

L.A. Vilorio, 65

^{28 Oct. 1984}
Lucky Alfonso Vilorio, 65, Bigfork, died in Kalispell Regional Hospital Sunday evening.

He was born Nov. 18, 1918, in Wailuku, Hawaii, a son of Processo and Theodora Vilorio.

He attended St. Anthony School and Paia Grammar School in Maui, and San Bernardino Junior Valley College in California.

He was a musician with the Maui County Band and the youngest bandmaster (at age 16) of the Maui Agricultural Company Band. He was leader of his own 12-piece group called Valley Islanders. He was also with Marie Mitchell's Orchestra at Pearl City Tavern (1943); Pua Almeida's Polynesians (1946); Alfred Apaka's Orchestra at La Hula Rhumba (1945); dance music at the Moana Hotel (1963-1973); Ed Kenney's Show, Tapa Room and Polynesian Palace, with Pua Almeida's orchestra. He was a drummer and a member of the Musicians Union.

He was a member of the Oahu Alert-Radio Emergency Team and Church of the Nazarene, Ewa Beach.

He is survived by his wife, Joyce, at the family home; five children, Marie Schutt, Addie Cline, Vaughn Ramsey, Val Ramsey and Chris Ramsey, all of Kalispell; 13 grandchildren; two brothers, Adam and Pro, and a sister, Penny, all in Hawaii.

Memorial services will be 11 a.m. Wednesday in Bigfork Chapel with the Rev. Dennis Masters officiating.

Lucile Roe Vick, 80

^{July 1984}
HELENA — Lucile Roe Vick, 80, of Helena, died Saturday morning.

She was born May 29, 1904, in Kalispell, where she spent her early life and received her education.

She moved to Helena in 1937 and worked at the Montana Deaconess Home for 15 years, at the College Pharmacy for two years and at the Peter Pan Restaurant for 10 years.

She married Clinton Vick in Helena in June 1946.

She is survived by her husband, Clinton, at the family home; two sisters, Mona Jellison of Kalispell and Verna Somerville of Spokane, Wash.; and numerous nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were Tuesday in Helena.

Janet Vegter

^{11 Oct. 1984}
IONE, Wash. — Janet Vegter, 85, a former Kalispell resident, died Wednesday in Ione.

She was born in Odoorn, Netherlands, on Dec. 4, 1898, to Lambert and Piertertje Speelman. She attended schools in the Netherlands and married Richard Vegter in 1922.

In 1929, the couple came to the United States, settling on a farm in Mitchell, S.D. Two years later they moved to Manhattan, Mont., where they farmed until retirement in 1954.

The couple then moved to Arizona, where Richard Vegter died in 1955.

With her daughter, Helen Carlson, she then moved to Kalispell. Several years ago she moved to Washington to rejoin her daughter and her family. They lived in several communities before settling in Ione 3½ years ago.

Survivors include Mrs. Carlson and six grandchildren in Ione; a brother, John Speelman, Kalispell; and a brother and sister in the Netherlands.

Arrangements locally are being handled by Johnson Funeral Home. Friends will meet at Conrad Memorial Cemetery at 2 p.m. Monday for graveside services with the Rev. Marshall Moen of Immanuel Lutheran Home officiating.

Kristen Van Leuven

^{9 Mar. 1984}
Kristen Renae Van Leuven, newborn daughter of Mark and Kim Van Leuven, 110 E. Evergreen Drive, died Friday morning at Kalispell Regional Hospital.

She is survived by her parents, her maternal grandparents, Duane and Helen Bernhardt of Kennewick, Wash.; her paternal grandparents, Larry and Phyllis Van Leuven of Coeur d'Alene, maternal great grandparents, Harry and Pearl Rose of Richland, Wash.; paternal great grandparents, Harold "Pete" and Sheila of Anderson, Calif., and several aunts and uncles.

Private graveside funeral services will be held at Conrad Memorial Cemetery under the direction of the Weatherford Funeral Home.

Frank Van Asch, 95

^{24 Dec. 1984}
MILBANK, S.D. — Frank Van Asch, 95, Milbank, S.D., died Dec. 24 in a Wilmot, S.D., nursing home. Mr. Van Asch had lived in Kalispell for about 40 years.

He was born Nov. 15, 1889, at Milbank, S.D., to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Van Asch. He graduated from Milbank High School and served in the U.S. Army in France during World War I.

He was employed by Bert Voss and helped in the early construction of many homes in Milbank. After World War II, he worked on construction in Alaska and as a carpenter in Kalispell.

He returned to Milbank in 1980 and entered the nursing home at Wilmot three years ago. Mr. Van Asch was a past commander of Birch-Miller Post 9.

Survivors include a sister, Jeanette Webster of California; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services have been held in Milbank with burial in Milbank City Cemetery.

D.E. Vance, 61

^{23 Jan. 1984}
Dwight (Dave) E. Vance, 61, of Columbia Falls, died Monday evening at Kalispell Regional Hospital.

He was born Dec. 4, 1922, in Sycamore, Ohio, to Vaud and Bessie (Betty) Vance. He was raised and educated in Sycamore. He served in Europe during his three years in the Army. He worked for 25 years in the aerospace industry.

He was preceded in death by his father; one brother, Delbert; and one daughter, Debbie.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Ann, at the family home near Columbia Falls; his mother, Betty Aguila of Las Vegas, Nev.; one son, Dick Vance of Crestline, Ohio; one daughter, Deana Martin of Las Vegas, Nev.; and three grandchildren.

A private memorial service will be held at the family home. The Rev. Tod Fox of the Canyon Community Church will officiate.

