

DI 31 JAN 1977

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R.D. 'Bud' Gaffaney, 71

R.D. "Bud" Gaffaney, 71, died Monday at his home at 6077 Highway #2 East, Columbia Falls. He was born Sept. 6, 1905, in Appleton, Wis.

He had spent his early life in Appleton and when he was 12 years of age, he moved with his family to Lake Five, West Glacier, where the family homesteaded.

Mr. Gaffaney had been a carpenter in the Flathead Valley until 1956, when he moved to Baker, Ore. He returned to the Flathead in 1967 following his retirement.

He had been a member

of the Central Christian Church and the Trinity Masonic Lodge #152 AF&AM.

On May 17, 1934, he was married to Mildred Hines in Kalispell and now is survived by her at the family home. He also is survived by two daughters, Shirley Amundson of Kalispell and Sanera Gullings of Colville, Wash.; four grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; one brother, Dean Gaffaney of Kalispell; one sister, Doris Roberts of Spokane, and a

number of nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Services for Mr. Gaffaney will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel 2 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. Everett Cecil, pastor of the Central Christian Church officiating. Ritualistic Masonic rites will be conducted with Mr. Bill Brass, acting Worshipful Master.

Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery. The family suggest memorials be made to the Heart Fund.

DI 28 JAN 1977

GARDING, Jeanette Elaine, 3-day-old infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Garding, 58 W. Cottonwood Dr. #10, died Friday. Graveside services 11 a.m. Monday, Conrad Memorial Cemetery. Friends meet at Weatherford Funeral Home before going to cemetery.

DI 12 MAY 1977

Edna Garr, 64

12 May 1977

Edna Garr, 64, of Kalispell died in Whitefish Thursday morning. She was born Aug. 10, 1912, in North Platte, Neb.

She had spent her early life in Nebraska and Cheyenne, Wyo., and in 1927, she moved to the Flathead Valley where she had resided since that time. On May 21, 1941, she married Myron Garr in

Polson and was preceded in death by him in February 1970.

She now is survived by four daughters, Bertha Louise Hall and Geraldine J. Cardin both of Kalispell, Marcella Mae Salas of Council Bluffs, Iowa and Miki McIntyre of Jacksonville, Fla. her mother, Mrs. Florence Warner of Cheyenne, Wyo., one brother, Earnest Warner

of Cheyenne; one sister, Maude York of Eaton, Colo. twelve grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Services for Mrs. Garr will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 2 p.m. Saturday with the Rev. Ralph Werner, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Columbia Falls officiating. Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

GARR, Edna, 64
Kalispell. Died Thursday. Funeral services 2 p.m. Saturday in Johnson Chapel. Burial in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

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X 11 Oct. 1977

Loren Garrett, 62

11 Oct 1977

TROY — Loren Garrett, 62, died Tuesday in Troy.

He was born Oct. 30, 1914 in Elmwood, Okla., and came to Troy in March 1950 from Colorado, where he had been employed with the Army Corps of Engineers.

He had worked in Libby as a mechanic for Jaqueth's, Inc., and later had been employed by W.R. Grace & Co. until ill health forced his retirement in 1966.

He married Ruby Priest March 2, 1948, in Great Falls. He had been a veteran of World War II.

He was lifetime member of the Troy VFW and also had been a member of the American Legion in Libby.

Survivors include his widow, Ruby, of Troy, one

son, Steve of Havre; a daughter, Maxine Foote of Everett, Wash.; three stepdaughters, Pauline Wilson of Juliatta, Idaho, Ann Blankenship of Woodland, Calif., and Alice Pederson of Clifton, Colo.; one brother, Melvin of Forgan, Okla., and 11 grandchildren.

Graveside services will be held Friday at 2:30 p.m. at Milner Lake Cemetery. Pastor Orville Forrest of the Troy Assembly of God church will officiate.

Military graveside honors will be provided by local veterans' organizations.

Vial Funeral Home in Libby is in charge of arrangements.

X 25 July 1977

Holda Gehrke, 84

25 July 1977

LIBBY — Holda Gehrke, 84, of Libby died Monday in Libby.

