she received her early schooling and graduated from nurse's training at Devils Lake, North Dakota, on February 23, 1913. She was one of the first twelve nurses in the United States to enlist in the U.S. Army in World War I.

Upon her honorable discharge in 1919 she came to Whitefish where she married Lonnie T. Dennis, July 20, 1920, and has made her home here since.

Mr. Dennis preceded her in death August 16, 1954.

Mrs. Dennis served as a nurse in the Whitefish Hospital for several years.

Mrs. Dennis died at the Montana Veterans Nursing Home, Wednesday at the age of 84 years.

She was a member of the Assembly of God Church.

She is now survived by one son, Lonnie T. Dennis, Jr. of Halesite, New York; two daughters Mrs. Betty Joy of Whitefish and Mrs. Ronald (Bonnie) Liggett of Fargo, North Dakota; 11 grandchildren; 5 great grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Palmer Bugeth of Penn. North Dakota and Mrs. Chris Rasmussen of Columbia Falls; one brother, George Nelson of Minnewaukan, North Dakota.

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# Victor J. DeMatai, 83

Victor J. DeMatai, 83, who had resided at 595 N. Main St. Kalispell, died Tuesday evening in Whitefish.

Mr. DeMatai was born Nov. 17, 1892 in San Francisco, Calif. He moved to Kalispell four years ago.

He is survived by his widow, Mary, at the family home, one step-daughter, Mrs. B.J. (Mary Lou) Winter of Kalispell, one sister, Mary Arrighi of San Rafael, Calif., one niece and two grandchildren.

Private services will be conducted Thursday and burial in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

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14 June 1976

## Donald L. Dern, 58

Donald L. Dern, 58, who had resided at 416 LaSalle Rd. died in Kalispell Monday morning.

He was born Oct. 5, 1917 in Kalispell. He had received his education in the Kalispell schools and on Oct. 9, 1941, he entered the U.S. Army Air Corps, serving in the medical corps in the Asiatic-Pacific area.

He had received the Purple Heart. He received his honorable discharge on May 24, 1945 as Keesler Field, Miss.

He then was employed as

a meat cutter in Minneapolis, Minn. until 1948, when he returned to the Flathead and had owned and managed the Fairway Grocery in Hungry Horse from 1948 to 1952.

He was employed by the Kalispell City Water Department for 13 years prior to his retirement in 1967 due to ill health.

He was a member of the Disabled American Veterans and was a charter member of the Evergreen Volunteer Fire Department.

On June 10, 1947, he was

married to Margaret Borchardt in Madison, S.D., and now is survived by her at the family home. He also is survived by three daughters, Kay Woodworth of Missoula, Karna Herr of Sioux Falls, S.D. and Carolyn LaRance of Choteau; one brother, John Dern, Jr. of Kalispell; three sisters, Mrs. Herman (Dollie) Rasmussen, Mrs. Manuel (Dorothea) Bauska both of Kalispell and Mrs. George (Isabel) Norman of Big Sky, Montana and several other relatives.

Services for Mr. Dern will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 10:30 a.m. Thursday with the Rev. M.R. Erdmann of the Christian and Missionary Alliance Church officiating. Burial will be in the Glacier Memorial Gardens where military graveside rites will be conducted by the local veterans organizations.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Montana Diabetes Assn. P.O. Box 2088, Great Falls.

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20 Oct. 1976

## William DeSherlia, 91

William J. DeSherlia, 91, died in Whitefish on Wednesday. He was born March 12, 1884, in Hamburg, Ill.

He later moved to Hardin, Ill. where he was employed as a brick layer for a number of years. On March 7, 1911, he was married to Nellie Tavinner at Alton, Ill.

About 31 years ago he moved to Kalispell and has lived at Kalispell and Whitefish since that time.

He now is survived by his

widow, Nellie, at Hardin, Ill.; two sons, Emmett of Hardin and Ray of Houston, Tex.; two daughters, Mrs. Lee (Genevieve) Dudderar of Hardin and Mrs. Sam (Juanita) Flloyd of Pekin, Ill.; twelve grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements for Mr. DeSherlia are incomplete and will be announced later by the Austin Funeral Home.

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## Marion F. Dick, 79

28 Dec 1976

Marion F. Dick, 79, York, Pa., died Dec. 28 at his home.

He was born in Bolton, Miss. and shortly afterward his family moved to Kalispell.

He was graduated from the Warton School of the University of Pennsylvania and Temple Law School. He worked as general counsel and secretary of the York Division of Borg Warner Corp.

He is survived by his widow, Kathleen, and a daughter, Kathleen, both of York.

Services were Dec. 30 in York.

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17 June 1976

# Joyce N. Dirk, 45

Joyce N. Dirk, 45, 526 Lenwood Lane, Kalispell, died Thursday (June 17) in Kalispell Regional Hospital following a brief illness.

