

Harry M. Herman

Herman M. Herman, 75, died Tuesday, Feb. 19, at Valley Lutheran Hospital at Apache Junction, Arizona. 1985

He was a long time resident of the Plentywood, Montana area, born in Ambrose, N.D. on Sept. 3, 1909. He has spent the last seven winters in Arizona and the summers in Nashua.

Mr. Herman belonged to the Elks Lodge, board member of the Farmers Union Elevator, member of the various area cooperatives, and was a member of the Sons of Norway in Antelope and later in Glasgow.

He was preceded in death by his

first wife, Elizabeth, who died in 1974, and is survived by their three sons: Martin of Cedar Falls, Iowa; James of Helena; and Richard of Eagan, Minn. He is also survived by his widow, Bernice of Nashua, stepson Wayne Nybakken and Shirley Ball also of Nashua. Additional survivors include a brother, William Herman of Westby and a sister Ruth Baker of Plentywood, seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials to the American Heart Association. A memorial service was held in Apache Junction Feb. 21, and the Lutheran Church in Plentywood on Monday, Feb. 25, 1985. Interment was at Plentywood.

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William Howard, 78

William "Eddie" Howard Jr., 78, Kalispell, died Thursday afternoon at the Montana Veterans Home in Columbia Falls.

He moved to the Flathead Valley from Choteau after retiring as owner of Howard's Department Store, which he had operated for 25 years.

He was born April 10, 1907, in Great Falls to William E. and Rhoda Howard. He grew up in Great Falls and Choteau, graduating from Choteau High School.

After spending a year at a business school in Seattle, he worked as a traveling auditor for the J.C. Penney Co. before opening his own store. He retired due to ill health in the early 1960s.

On Jan. 1, 1935, he married Lucille Baker in Choteau.

He served in the U.S. Army during World War II and was a member of the American Legion. He belonged to the Episcopal Church in Great Falls.

Survivors include his wife, at home; two sons, John, Choteau, and James, Portland, Ore.; two daughters, Lynne Pepion of Kalispell and Carol Ann Howard of Bloomington, Ind. and seven grandchildren.

Memorial services will be Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Gorder Funeral Home in Choteau. Local arrangements and cremation were by the Weatherford Funeral Home of Kalispell.

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Leone E. Hillman 14 Oct 1985

Leone E. Hillman, 88, died Monday in Valley View Home, Glasgow. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Hinsdale Lutheran Church with Rev. Margo Fohs of Nashua, officiating. Interment will follow in Hinsdale Hillview Cemetery with Bell Mortuary in charge.

Serving as pallbearers will be John Black, Robert Claypool, John Rosendahl, Tom Nelson, Richard Eaton and George R. Mercer.

Born, November 18, 1896, to Edmund and Rose Butler Giebel of Nelson, Wisconsin, she attended local schools and a teacher's training school, and taught elementary school for a time prior to her marriage to Roy E. Hillman in Minneapolis July 19, 1915.

In 1927, they moved to Hinsdale where Mr. Hillman managed the First National Bank of Hinsdale for 34 years until his death in 1962. She

continued to reside in the family home in Hinsdale, tending her greenhouse in growing chrysanthemums and doing fancy quilting until moving to Nemont Manor in Glasgow in 1979, and to Valley View Home in January of 1984.

She was active in Hinsdale Women's Club and Bridge Club, was a past Worthy Matron of River-view chapter 80, Order of the Eastern Star, and a member of Hinsdale Lutheran Church.

Two sisters preceded her in death. She is survived by two sisters, Ethel Svennungsen and Mildred Patterson, both of Helena; sons, Roy E. Hillman, Jr., of Hinsdale, Orval S. Hillman, Jamestown, Calif.; daughters, June H. Cook of San Jose, Calif. Rosann L. Cox of Grande Prairie, Alberta, Canada; 14 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

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R. Hermsmeyer, 73

LIBBY — Richard G. Hermsmeyer, 73, Libby, died Thursday at St. John Lutheran Hospital.