She was born Dec. 26, 1892, at Seward, Neb. and married Robert Gehrke, Oct. 15, 1913 at Merrill, Wis. The couple moved to Libby in 1914.

Mrs. Gehrke was a Sunday school teacher for many years and a member of the Ladies Aid and the Methodist Church.

Survivors include a son, Paul, Libby, a daughter, Gretchen, Santa Rosa, Calif., five sisters,

Lucinda Voegel, Tuscon, Ariz., Clara Kufhal and Lena Schultz, Merrill, Ida Roehrkasse, Williamsburg, Iowa and Dorathea Leibrock, California; a brother, Paul Voegel, Lock Port, Ill., four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday in the Vial Funeral Home with the Rev. Wilford Luce officiating. Burial will be in the City of Libby Cemetery.

X 2 DEC. 1977

Clifford Giese, 60

2 Dec 1977

LIBBY — Clifford N. Giese, 60, died Friday at his home in Eureka.

He was born at Sunburst, where he was raised and received his education before moving to Kalispell.

He had lived in Kalispell and also in Orofino, Idaho, coming to Eureka in 1969. He had been a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include two daughters, Anna Marie and Beverly Jean. Three brothers, Roland, Kalispell, Fritz, Libby, and Durward, Clarkia, Idaho. Three sisters, Betty Stubbs, Libby, Dorothy Kickinson, Spokane, Wash., and Altona West, Piedmont, Ala.

Military graveside services will be conducted Thursday at 2 p.m. at the City of Libby Cemetery. Vial Funeral Home, Libby, is in charge of arrangements.

DI 11 Nov 1977

Terry V. Gebhardt, infant

11 Nov 1977

Graveside services for Terry V. Gebhardt, 16-month-old son of LeVerne and Brenda Gail Gebhardt, were conducted today at the Conrad Memorial Cemetery with Craig Dahl of the Jehovah's Witnesses officiating.

Terry died in a home accident Friday while visiting relatives in Hooks, Texas. Terry was born July 9, 1976,

in Kalispell.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. LeVerne Gebhardt, at home at 605 Stillwater Road; his grandparents, David and Jean George of Hooks, Texas, Ernest and Hildegard Gebhardt in North Dakota and Bill Cannon and a number of other relatives.

DI 17 JUNE 1977

Lysle Gelineau, 63

17 June 1977

Lysle Gelineau, 63, of Creston, died at his home on Friday evening.

He was born Feb. 13, 1914 in Duluth, Minn., a son of John and Amanda Gelineau. When he was 15 years of age he moved to the West Coast, living at Astoria, Ore.

He later moved to the Seattle, Wash. area.

Mr. Gelineau was a chief marine engineer and had been employed by the State

of Alaska at the time of his death. He was a member of the Marine Engineers Union.

On Feb. 23, 1966, he was married to Ethel McMannamy in Juneau, Alaska, and now is survived by her at the family home in Creston.

He also is survived by two sons, Patrick Gelineau of Fairfield, Calif., and Lemuel Gelineau of Caldwell, Idaho; one

stepson, Warren McMannamy of San Diego, Calif.; one brother, John Gelineau of Seattle, Wash.; six grandchildren and several other relatives.

Services for Mr. Gelineau will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 2 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. H. Peder Waldum of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church officiating. Burial will be in the Glacier Memorial Gardens.

DI 25 MAY 1977

25 May 1977

Dewey Getchell, 78

Dewey Getchell, 78, died at the Montana Veterans Home in Columbia Falls Wednesday.

He was born Sept. 25, 1898, in Climax, Minn., a son of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Getchell. In 1900, they moved to Kalispell and in 1910, he moved to Columbia Falls where he attended school.

In 1915, he entered the U.S. Army where he

served on the destroyer to sink the first German submarine during World War I.

He then lived in California and Seattle, Wash. where he was employed as a painter.

In 1943, he moved to Great Falls with his sister, Mrs. Doris Laurensen, until entering the Veterans Home in 1972.