Mrs. Dirk was born April 16, 1931 in McIntosh, S.D. and was educated there. On Feb. 5, 1948 she was married to Vitalis Dirk in McIntosh. They lived there until 1958 before moving to Powell, Wyo., where they lived until 1965. They moved to Riverton, Wyo. and to Othello, Wash. in 1965.

Living there six years they moved to Moses Lake, Wash. They moved to Kalispell in November of 1974.

She assisted her husband in the operation of his service station in Moses Lake as well as in the operation of the Main Street Exxon station in Kalispell.

Mrs. Dirk was a member of Our Lady of Fatima Church in Moses Lake and the Eagle's Auxiliary in Kalispell.

Surviving besides the widower at home are six sons, Colin, Brian and Bill Dirk, all in Kalispell; Ted Tacoma, Wash.; Tom Kennewick, Wash.; and Randy, Moses Lake; two daughters, Mrs. Shelley Swink, Moses Lake, and Mrs. Greg (Gwen) Groom, Ft. Knox, Ky.; her mother, Zella Tegge, Shields, N.D.; four brothers, MSG & Gene Tegge, USA, stationed in Nuremberg, Germany; Sgt. Maj. Robert Tegge, USA, Fort Belvoir, Va.; Warren Tegge, Tacoma

and Spec. 4 Roger Tegge, USA, Bamberg, Germany; two sisters, Mrs. Emmanuel (Wanda) Harsche, Shields, S.D., and Mrs. Pius (Emma Lou) Heid, Walker, S.D., and five grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her

father in 1960 in South Dakota. Her body will lie in state in the Weatherford Funeral Home until 9 tonight after which it will be taken to Moses Lake for rosary services at 7 p.m. Sunday and Mass Monday at 10

a.m., both in Our Lady of Fatima Church. Burial will follow in Pioneer Memorial Gardens, Moses Lake. Viewing in Moses Lake will be from 3 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. Sunday in the Chapel of Memories Funeral Home.

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# W. G. Dockum, 81

29 Jan 1976

Col. W. G. Dockum, 81, U.S. Army Ret. died in a Concord, N. H. hospital Jan. 29 after a long illness.

He was buried with military honors in Arlington National Cemetery Tuesday.

Col. Dockum, a former resident of the East Shore was born in New Hampshire May 28, 1894. He was a career U.S. Army

officer, serving as a battle commander in both World War I and World War 2.

After retirement he was active in local civic affairs, outdoor sports and travel.

He was a 50-year Mason, 32° Scottish Rite Shriner (Bagdad Temple, Butte, Mont.) and charter member of Salish Shrine Club of Polson.

His wife, Ardene, and a son, Donald G., retired U.S. Navy captain, preceded him in death. Col. Dockum is survived by son Norman L., a science professor at the University of Nebraska and two grandsons, all of Lincoln, Neb.

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# Parker Dodge, 81

3 May 1976

A former Kila resident, Parker Dodge, 81, died early Monday morning in

Browning where he was a resident.

Funeral services for Mr. Dodge were 2 p.m. today in Browning with burial in the Dupuyer Cemetery. The family suggests memorials be made to the Blackfeet Nursing Home.

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7 June 1976

# Della Dodson, 93

Mrs. Della Dodson, 93, of Kalispell died in Whitefish Monday evening.

She was born Nov. 29, 1882, in Corning, Iowa, a daughter of William Valentine and Hannah Elizabeth Kennick. She had received her education in Iowa and in 1901, she was married to Alva Dodson in Des Moines, Iowa.

They later moved to Nebraska for a short time and in 1905, they moved to Spokane, Wash. In 1925 they moved to Kalispell where they continued to make their home.

Mrs. Dodson was a member of the Central Christian Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Alva, on Jan. 18, 1948 and by one granddaughter, Virginia Ufford Herzog in 1953.

She now is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Clarence (Neva) Ufford of Kalispell and Mrs. Harold (Mildred) Gerhard of Medford, Ore.; a granddaughter, Mrs. Paul (Patricia) Haag of Kalispell; four great-granddaughters and one great-great-grandson.

Funeral arrangements for Mrs. Dodson are incomplete and will be announced later by the Johnson Funeral Home.

Graveside rites for Mrs. Della Dodson will be conducted in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery at 11 a.m. Thursday with the Rev. J. Torrance Harvey of the Lakeside Chapel of-

ficiating. Friends will meet at the Conrad Johnson Chapel before going to the cemetery. Mrs. Dodson, 93, died in Whitefish Monday

27 Aug 1976  
Gurna M. Dortch, 81, Star Route, Marion, died Friday in the Kalispell Regional Hospital. She was a long-time Pleasant Valley resident. Born Mar. 29, 1895 in Tilsburg, Ont. Canada, daughter of George and Gladys Butler. Mrs. Dortch later married Omer Edward Dortch in Spokane in 1921, after which they moved to Marion and homesteaded. Mr. Dortch died here in 1960. She was raised a Methodist. Surviving are two sisters, Lena Sow and Beulah Woltering, both of Spokane, and numerous nieces and nephews. Funeral services were 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Weatherford Funeral Home with the Rev. Chauncey Biffle officiating. Burial was in Conrad Memorial Cemetery. The family suggests memorials to the Shodair Crippled Children's Hospital, 840 Helena Ave., Helena, MT 59601.