He was born May 1, 1912, in Sheridan, the son of George and Della Hermsmeyer. He was reared and educated in Sheridan, and worked in the mines around Twin Bridges. He also logged in Madison County and worked in construction in the Boise, Idaho, area.

In 1952 he was employed as a heavy equipment operator by the Bitterroot Irrigation Service in Hamilton. He began working as a guard at Montana State Prison in Deer Lodge in 1960 and retired in 1976. He moved to Libby in 1980.

He married Della Mae Marak on Dec. 20, 1958, in Hamilton.

Mr. Hermsmeyer attended the Episcopal Church and was a member of the Eagles Lodge in Hamilton, Kootenai Bird Club of Libby, and the Senior Citizens.

Survivors include his wife, Della, Libby; a daughter, Helen Hilderman, Garrison, N.D.; two sons, Richard, Libby, and Theodore, California; three stepchildren, Roberta Koffenburger, Great Falls, Deleene Beasley, New Hampshire, and Walter Marak, Deer Lodge; two sisters, Marthel Rhoades and Alice Wells, both of Butte; 21 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Memorial services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Vial Funeral Home in Libby. Cremation has taken place.

8 Oct 1985
Ruth Hetrick, 69

Ruth P. Hetrick, 69, Kalispell, died early Tuesday morning at Kalispell Regional Hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born Dec. 6, 1915, in Elgin, Ill., the daughter of Albert and Marguerite Zurcher. She was raised in Marceline, Mo., and graduated from Marceline High School and Kirksville Teachers College in Kirksville, Mo. She taught elementary school in Marceline and later in Whitefish.

On June 11, 1939, she married Leonard Hetrick in Marceline, and the couple made their home in Whitefish until moving to Kalispell two months ago.

She was active in community affairs and was named First Lady of Whitefish in 1953. She was chairman of both the North Valley Hospital and Whitefish Hospital Gift Shop, and was on the board of directors of North Valley Hospital and the Republican Women's Club. She was active in AFS, Cub Scouts, and Vista Chapter No. 44, Order of the Eastern Star, and had served as a state officer in P.E.O.

Mrs. Hetrick had been a very active member of Whitefish United Methodist Church. She served as church secretary, trustee, chairman of finance, Sunday School teacher, and superintendent of Sunday School. She also served as chairman for many fund-raising projects in Whitefish.

Survivors include her husband, Leonard, at the family home in Kalispell; a son, Douglas Hetrick of Kalispell; two daughters, Lynn Scaif of Kalispell and Frances But-

ler of Fayetteville, Ark.; two sisters, Frances Washam of Marceline, and Hazel Knutson of Kansas City, Kan.; a brother, Robert Zurcher of Atlanta, Ga.; four grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Albert Zurcher Jr.; two sisters, Elise Rivera and Marguerite Breslich, and a niece, Judy Zurcher.

Memorial services will be 2 p.m. Thursday at Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish with the Rev. Darrel Aleson, pastor of Whitefish United Methodist Church, officiating. Arrangements and cremation are by Weatherford Funeral Home in Kalispell.

The family suggests memorials to United Methodist Church of Whitefish.

28 Jan 1985
Ruth Hewett, 78

Ruth Hewett, 78, died Monday evening in Immanuel Lutheran Home where she had resided for the past two years.

She was born Oct. 16, 1906, in Kalispell, a daughter of Oscar and Henrietta Proud. She attended Kalispell schools and graduated from Flathead County High School in 1924.

In 1934 she was employed by the Anderson Style Shop and became manager of the store in 1940.

On Aug. 12, 1950 she married Henry M. Hewett in Sandpoint, Idaho. In 1953 they purchased the Style Shop and owned and operated it until their retirement in 1977.

Mrs. Hewett had been active in many organizations during her business years.

She was a member of Epworth Methodist Church; Adah Chapter No. 17, Order of the Eastern Star; and Daughters of the Nile.