Services for Mr. Getchell

will be in the Montana Veterans Home Chapel at 10:30 a.m. Friday with the Rev. Dan Clark, of the United Methodist Church officiating. Burial will be in the Veterans Home Cemetery where military graveside rites will be conducted by the local veterans organizations.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Van Leuven Funeral Home.

DI 29 Aug. 1977

Leonard Gembala, 54

29 Aug. 1977

Leonard Gembala, 54, of Bigfork, died at the Veterans Hospital in Fort Harrison early Monday morning.

He was born March 15, 1923, in Loup City, Neb., a son of John and Agnes Gembala. He had received his education in Nebraska having graduated from high school at Ashton, Neb. He had served in the U.S. Army during World War II.

On April 20, 1954, he was married to Ilene McCarville at Loup City, Neb. The couple engaged in farming there until 1956, when they moved to Bigfork, and have resided there since that time.

Gembala was a self-employed logger. He was a member of the St. Catherine's Catholic Church of Bigfork and the Ferndale Fire Department.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother, John.

He is now survived by his

widow, Ilene, at home; one son, Terence, one daughter, Katherine Denningson; and one granddaughter, Daphne, all of Bigfork; four brothers, Alphonse of Pullman, Wash., Leo of Chapman, Neb., Alvin of Wood River, Neb. and Clarence of Bigfork; four sisters, Emily Hutchins of Nampa, Idaho, Dorothy Prater of Cambridge, Neb., Blanche Baggett of Meridian, Idaho and Lorraine Gembala of Canyon City, Colo.; and many nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Rosary for Mr. Gembala will be recited in the Johnson Chapel at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Mass of the Resurrection will be celebrated in St. Catherine's Catholic Church in Bigfork at 10 a.m. Thursday with the Rev. Father William Morley as celebrant.

Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

DI 28 APRIL 1977

Helen Gibb, 86

28 Apr. 1977

WEST GLACIER — A retired West Glacier postmaster, Helen Gibb, died Thursday in Phoenix, Ariz.

where she resided during the winter. Mrs. Gibb was born Jan. 21, 1891 in St. Paul, Minn. In 1917 she married Ranger Walter Gibb of Glacier National Park. He later became assistant chief ranger retiring in 1929. He preceded her in death in 1947.

Mrs. Gibb served as postmaster at West Glacier from 1931 until she retired in 1962.

She now is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Jess (Helen) Whitney of Whitefish.

Cremated remains will be brought to Conrad Memorial Cemetery at a later date. The family suggests no flowers or memorials.

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Samuel Gibson 10541977

KALISPELLE — Samuel C. Gibson, 72, of Kalispell died in Kalispell Regional Hospital Saturday morning.

He was born Feb. 6, 1905, in Spiceland, Ind. In 1908 he moved to Chinook, and in 1922 he moved to the Flathead Valley, where he was employed by the Ford Motor Co. until 1942. From then until his retirement in 1970 he worked for the U.S. Forest Service. He was a heavy duty mechanic.

In 1925 Mr. Gibson married Lucy Greig in Kalispell. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Lucy; two brothers, Robert and Choteau, and three sisters, Reba Bergan, LaVaughn Croskrey and Ivanette Grandy, all of Kalispell.

Funeral services will be in the Johnson Chapel at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday with the Rev. Wil-

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D-June 11-13

Milo Gordon 14-77

Graveside services for Milo E. Gordon, 66, Whitefish, were held Tuesday at Conrad Cemetery with Dr. David Kauffman of the Christian Church officiating.

Mr. Gordon died in Whitefish Saturday. He was born April 3, 1911 in Chetick, Wis. He was a veteran of World War II. After his discharge he lived at Conrad, where he worked as a carpenter. In 1960 he moved to Whitefish.

Survivors include seven brothers, Royal and Richard, Whitefish, Donald, Waukesha, Wis.; Jack, Indianapolis, Inc., George and Robert, both Eau Claire, Wis.; Tom, Kelso, Wash.; two sister, Gladys Thalacker, Chetek, Wis., and Helen Cronick, Tomah, Wis.

X 14 JUNE 1977

Robert Gibney, 52

14 June 1977

GREAT FALLS — Robert G. "Gerry" Gibney, 52, died here Tuesday.