Robert Violett, 58

7 Feb 1984
Robert Carl Violett, 58, Kalispell, died Tuesday morning in Kalispell Regional Hospital.

He was born March 4, 1925, in Crosby, Minn., a son of Carl and Angie Violett. As a child he moved to Dayton, where he received his early schooling and attended Polson High School.

On Oct. 29, 1943, he entered the Army and served until he was honorably discharged on April 8, 1946, at Camp McCoy, Wis. He returned to Montana where he was employed as a truck driver for a time.

On July 2, 1949, he married Hazel Moritz in Missoula. Shortly thereafter the couple moved to the Patrick Creek area near Kalispell where they have since resided.

Violett was a construction worker for the past eight years.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister.

Survivors include his wife, Hazel, at home; a sister, Donna Dupuis of Polson, and several nieces and nephews.

Private memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Johnson Mortuary Chapel.

K. Volkenand, 72

28 Apr 1984
LIBBY — Kathryn Volkenand, 72, Libby, died Saturday afternoon of natural causes at the Libby Care Center.

She was born July 13, 1911, in Zortman to Joseph and Margaret Sharette. She was raised in the Zortman area and later attended school in Salem, Ore.

She married Carl J. Volkenand on April 18, 1929, in Malta. The couple lived in various locations in eastern Montana before moving to Libby in 1947.

Mrs. Volkenand operated the Shamrock Cafe in Libby for many years and then operated the Husky House Cafe until her retirement in 1974.

Her husband preceded her in death in 1964.

Survivors include two sons, Robert Volkenand, Bend, Ore., and Pete Volkenand, Libby; two daughters, Pat Kasberg, Kalispell, and Betty Hartmann, Great Falls; two brothers, Robert Sharette, Great Falls, and James Sharette, Rhame, N.D.; two sisters, Jewel Hagen, Malta, and Clara Janda, Los Angeles; 16 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the City of Libby Cemetery. The Rev. Wilford Luce will officiate.

W.J. Vincent, 57

19 July 1984
SALEM, Ore. — William "Bill" James Vincent, 57, a former Kalispell resident, died July 19 in Salem, Ore.

He was born Nov. 8, 1926, in Seattle, Wash., the son of William J. and Rose Vincent. When he was 8, he moved to Kalispell.

In 1944 he joined the U.S. Navy and served in Saipan until the end of the war. He returned to Kalispell in 1946, where he completed his education, graduating from Flathead County High School in 1947.

On July 17, 1948, he married Ramona Joyce Waymire in Somers.

He was active in the Kalispell community, including the Boy Scouts and Girls Scouts. He was instrumental in founding the Kalispell Aquatic Team. He was a member of the Sunrisers Lions Club, the VFW, the American Legion and Flathead County Young Democrats.

He was employed at Anaconda Aluminum plant in Columbia Falls for 17 years.

In June 1972, he and his family moved to Oregon.

He is survived by his wife, Ramona, at the family home; his mother, Emma Vincent of Salem, Ore.; two sons, William Vincent Jr. of Salem and Richard Vincent of Wasilla, Alaska; three daughters, Linda Miller of Salem, Ramona Vincent of Kalispell, and Mary Spory of Boswell, Pa.; and eight grandchildren.

Services have been held with private interment in City View Mausoleum.

Vernon A. Vlasak, 49

11 Dec 1984
Vernon A. Vlasak, 49, Kalispell, died Tuesday morning in Kalispell Regional Hospital following a lengthy illness.

He was born April 7, 1935, in Kalispell, a son of Vincent and Agnes Vlasak. He attended Kalispell schools and was a 1953 graduate of Flathead County High School. He attended Gonzaga College for a year and was a 1960 graduate of the University of Montana School of Pharmacy.

In 1959 he married Colleen Bodring.

He was a pharmacist for several years and owned the Big Sky Pharmacy in Kalispell from 1964 to 1966.

He was a Catholic.

Vincent V. Vlasak

6 Apr 1984
Vincent V. Vlasak, 76, Kalispell, died Friday morning at Kalispell Regional Hospital.

He was born Dec. 12, 1907, in Michel, B.C., to Anton and Josephine Sterba Vlasak. His early years were spent in Sweetgrass, Great Falls and Kalispell. He graduated from Flathead County High School in 1928.

From high school until his death, he was known for his accordion

playing at dances, weddings and senior citizens' events. He was a fourth-degree Knight of Columbus and belonged to St. Matthew's Catholic Church.

At various times he worked at the Old Salmon Greenhouse, Glacier Dairy, Montgomery Ward, Buttre's shoe department, Ferguson's Shoes, Gamble's and Torgerson's. He also sold real estate for many years, and was a longtime member of the National Guard.

He was preceded in death by five brothers, five sisters and a grandchild.

Survivors include his wife, Agnes, Kalispell; a daughter, Betsy Clague, Missoula; a son, Vernon, Kalispell; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Mass of the Resurrection will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Monday at St. Matthew's Catholic Church with the Rev. Emmett O'Neill officiating. The Rosary will be recited at 7 p.m. Sunday in Johnson Mortuary Chapel. Burial will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.



He was preceded in death by his father, Vincent Vlasak, on April 6, 1984.

He is survived by three sons, Roy and Scott Vlasak, both of Kalispell, and Tony Vlasak of Phoenix, Ariz.; his mother, Agnes Vlasak of Kalispell; a sister, Betsy Clague of Missoula; and several nieces and nephews.

Rosary will be recited at 8 tonight in Johnson Mortuary Chapel. Mass of the Resurrection will be 10:30 a.m. Thursday in St. Matthew's Catholic Church with the Rev. Edmund Smith as celebrant. Burial will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.