She was preceded in death by her

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husband, Henry, on July 31, 1982.

She is survived by her daughter, Patricia L'Allier of Whitefish; three grandchildren, Sheri Anderson, Kirby Ann Campbell and Greg Cannady, all of Kalispell; and three great-grandsons, Ian and Isaac Anderson and Chad Campbell, all of Kalispell.

Cremation has taken place. Memorial services will be announced later by the Johnson Mortuary.



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Blakely Ellen Hill

9 Oct 1985
Blakely Ellen Hill, 4-month-old daughter of Larry and Carole Hill, died in Bigfork Wednesday evening.

She was born June 6, 1985, in Kalispell.

She is survived by her parents and three brothers and sisters.

Lindsay, Jacob and Sunny, all at the home in Bigfork; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Hill of Reno, Nev.; Pat Fierro of San Jose, Calif.; and Arthur Fierro of Livingston, Calif.; her great-grandmother, Vernice Hammer of Reno, Nev., and several other relatives.

Memorial services for family and close friends will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in Bethany Lutheran Church in Bigfork with the Rev. Ron Pierce, pastor of Swan Chapel, officiating. Cremation has taken place.

Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary.

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19 July 1985
M. Hileman, 70

Marjorie D. Hileman, 70, Whitefish, died Friday morning at Mason Hospital in Seattle.

She was born July 19, 1915, in Whitefish to Edwin J. and Mathilda Knapton. She grew up in Whitefish, graduating from Whitefish High School in 1933. She attended Montana State College in Bozeman, where she belonged to the Kappa Delta Sorority.

For many years she worked at Sandra's Dress Shop in Whitefish, and she was employed for a time by the Abell Agency there.

She was a member of the Lady Conductors and the North Valley Hospital Guild.

She married Ernest A. Hileman on April 2, 1937. He preceded her in death on July 23, 1982.

Surviving are three daughters, Sharon Jacobson, Columbia Falls; Diana Townsend, Mesa, Ariz., and Lynn Duff, Whitefish; a brother, Raymond Knapton, Whitefish; nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Memorial services will be Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish. Officiating will be the Rev. Wendell Phillips, vicar of Holy Nativity Episcopal Church in Whitefish. Cremation has taken place.

The family suggests memorials to the North Valley Hospital Guild.

John Hirsch, 76

^{25 Jan 1985}
LIBBY — John Hirsch, 76, died Friday at his home in Libby of a self-inflicted gunshot wound.

He was born Sept. 16, 1908, at McClusky, N.D., and was raised and educated there. He later moved to Spokane, where he resided for several years before serving with the U.S. Army during World War II. Following his discharge, he returned to Spokane.

He married Agnes Ponderlick Dedic on Nov. 12, 1946, in Spokane, where he was employed as a painter and later worked for Kaiser Aluminum Co. He moved to Libby in 1948, where he was employed by the J. Neils Lumber Co. and the St. Regis Paper Co. until his retirement in 1973.

The John Hirsch Group Home in Libby was named in his honor.

He was a member and past commander of Austin Reedy Post 97, American Legion, and also held several other offices in that organization. He was also a member and chef d'gare of the 40 et 8 Club; the Harper Erdman Post 1548, Veterans of Foreign Wars; the Libby Senior Citizens Center; and the Lumber and Sawmill Workers Union.

He was preceded in death by his wife in 1983, a son, Gene Dedic, in 1981, and a granddaughter, JoAnn Dedic, in 1980.

He is survived by two sons, Raymond Dedic of Libby, and Ronald Hirsch, address unknown; two brothers, Louie Hirsch, McClusky, N.D., and Eddie Hirsch, Vergas, Minn.; and a granddaughter.

Graveside services will be 1 p.m. Tuesday at the City of Libby Cemetery, with the Rev. Wilford Luce officiating.

Military graveside rites will be conducted by members of the VFW and American Legion.