He was a self-employed house painter and had been ill for several months.

The Rosary was Wednesday and services Thursday at Our Lady of Lourdes Church in Great Falls. Burial was in Mount Olivet Cemetery in the veterans section.

Gibney went to Great Falls about 1965 from Kalispell where he worked for a number of years. He was born in Scobey and after graduation from high school, went to Twin Falls, Idaho.

He worked at a grocery store there until moving to Kalispell with his mother, Margaret Gibney. She preceded him in death in 1972. He also was preceded in death by his father, four sisters and one brother.

Survivors include two

sons, John of Great Falls and Timothy of El Paso, Tex.; one brother, Ray Gibney of Kalispell; two grandchildren and eight nieces and nephews.

X 13 JUNE 1977

D-June 13 - B-June 17-77

Vernon Gilham

Graveside rites for Vernon Gilham, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Gilham, Browning, former Martin City residents, will be held at Woodlawn Cemetery Friday 1 p.m.

Services for the youth were held Thursday 2 p.m. at the Presbyterian Church, Cut Bank. He died in Browning Monday as a result of a brain tumor — cancer.

Survivors in addition to his parents are two brothers, Gary and Douglas and a sister, Rebecca, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russ Baeth, Martin City, and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Gilham, Browning.

He was born Oct. 8, 1958 in Kalispell.

DI 1 DEC. 1977

John E. Gibson, 73

1 Dec 1977

EUREKA — John E. Gibson, 73, died Thursday in his home in Eureka.

He was born July 5, 1904 at Reelsville, Ind. He was raised in Canada, later moving to Oregon, then to Havre.

He married Mollie Flagett Feb. 8, 1930 at Shelby. The couple lived at Milk River near Cut Bank where he was engaged in farming.

In 1946 they moved to Eureka where he was deputy sheriff for Lincoln County. They moved to Spokane in 1960 and later to Seattle where he worked as a security guard. They came back to Eureka in 1967 where he was employed by the Montana Fish and Game Department and later by the Lincoln County Assessor's Office.

He had been a member of the Eureka Senior Citizens Center.

Survivors include his wife, Mollie, Eureka; three sons: Edwin, Auburn, Wash., George, Eureka, and Donald, Anchorage, Alaska; two daughters: Sylvia Bronson, Eureka, and Marjorie Ann Gibson, Auburn, Wash.; two brothers: James, Spokane, and George, Havre; four sisters: Lulu Belle Benter, Havre, Kathryn Durkee, Hingham, and Mary Miltz, Milwaukee, Wis., and Dorothy Childes, Libby.

He is also survived by 22 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Services will be Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Church of God with Rev. Don Wells officiating. Burial will follow in Tobacco Valley Cemetery. Vial Funeral Home, Eureka, is in charge of arrangements.

DI 3 JUNE 1977

Jesse L. Gilmore, 78

3 June 1977

Jesse L. Gilmore, 78, who had resided at 113-3rd Ave. E., died in Kalispell Friday morning. He was born May 24, 1899, in Havana, Kan.

He had spent his early life in Kansas and in 1938, he moved to California. He had been employed in construction work in oil fields at various locations.

In 1964, he moved to Polson until 1971, when he moved to Kalispell and had resided there since that time. He was of the Christian Faith and was a member of the Kalispell Senior Citizens.

On Oct. 29, 1921, he was married to Cecil L. Henderson at Bartlesville, Okla. and was preceded in death by her on Aug. 19, 1966.

On May 21, 1971, he married Grace Anderson in Coeur d' Alene, Idaho and now is survived by her at the family

home. He also is survived by one son, Robert Lee Gilmore of Federal Way, Wash.; one daughter, Lola Mae Hevener of Hemet, Calif.; four step-children, Lewis Anderson of Billings, Donna Pacheco of Layton, Utah, Doris Handford and Phyllis Clark both of Kalispell; three sisters, Minnie Moore of Winston-Salem, N.C., Pearl Steele of Caney, Kan. and Flora Angele of Joplin, Mo.; five grandchildren; eleven great-grandchildren, many nieces, nephews and other relatives. Services for Mr. Gilmore will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 1 p.m. Monday with the Rev. Everett Cecil, pastor of the Central Christian Church officiating.