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# Jacqueline L. Downey, 7

TROY — Jacqueline L. Downey, 7, died Friday afternoon as a result of car pedestrian accident south of Troy.

She was born March 20, 1969 in Bonners Ferry, Idaho. She had lived in Troy all her life and had attended Troy public schools.

She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Downey of Troy; three sisters,

Shannon, Sherri and Rogene, all of Troy; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Aldrich of Troy, and a paternal grandmother, Mrs. Pearl Countryman of Addy, Wash.

Graveside services will be 2:30 p.m. Monday at Milnor Lake Cemetery with Vial Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.



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## APR 1976 Leonard Doxtater, 67

**LIBBY** — Leonard W. Doxtater, 67, of Libby died Sunday.

He was born Oct. 9, 1908, in Great Falls. He attended schools in Havre and graduated from Whitefish High School in 1927. He married Louise Luding Aug. 20, 1933, in Spokane, Wash.

The couple moved to Libby in 1937. Mr. Doxtater worked for the Great Northern Railroad and later owned and operated the Libby Transfer Co. Mr. Doxtater also worked for the Zonolite Co. in Libby and for the St. Regis Lumber Co. He retired in 1972.

Survivors include his widow, Louise, Libby; two sons, Ken, Whitefish, and Jim, Havre; one brother, Homer, Corvallis, Ore.; two sisters, Vonazell Hamilton, Las Vegas, Nev., and Evelyn Petry, Lafayette, Calif., and three grandsons.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Libby First Presbyterian Church with Rev. Wilford Luce officiating. Burial will be in the City of Libby Cemetery with Vial Funeral Home in charge.

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## Frank S. Donich, 60

11 Dec 1976  
Frank S. Donich, 60, who had resided at 287-5th Ave. W.N., died in Kalispell Saturday afternoon.

He was born Dec. 26, 1915, in Anaconda, a son of George and Mathilda Donich.

He had received his education there and on Oct. 17, 1938, he was married to Eleanor Richards in Anaconda.

He was employed at the smelter in Anaconda until 1944, when he moved to Kalispell where he worked with the Kalispell Heating and Plumbing for many years.

In 1971 he established his own firm, Frank's Heating and Plumbing which he operated until retiring due to ill health.

Mr. Donich was of the Catholic faith. He was a member of the Kalispell Eagles Lodge.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother, John, and now is survived by his widow, Eleanor at the family home; one son, Dr. Terry Donich of Livermore Calif.; one grandson, Damon Donich; two brothers, George and Walter Donich both of Anaconda; three sisters, Mrs. Ed (Helen) Clark, Mrs. John (Emma) Pipinich and Mrs. Joe (Ruby) Mihelic all of Anaconda and a number of nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Services for Mr. Donich will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday with the Rev. Bruce Plummer of St. Matthew's Catholic Church officiating. Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

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## APR 1976 Helen Draeger

Mrs. Helen E. Draeger, 54, who had resided at 1319-3rd St., Whitefish, died in Whitefish Sunday morning, April 4.

She was born Oct. 13, 1921, in Whitefish, a daughter of Charles and Jemima O'Donnell. She had received her early education in Whitefish and in 1929 she moved to Havre with her parents and graduated from Havre High School in 1940.

She then was employed by the Great Northern Railroad and the Telephone Company at Havre for several years.

On Nov. 27, 1943, she was married to Paul Draeger in Havre. In 1955, the couple moved to Whitefish from

Miles City and have resided there since that time.

Mrs. Draeger was a member of the St. Charles Catholic Church.

She now is survived by her widower, Paul, at home; two sons, Tom Draeger of Whitefish, and David Draeger at home; four brothers, Robert O'Donnell of Billings, Patrick O'Donnell of Tacoma, Wash., Richard O'Donnell of Great Falls, and Walter O'Donnell of Des Moines, Iowa; two sisters, Mrs. Gene (Jemima) Brennan and Mrs. Will (Mary) Johnson both of Great Falls.

She was preceded in death by her father in 1952; her mother in 1972; a sister, Louise, in 1926 and a brother, Charles, in 1975.

Rosary for Mrs. Draeger was recited in the Austin Chapel at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Mass of the Resurrection was celebrated in St. Charles Catholic Church at 10 a.m., Wednesday, with the Rev. John F. Cronin as Celebrant.