Arrangements are under the direction of Vial Funeral Home.

Kristian Holand, 36

^{7 June 1985}
Kristian Holand, 36, Somers, died Friday in a motorcycle accident northwest of Kalispell.

A Flathead Valley native, he had been a carpenter since he began working for his father when he was 18.

He was born May 8, 1949, in Kalispell to Elmer and Eileen Holand. He attended Somers School, Flathead High School and Flathead Valley Community College.

On March 31, 1967, he married Terri Zadra in Coeur d'Alene. The couple moved to Somers eight years ago.

Survivors include his wife and four children, Shane, Cody, Heidi and Kris, all at home; his parents, Somers; a brother, David, Enumclaw, Wash.; and a sister, Karen Carlson, Spokane.

Funeral services will be Tuesday at 11 a.m. in the Johnson Mortuary chapel with the Rev. J. Torrance Harvey of the Lakeside Chapel officiating. Burial will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery. Visitation is today, 1-6 p.m., and Monday, 4-8 p.m.

Kenneth Hodges

^{20 June 1985}
Kenneth Hodges, 63, a former resident of Whitefish, died June 7 in Portland.

Hodges was born in Whitefish on June 11, 1921 and graduated from Whitefish High School in 1940. He moved to Oregon in 1944 and was employed as an Industrial Pattern

Maker. He was a Navy Veteran of WWII.

Hodges was preceded in death by his father, Arthur Hodges in 1948.

Surviving are his wife, Doris; daughter Karen Akesson of Portland; a son Daniel of Roseburg, Ore.; his mother, Elsie Hodges of Whitefish; two sisters,

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Evelyn Thompson and Noradeane Gordon, both of Whitefish; five grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

A memorial service was held in Tremont Evangelical Church Monday, June 10. Burial was at Willamette National Cemetery in Portland.

Virginia Hollar

14 March 1985

Virginia Hollar, 77 of Port Townsend, Wash., died Feb. 23 at Kai Tai Care Center.

She was born in March 1907 in Union, Ore. and soon moved with her family to Virginia. She spent the majority of her life in Whitefish, where in 1929 she married Farrell C. Hollar.

While in Whitefish, Mr. and Mrs. Hollar became owners of the Samson Block, were avid squaredancers, were active members in the Presbyterian Church and Virginia was also active in

Soroptimist Club as well as being quite a bridge player.

In 1960 the Hollars moved to Yakima, Wash., where they purchased an A & W Root Beer Drive-In. In 1970 they retired and since that time Mrs. Hollar became an even more active bridge player.

In June 1984 the Hollars moved to Poulsbo, Wash. to live with their daughter, Andrea. Mrs. Hollar was moved to the Kai Tai Care Center in

Port Townsend in July and had lived there since.

She is survived by her husband, Farrell, her daughter, Andrea, her brother, Tom Buckingham, several half brothers and sisters, and her grandson Brian Gordner.

A memorial service was held in Poulsbo Feb. 28 at Christ Memorial Church. Memorials can be made to the Alzheimer's Disease Fund.

Bert Holler, 79

1 Feb. 1985

James "Bert" Holler, 79, Kalispell, died Friday of natural causes in San Diego, Calif., where he had been visiting family.

He came to Kalispell in 1947 and was manager of the Montgomery Ward tire department until retiring in 1967.

He was one of four original coaches when P e e W e e baseball started in Kalispell in the early '50s. He was a coach and umpire for 25 years, and for six years served as president and director of the American Legion baseball team.



He was born April 23, 1905, in Yelton, Okla., the son of John W. and Maggie Holler. He grew up in Protection, Kan., where the family farmed. In 1923, his future wife and he graduated from Stafford High School, Stafford, Kan.

He married Inez Mae Carr in Boise, Idaho, where they lived until coming to Kalispell in 1947. In Boise he ran the fabrication shop at Gowen Field during World War II, and later went to work for Montgomery Ward.