Burial will be made in the Lakeview Cemetery at Polson at 2:30 p.m. Monday. The family suggest memorials be made to the cancer fund.

DI 11 DEC 1977

Orville Gilmore, 67

11 Dec 1977

Orville Lloyd Gilmore, 67, died Sunday in Golden-Portland, Ore. He later moved to Goldendale, Wash. and worked there as a plumber until his retirement in 1972.

He was born March 24, 1910, in Potlatch, Idaho, the son of John H. and Anna B. Gilmore. The family moved first to Great Falls and later to Whitefish, where Mr. Gilmore was graduated from Whitefish High School in 1928.

On Jan. 15, 1934, he married Louise Adams. He worked for the Great Northern Railroad in Whitefish for a number of years before moving to Goldendale.

He was preceded in death by one brother, Marion F. Gilmore, and his parents. Services are pending in Goldendale.

He later moved to Goldendale, Wash. and worked there as a plumber until his retirement in 1972. Mr. Gilmore is survived by one son, Charles, San Luis Obispo, Calif.; two sisters, Jessie A. Stephens, Whitefish, and Ethel Honshell, Spokane, Wash.; and one brother, Arnold, San Jose, Calif.

DI 11 JUNE 1977

William Goldizen, 50

11 June 1977

William G. Goldizen Jr., 50, who had resided at 136 Caroline Road, died in Kalispell Saturday evening.

He was born Aug. 6, 1926, in Kalispell, a son of William and Edna Goldizen. He had attended Kalispell schools and was a graduate of Flathead County High School in 1944.

He then entered the U.S. Army where he served until receiving his honorable discharge in 1946. He had returned to the Flathead and was employed with the Ford Agency for 34 years. He was parts manager for Rygg Ford at the time of his death.

Mr. Goldizen was a member of the Central Christian Church.

He was preceded in

death by his father in 1960.

On May 29, 1947, he was married to Eva Jo Mason in Kalispell and is now survived by her at the family home.

He also is survived by one daughter, Cynthia Goldizen, at home, his mother, Edna Goldizen of Kalispell, and several other relatives.

Services for Mr. Goldizen will be in the Johnson Chapel at 11 a.m. Tuesday with the Rev. Everett Cecil of the Central Christian Church officiating. Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Central Christian Church or to the Cancer Fund.

X 15 SEPT. 1977

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Anne H. Gooselaw

LIBBY — Funeral services for Anne H. Gooselaw, 80, formerly of Libby, will be Monday at 2 p.m. in the First Presbyterian Church in Libby with the Rev. Wilburt Luce officiating. Mrs. Gooselaw died Thursday as the result of a car accident near Libby.

She was born Dec. 19, 1896, in Northcote, Minn. She married Fred Gooselaw on Nov. 20, 1917, in Hallock, Minn.

They came to Libby in 1923. Mr. Gooselaw died in 1943, and Mrs. Gooselaw moved to Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, in 1968.

During World War II, she worked in the office of rationing, and after the war she was a housemother at the Sigma Kappa sorority at the University of Montana.

She was a member of the Presbyterian Church and Circle Four. She also was a member of the Eastern Star of the Rebekah Lodge.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Miriam Daugharty, Coeur d'Alene, and Mrs. Pat Brommer, Spokane, Wash., a son, Pershing Gooselaw, Galesburg, Ill., two sisters, Mrs. Len Sylvester, Thief River Falls, Minn., and Mrs. Garfield Easter, Lake George, Minn., nine grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Burial in the City of Libby Cemetery will follow the services. Memorials may be made to the First Presbyterian Church in Libby. Vial Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

X 15 MAR. 1977

Henry A. Granger, 78

15 MAR. 1977

EUREKA — Henry A. Granger, 78, died Tuesday in Spokane. He was born Oct. 14, 1898 in Frenchtown. He moved to Lambert as a child where he grew up.

He married Idell Quilling May 9, 1922 in Sidney. They later moved to Hardin and also lived in Washington and Idaho before coming to Eureka in 1941.