Casketbearers were: Jack Collins, Richard Gustafson, Duane Hartman, Dr. Jerry Johnson, Art LaBrie, and Jess Wilcomb.

Burial was made in the Whitefish Cemetery.

Memorials to the North Valley Hospital Fund have been suggested.

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## Bessie Drake, 86

17 Nov 1976

Bessie H. Drake, 86, died in Kalispell Wednesday morning. She was born Jan. 16, 1890, in Hanover Ill. She later moved to Scobey where she homesteaded before moving to Kalispell.

On Dec. 23, 1941, she was married to C.C. Drake in Kalispell. In 1944, they

moved to Missoula. In May of this year, Mrs. Drake returned to Kalispell where she had since resided. She was preceded in death by her husband on Sept. 20, 1970. She was a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church.

She now is survived by one son, Arvin "Andy" Anderson of Kalispell; one grandson, Douglas Anderson and three great-grandchildren.

Services for Mrs. Drake will be conducted in the Squire - Simmons - Carr Funeral Home in Missoula 3 p.m. Friday. Burial will be in the Sunset Memorial Gardens in Missoula.

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## Emma K. Driear

**LIBBY** — Emma K. Driear, 84 of Libby died Wednesday morning in the Libby hospital. She was born Jan. 12, 1892, at Fort Collins, Colo.

She married Ed J. Driear April 27, 1910, in Fort Collins. They came to Libby in 1924. She was a member of the Libby Women's Club, Order of Eastern Star, the Episcopal Church and Libby Pioneer Society.

Survivors include her widower, Ed, Libby; a son, George, Libby; a daughter, Lois Brown, Libby; two foster sons, Milo Miller, Libby, and James R. Young, Appleton, Wis.; three grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 2 p.m. in the Vial Funeral Home in Libby with Rev. Robert Gregory officiating. Burial will be in the City of Libby Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Heart Fund.

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# Alpha K. Dundas, 77 D-6 FEB 1976

Alpha K. Dundas, 77, of Bigfork died in Fredricksburg, Va. on Friday. She is survived by her husband, Ronald T. Dundas, of Bigfork, two sons, Robert K. Dundas of Lake of the Woods, Orange County, Va. and R. Thomas Dundas of Helena, three brothers, Burton Kiefer

and Loren Kiefer both of Spokane and Louis Kiefer of Deer Lodge and six grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mrs. Dundas will be 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Johnson Chapel with burial to follow in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

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## Charles Dunne

Word has been received of the death of Charles Dunne, 78, of Thompson Falls. He died Sunday, March 14, in Missoula. He was the father of John Dunne of Whitefish.

Mr. Dunne was born July 17, 1897 at Billings, where he received his formal education. He had been a Montana resident all his life, and a resident of Thompson Falls for the past six years. He married Alice Sloan in Butte on August 31, 1929. He was employed with Texaco, Inc. as an accountant for 12 years, and worked for the Deer Lodge Chamber of Commerce and the state hospital at Warm Springs.

He served in the U.S. Army during World War I, and belonged to Barracks 835, World War I Veterans, the A.A.R.P. and the Senior Citizens of Thompson Falls.

Survivors include his wife, Thompson Falls; three sons, John of Whitefish, Charles, Jr. in New York, and Joseph Lonney of Butte; two daughters, Mrs. Marrian Kinney, Missoula, and Mrs. Alice J. Kingsbury in Washington; 15 grandchildren, and five great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday in Missoula with burial in Missoula City Cemetery with Barracks 835, World War I Veterans, providing an Honor Guard.

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## Leon Duval, 84 D-24 FEB 1976

Leon Duval, 84, a former Kalispell resident, died Friday in Fargo, N.D.

Mr. Duval was born there April 12, 1892. He moved with his family to Kalispell in 1947 and resided here until 1973 at which time he returned to Fargo.

Mr. Duval was employed as a carpenter for several years and was a member of Carpenters Local 911. Also prior to his retirement he

was employed at Kalispell General Hospital for five years as a boilerman. Mr. Duval was a member of St. Matthew's Catholic Church.

He is survived by his widow, Anita, Fargo, N.D.; six daughters, Mrs. Roland (Cecilia) Richard, Fargo, Mrs. Brent (Beatrice) Jensen, Salt Lake City, Utah, Mrs. Richard (Rose Marie) Gordon, Big Piney, Wyo., Mrs. Roscoe (Mary Ann) Gary, Redding, Calif.

Mrs. E.D. (Joan) Slyter, Kalispell, and Mrs. Don (Sally) Hall of Kalispell, four sons, Lee Duval, Clarkston, Wash., Clarence Duval, Helena, David Duval and James Duval, both of Kalispell.

Services for Mr. Duval will be Wednesday in Fargo.