He was a member of the Kalispell Lodge No. 42 A.F.&A.M. and was a lifetime member of the Mosse Lodge. He was a past president and 45-year member of Kalispell F.O.E.

He was preceded in death by a granddaughter, Judy Mattson, and by his wife in July 1984.

Surviving are two daughters, Gloria Frees, Shoshone, Idaho, and Janet Porteous, Kalispell; two sons, James R. Holler, Fallbrook, Calif., and Joe W. Holler, Kalispell; three brothers, Carl Holler, Lebanon, Mo., John Holler, San Pedro, Calif., and William Mitchell, Wichita, Kan.; two sisters, Phoebe Wolken, Lebanon, Mo., and Leora Greenstreet, Pocatello; eight grandchildren, five great-grandchildren and numerous other relatives.

Visitation will be at Weatherford Funeral Home from 9 a.m. through 8 p.m. Tuesday. Funeral services will be Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Weatherford Funeral Home, with the Rev. M. Eugene Mockabee, pastor of Central Christian Church, officiating. Graveside Masonic rites will follow at Glacier Memorial Gardens.

Milton Hollister, 64

7 Jan 1985

Milton Hollister, 64, died at his home in Oroville, Calif., Jan. 7.

He was born Oct. 10, 1920, in Columbia Falls, a son of Madge and Earl Hollister. He was educated at Bad Rock and Kalispell and graduated from high school in 1938.

He spent most of his life in Nevada and California where he was in the motel and milk business. He was forced to retire in 1977 because of poor health. He and his wife, Patricia, moved to Oroville, Calif., where he managed an apartment house until the time of his death.

He is survived by his wife at home; a brother, Neil of Whitefish; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by a stepson, John, and a sister, Elizabeth McPheeters.

Cremation has taken place.

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3 Feb 1985
Hilmer Holte, 77

Hilmer Morris Holte, 77, Bigfork, died in Kalispell Regional Hospital Sunday afternoon.

He was born Feb. 25, 1907, in Lunds Valley, N.D., a son of Paul and Sarah Holte. He received his education in North Dakota and in 1935 came to Montana where he worked on construction of Fort Peck Dam. He then moved to California and worked on the Shasta Dam construction at Redding.

On Nov. 13, 1945, he married Glenna Trevarrow at Santa Rose, Calif. The couple moved to Anchorage, Alaska, where they lived for 27 years.

Mr. Holte had been foreman of the Water Purification Plant for Fort Richardson Army Base and Elmendorf Air Force Base until his retirement in 1968.

In 1972 the couple moved to Bigfork.

Mr. Holte was a veteran of World War II.

He participated in the first United Nations Conference in California in 1945.

He is survived by his wife, Glenna, at home; a son, Bruce Holte, Anchorage, Alaska; two daughters, Linda Holte of Anchorage, and Carol Holte of Missoula; a brother, Charles Holte of Troy; and several nieces and nephews.

Cremation has taken place. Private family services and burial were held in Lonepine Cemetery near Bigfork with the Rev. Russell Hillman, pastor of Bethany Lutheran Church, officiating.

The family suggests memorials to the Cancer Fund or to the charity of the donor's choice.

Arrangements were under the direction of Johnson Mortuary.

24 Feb 1985
Anna Holter, 90

Anna Rasmussen Holter, 90, Yellow Bay, died Sunday afternoon of natural causes at Immanuel Lutheran Home.

She was born Nov. 20, 1894, in western Nebraska, the eighth of 11 children of Christian and Minnie Rasmussen. Her parents were born in Denmark and Danish was her first language. At the age of 8, she and her family moved to Roseau County, Minn. She attended college at Moorehead, Minn., and then taught school. During World War I, she worked in general merchandise and at the post office.

On June 20, 1920, she married Clarence B. Holter in Warroad, Minn. They made their home in Hibbing, Minn., and later Chisholm, where Mr. Holter worked in the iron mines until retiring in 1959. In 1973, they moved to Yellow Bay on the east shore of the Flathead Lake. She had been a resident of the Immanuel Lutheran Home since 1979.