He was employed in construction work until his retirement in 1965.

Afterwards he worked for Glen Lake Irrigation District and the Albee Mill in Eureka.

Survivors include his widow, Idell of Eureka; one daughter, Betty Granger of Spokane; three sisters, Anna Hales and Hilda Granger both of Tigert, Ore. and Lea Clark of Enumclaw, Wash., one brother, Willy of Kelso, Wash.

Mass of the Resurrection will be celebrated 10 a.m. Thursday at Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church in Eureka with Father Wilson Smart as celebrant.

Burial will follow in Tobacco Hill Cemetery.

DI 28 FEB 1977

Maude Goodhue, 88

Maude Goodhue, 88, of Somers died March 1, 1977 at the Bigfork Convalescent Home. She had made her home with her sister and brother-in-law, Katherine and Vernon MacDonell.

She was born Aug. 24, 1888, at Lima Center, Wis. and spent her early years there. She was a graduate of Valparaiso University and later earned an advanced degree from the University of Chicago.

She is survived by three sisters, Dr. Lolita Goodhue of San Francisco, Frances C. Loder of Salt Lake City and Katherine G. MacDonel of Somers, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Her body was cremated and future interment and memorial services are planned in Whitewater, Wis.

She was a ceramist and also enjoyed painting and needlework. She also traveled extensively.

She was a teacher and a scholarship fund for Miss Goodhue is being established in her memory.

DI 10 SEPT 1977

Nina Grant, 63

ARLINGTON, Ore. — Carson City, Nev.; three Services were held today daughters, Carol Eaton of for Mrs. Nina Grant, 63, North Bend, Ore., Nadine who died in Reno, Nev., House of Carson City, Saturday morning follow- Nev. and Loretta Kriege ing a lingering illness. of Bend, Ore., one brother, Harold Jones of Kalispell;

She was born Aug. 15, 1914, in Kalispell, the daughter of Frank and Margaret Jones. She received her education in Kalispell, graduating from Flathead High School.

Services for Mrs. Grant were conducted in the Methodist Church in Arlington, Ore. Burial followed in the Arlington Cemetery.

On March 29, 1941, she married Roy Grant in Kalispell. The couple lived in Kalispell for awhile afterward, and later moved to Arlington, Ore., where they resided until their recent move to Carson City, Nev.

Mrs. Grant was preceded in death by her parents and two sons. She is survived by her widower, Roy of

DI 28 JUNE 1977

George Hamilton Grace, 64

George Hamilton Grace, 64, of 149 LaSalle Rd. died in Kalispell Regional Hospital Tuesday morning. He was a machinist.

Mr. Grace was born April 26, 1913, in Hawkehurst, Sask. Can., the son of Theodore and Lucy Grace.

He moved with his family to the United States and

returned to Canada in 1928. He worked as a machinist in Rock Glen, Sask. many years.

In 1941 he married Margaret Engel in Winnipeg, Man. The couple moved to Kalispell in 1952 and had lived at their LaSalle address since that time.

He was employed by Rolie's Machine Shop for

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23 years

Surviving, besides his widow at home are three sons, Barry, Columbia Falls, Greg and Brian at home, his daughter, Mrs. Robert (Shelia) Daniels, Everett, Wash., two granddaughters, Lisa and Kelly Daniels; his sister, Mrs. Ernest Schafer of Rock Glen, Sask.; two nephews and one niece. He

was preceded in death by his parents.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday in the Weatherford Funeral Home with the Rev. Chauncey Biffle of the Epworth United Methodist Church officiating. Burial will follow in Conrad Memorial Cemetery. The family suggests memorials to the Heart Fund.

DI 6 JAN 1977

6 Jan 1977

Beryl R. Greene, 88

Beryl R. (Bob) Greene, 88, 330 2nd St. E., died Thursday morning in the Montana Veteran's Home in Columbia Falls.

GREENE, Beryl R. (Bob), 88, 330-2nd St. E., died Thursday. Services, 2 p.m. Monday in the Weatherford Funeral Home. Burial, with military rites, Glacier Memorial Gardens.