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 She was the last living of 11 children and was also preceded in death by her husband, Clarence on Jan. 6, 1980.

Surviving are two sons, W.L. "Bill" Holter of Great Falls, and Warren G. Holter of Bradenton, Fla.; 12 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren and numerous other relatives.

Visitation will be until 7 tonight and from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday at Weatherford Funeral Home. Services will be 2 p.m. Thursday at Immanuel Lutheran Home with Chaplain Marshall Moen officiating. Burial will be at Lonepine Cemetery in Bigfork.

The family suggests memorials to the Immanuel Lutheran Home.

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21 Aug 1985

Porsche Hopper

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 Porsche Yevette Hopper, two-month-old daughter of Dale and Roberta Hopper of Kalispell, died Wednesday at the Harbor View Medical Center Burn Unit in Seattle.

She was born June 18, 1985, in Kalispell, and is survived by her parents and two brothers, Chase Robert Hopper and Anthony Star Hopper, all at the family home in Kalispell. Other family members include grandparents Alfred and Faye Anderson, and Gary and Dorsie Goodrich, all of Kalispell; foster grandparents Ted and Betty Pomeroy, of Kalispell; great-grandparents Grover and Dora Hopper of Elsinore, Calif., and Ruby Goodrich of Kalispell, and numerous other relatives.

Funeral services will be Monday at 1 p.m. at the First Church of the Nazarene in Kalispell, with the Rev. Roy Jones officiating. Private burial will follow at C.E. Conrad Memorial Cemetery under the direction of the Weatherford Funeral Home. There will be no public viewing.

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Berniece Hooley, 70

PHOENIX, Ariz. — Berniece Hooley, 70, Glendale, Ariz., died April 3 in Phoenix. 1985

She was born in 1914 in Missouri and moved to Kalispell as a small child.

She married Hershhal Hooley in 1938 in Kalispell and they continued to live here. In 1975 they moved to Arizona.

She was a Mennonite. Survivors include seven children: Pat Martin of Virginia, Karen Smucker, Lori Issac, Doug Hooley, all of Arizona, Judy Bushart of Canada, Gary Hooley of Oregon, and Dwight Hooley of Montana; a brother, Harold Oesch, Kalispell.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Hershhal, in 1980.

Funeral services were April 6 in Phoenix.

Don K. Hoster, 67

7 June 1985
Don K. Hoster, 67, died Friday at University Hospital of California in San Francisco where he had been since February undergoing treatment for cancer.

He was born June 26, 1917, at Valley City, N.D., a son of Walter and Hilda Hoster. He was raised and educated in North Dakota. During World War II he served in the U.S. Army and Merchant Marines. For 15 years he worked as a newspaper photographer for the San Francisco Examiner and the Los Angeles Times. For 22 years he produced documentary films for Los Angeles County in California. He resided in Whitefish for the past eight years.

He married Myrle Geary on April 27, 1945, in Pasadena, Calif., and he is survived by her at the family home.

He is also survived by two daughters, Carol Richards of Strafford, Pa., and Susan Viani of Kobe, Japan; a son, John Hoster of Orange, Calif.; four grandchildren; a sister, Dorothy Pfusch of Whitefish; two nephews and a niece.

Memorial services will be 2:30 p.m. Thursday at Shining Mountains Religious Science Center, 475 Eighth Ave. E.N., Kalispell. Private graveside rites and burial have taken place at Whitefish Cemetery.

The family suggests memorials to the Cancer Research Foundation, Moffitt 1282, University of California, San Francisco, Calif. 94143 or to the Shining Mountains Religious Science Center in Kalispell.

Thomas House, 33

30 May 1985
Thomas O. House, 33, formerly of Whitefish, died Thursday in a robbery at the convenience store where he worked in Temple, Texas.

He was born May 12, 1952, at Klamath Falls, Ore., son of Hazel Childers and stepson of Edward Childers. He lived in Tule Lake, Calif., until 1958, when he moved to Whitefish.

A 1971 graduate of Whitefish High School, he sang in the school chorus and belonged to Boy Scouts of America. He attended Northern Montana College and Flathead Valley Community College and had been a member of the Montana and Texas National Guard. He moved to the Dallas-Forth Worth area in Texas and most recently was employed

by Payless Convenience Stores in Temple.

Survivors include his mother and stepfather, Hazel and Edward Childers; his father, H.W. House, Dallas, S.D.; brothers Samuel House, Kalispell, Dean House, Mesa, Ariz., Bruce Beagle, Kalispell, and Ross Beagle, Lincoln, Neb.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Tuesday at Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish, with burial in Glacier Memorial Gardens.

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*22 Dec 1985***Marie Hougen, 90**

Marie M. Hougen, 90, died Sunday in Flathead County Nursing Home where she had resided since 1979.

She was born March 4, 1895, in Indianapolis, Ind., a daughter of Rudolph and Albertina Glass. She later moved to Minnesota where she married Henry Hougen at Crookston. They moved to the Flathead Valley and engaged in farming.

Mrs. Hougen was preceded in death by her husband, Henry, in 1954.

She is survived by a son, Frank Hougen of Somers; a brother, Rudy Glass of Milton-Freewater, Ore.; eight grandchildren; several great-grandchildren and two nephews.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Thursday in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints with First Counsellor to Bishop Stewart Briskin, Thomas S. Woytus, officiating. Burial will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Johnson Mortuary.

23 Feb 1985 **Myrtle I. Houseman, 81**

MISSOULA — Myrtle I. Houseman, 81, Missoula, died of natural causes Saturday in a Missoula nursing home.

She was born Sept. 7, 1903, in Flag Springs, Mo., to Edward and Ida Clemmens. She grew up in Missouri and in Hebron, Neb.

On Dec. 26, 1923, she married Clarence R. Houseman in Hebron. In 1929 the couple homesteaded at Brooks, Alberta. They moved to Tacoma, Wash., in 1943 where they owned and operated a secondhand store until moving to Kalispell in 1945.

Mrs. Houseman was employed at the Woolworth Store in Kalispell for several years and later worked at the S&H Green Stamp Store for many years, retiring in 1972. She had lived in Missoula for the past 5½ years.

Mrs. Houseman was a member of the Central Christian Church in

Kalispell. Her hobbies included raising flowers.

She was preceded in death by her husband on May 27, 1968, and by two sisters.

Survivors include a son, Ellis Houseman, Missoula; four daughters, Evelyn Utley, Aurora, Utah, Ramona Contassel, Donna Hilton and Gail Palmer, all of Missoula; a sister, Eva Stephanson, Wichita, Kan.; 17 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 10 a.m. Thursday at Squire Simmons and Carr Funeral Home, Missoula, with the Rev. C.A. Hurst Jr. officiating. Burial will be at 3 p.m. at Conrad Memorial Cemetery in Kalispell. Glead Utley will give the grave dedication.

Visitation will be at the funeral home from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. today and Wednesday.

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Lewis Howard, 73

10 Jan. 1985

Lewis J. Howard, 73, Columbia Falls, died Thursday morning at Kalispell Regional Hospital.

He was born Oct. 10, 1911, in Stevensville, to Ray and Hazel Howard. He was raised near Stevensville and educated at the Deaf and Blind School in Boulder.

He worked on the family farm for many years. In 1963, he moved to Columbia Falls. He lived at Flathead County Nursing Home for the past 10 years.

He is survived by a sister, Mildred Rahn of Columbia Falls; two nieces, Luanne Homestead of Whitefish and Sally Fawcett of Reno, Nev.; a nephew, Howard Hickey of East Lansing, Mich.; and numerous cousins.