WEATHERFORD FUNERAL HOME

Mr. Greene was born April 6, 1888 in Clinton, Ill. He attended schools there. He served overseas in the Army during World War I. Following the war he moved to Glasgow, and farmed there many years.

Mr. Greene married Cecelia E. Dargatz in Glasgow on Nov. 28, 1923. He was a construction worker on the Fort Peck Dam and later moved to Fairfield where he farmed 12 years. After selling the farm they moved to Martin City and to Kalispell in November of 1969. He had

been a member of the Senior Citizens in Kalispell.

Surviving are his widow, Cecelia E. Greene, Kalispell; one niece and several cousins. He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother and two sisters.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday in the Weatherford Funeral Home with the Rev. Dr. Odin A. Baugh, of First Presbyterian Church officiating. Burial, with military honors by local veterans, will be in Glacier Memorial Gardens.

DI 2 JAN 1977

2 Jan 1977

Mabel Jane Greer, 80

Mrs. Mabel Jane Greer, 80, of Whitefish, died in Whitefish on Sunday evening.

She was born June 3, 1896, in Winsted, Minn., a daughter of Stafford and Lena Meek. When she was 10 years of age, she moved with her family to Scobey and later moved to Plen-

tywood, where she served as deputy county auditor.

She then moved to Froid and in 1934, she moved to Whitefish where she has since resided.

On April 2, 1934, she was married to Truax Greer in Spokane, Wash. Mr. Greer was Whitefish city attorney for a number of years and preceded her in

death in 1951. Mrs. Greer was of the Presbyterian faith.

She now is survived by a brother, Lowell Gilmer of Eugene, Ore.

The body is being forwarded by the Austin Funeral Home to Eugene, Ore. where services and burial will be held later in the week.

H.H.U. 18 SEPT. 1977

Robert J. Grondin

18 Sept. 1977
Robert J. Grondin, 43, former Columbia Falls resident, died of a heart attack Sunday at a Kellogg (Idaho) hospital. He was employed as a miner and lived at nearby Smelterville. Funeral services and burial took place in Idaho.

Mr. Grondin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grondin, Columbia Falls, was born Jan. 28, 1934 in Bemidji, Minn. The family moved to Columbia Falls in 1953. He'd joined the Marines in 1965 and served in Korea.

On his return from service he was employed at Plum Creek Lumber Co. before moving to Idaho.

Survivors are his wife, Sharon, a daughter Toni Jo, five stepchildren: Pam; Jackie, Kim, Sue, Bruce.

Also surviving are his parents: a brother Gordon, Kent, Wash., and two sisters: Mrs. Robert (Geneva) Reff, Jamestown, N.D. and Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, Westminster, Colo.

X 7 Aug. 1977

Frederick J. Gyrion

7 Aug 1977
KALISPELL — Frederick J. Gyrion, 79, died in Kalispell Sunday morning.

He was born Sept. 25, 1897, in Prairie du Chien, Wis., a son of Nichola and Fannie Gyrion. He moved to Waukon Junction where he lived until he was 18, when he moved to Fort Benton.

He farmed there for three years and in 1919 moved to Kal-

ispell, where he had lived since. He had been employed with the Kirkpatrick Brothers and the Kalispell Lumber Co. until 1945, when he went into the building constructing business.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Kalispell.

On Dec. 18, 1927, he was married to Anna "Peggy" McCully in Kalispell.

Survivors include Mrs. Gyrion, Kalispell; a son, Fred Jr. "Pat", Kalispell; three grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 2 p.m. Wednesday with the Rev. William Reid, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church.

DE 11 JAN 1977

John L. Gunderson, 86

11 Jan 1977
John L. Gunderson, 86, died at the Montana Veterans Home in Columbia Falls Tuesday. He was born Dec. 31, 1890, in Gary, Minn.

In 1910, he moved to Montana and homesteaded east of Flaxville. On June 26, 1918, he entered the U.S. Army at Plentywood and received his honorable discharge on April 12, 1919.

On April 18, 1919, he was married to Catherine Griffith at Plentywood. The couple had farmed at Flaxville from 1921 to 1946. Mr. Gunderson had served as Daniels County commissioner from 1926 to 1932. In 1944, they moved to Kalispell spending their winters at Echo Lake.

Mr. Gunderson had then been employed with the U.S. Forest Service from 1948 to 1954 when he retired due to ill health. He was a member of the World War I Barracks of Kalispell.

He now is survived by his widow, Catherine, at the family home at 925-5th Avenue East; one son, John W. Gunderson of Flaxville; two daughters, Jean Katana of Conrad, and Margaret Norby of Helena; one brother, Clarence of Flaxville; seven grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and other relatives.

Services for Mr. Gunderson will be in the Johnson Chapel at 2 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. Chauncey Bifle officiating.

Burial will be in the Glacier Memorial Gardens where military graveside rites will be conducted by the local veterans organizations.

DI 2 FEB. 1977

Bert M. Guy, 80

2 Feb 1977

Bert M. Guy, 80, of 528-9th Ave. W. died Wednesday in Flathead County Nursing Home. He was a retired garage owner.

Mr. Guy was born July 11, 1896 in Seattle. He attended school in Seattle and moved with his parents to Hysham in 1913. He homesteaded near there in 1915.

He lived in Plains two years before moving to Bull Lake in 1922 where he continued in the road building business. The next year he moved to Stryker where he logged and also built roads.

Mr. Guy went to work for the Montana State Highway Department in 1929 and was a maintenance man for the Belton and East Glacier district. He opened Guy's Auto Repair on 2nd Ave. W. in Kalispell in 1941 and operated it until 1961, when he retired.

He continued to help his son Bruce in its operation

following retirement. He married Velma M. White on May 30, 1915 in Rosebud County, and is now survived by her at home.

Other survivors include four daughters, Mrs. George (Hazel) Wagner of Libby, Mrs. C.A. (Nina) Johnson of Seattle, Mrs. Donna Richards of Santa Cruz, Calif., and Mrs. Lynn (Lenora) Hadley of Marion; three sons, Bruce R. and Bert M. Guy, Jr. both of Kalispell and Donald W. Guy, of Maple Valley, Wash.; two sisters, Mrs. Harold (Blanche) Butcher of Long Beach, Calif. and Mrs. Ollie Haley of Orange, Calif.; 20 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren and one great-great-granddaughter and a foster son, Virgil Carney of Loomis, Wash.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Weatherford Funeral Home with the Rev. Marshall Bowe, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene officiating. Burial will follow in Glacier Memorial Gardens.

GARDIPEE, FRED

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Herder Dead

7 Aug 1977

At Chief Mtn.

CUT BANK — Fred Gardipee, 70, Cut Bank, was found dead Sunday noon about a mile west of Snowshoe Cabin near Chief Mountain.

Gardipee, a sheepherder for Garth Leishman, was last seen by Leishman Aug. 4, when Leishman took water out to Gardipee at his camp. The man complained of chest pains. The Cut Bank Pioneer Press reported Leishman suggested seeing a doctor, but Gardipee refused and took some pills.

The following morning Leishman returned but Gardipee was missing. He searched and found only his horse and dog. Several sheep were found nearby that had been killed by a bear, and this created further concern as to the missing man.

Saturday morning nearly 30 men joined in the search, but it was delayed because of heavy rain. Involved were Glacier Deputy Sheriff Robert Powell of Babb, Bill Fenner, tribal police officer and others.

The search resumed Sunday and about noon the body was found by Jim Flammond and Powell. Cause of death was believed to be a heart attack.

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Esther Gardiner, 81

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LIBBY — Esther Gardiner, 81, passed away Thursday in Libby. She was born Sept. 12, 1895 in Neenah, Wis. and married William Gardiner in Iowa in 1912. He preceded her in death in 1941.

Denning and Norita Skramstad, all of Libby; and one son, Rodney, also of Libby. She has nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

She came to Libby in April, 1974, from Houghton, S.D. Survivors include three daughters: Neenah Dunning, Phyllis

Graveside services will be conducted Saturday at 2 p.m. at the City of Libby Cemetery, with Pastor Chet Shaw of the Christian Church officiating.