A memorial service will be announced next week. Cremation has taken place.

Van Leuven Funeral Home of Columbia Falls is in charge of local arrangements.

Milo Howard, 84

24 Jan. 1985

Milo J. Howard, 84, Kalispell, died at home Thursday morning of natural causes.

He was born April 30, 1900, in Morrill, Kan., the son of Roy and Annah Howard. He was raised in Hettinger, N.D., and moved to Kalispell in 1934.

He enjoyed farming and raising and training horses and mules. He worked in maintenance at Kalispell General Hospital for 17 years and later at the Flathead County Nursing Home for 14 years until his retirement in 1972.

He married Arabella Lauck in May 1921 at Hettinger, N.D., and she preceded him in death in 1955.

He was also preceded in death by two brothers and two sisters.

On Feb. 1, 1957, he married Ruby Howell in Whitefish and she survives him at the family home.

Survivors also include two sons, Eldon Howard in Whitefish, and Donald Howard in Kalispell; two step-daughters, Merdith Joy in Spokane, and Lynne Boyle in Billings; a sister, Dorothy Carter in Des Moines, Iowa; a brother, Glenn Howard in Billings, 12 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 10 a.m. Saturday at Weatherford Funeral Home with the Rev. James Huff officiating. Burial will be at Conrad Memorial Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Bible Presbyterian Church in Kalispell.

Andrea Howell, 93

POLSON 25 Nov 1985

Andrea Boletta Howell, 93, died Monday of natural causes at the Westside Rest Home in Ronan.

She was born Feb. 5, 1892, in Weston, Idaho, to Soren and Anna Jensen.

She married William Leo Howell Nov. 7, 1909, at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints temple in Logan, Utah. The couple lived for a time at Marsh Creek, Idaho, where Mrs. Howell taught in a one-room schoolhouse. They later lived at Woodruff and McCammon, Idaho.

They began farming in the Bynum area in 1927, but moved to Moiese after their water ran out during the Depression. During World War II the Howells worked at the Navy depot in Bremerton, Wash.

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After moving to Polson in 1944, Mrs. Howell was employed as a supervisor at the cherry packing plant and later worked at J.C. Penney Co. and Welch Sewing Center. She entered the rest home in 1967.

She was a lifelong member of the LDS church and held several official posts in the church.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1956; a daughter, Anna Pearl, in 1924, and by twin infants in 1931.

Survivors include three sons,

Jensen of Moiese, Dean of Roundup, and Reed of Polson; a daughter, Venetta Brower, Polson; 14 grandchildren; 42 great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were this afternoon at the LDS Church in Polson. Burial was at Lakeview Cemetery under the direction of Mosley Funeral Home in Polson.

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William Z. Howell, 56

1 Apr. 1985

William Z. Howell, 56, Kalispell, died Monday in Kalispell Regional Hospital.

He was born Dec. 6, 1928, in Charlo, a son of Wiley C. and Lula Howell. He attended the Ridgeway grade school at Charlo and graduated in 1946 from Charlo High School. He then enlisted in the U.S. Army where he served until receiving his honorable discharge on May 10, 1948.

On June 15, 1952, he married Anita Mae Swalling in Charlo, and was preceded in death by her on Jan. 6, 1964.

On June 11, 1965, he married Mary Jane Page in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, and was preceded in death by her on Nov. 30, 1984.

Mr. Howell lived in Charlo until 1965, when he moved to Spokane, Wash. In 1966, he moved to Kalispell.

He had been a partner of Herb Albright and Dale Howell in Valley

Glass Inc. since that time.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Survivors include two sons, Stuart Allen and William V. Howell, both of Shelby; a daughter, Sheri Ann Howell of Kalispell; two step-children, Dicie Adele Foultnier and Teresa Marie McIlhargey, both of Kalispell; two brothers, R. Dale Howell of Polson, and Leon Howell of Hamilton; three sisters, LaVaughn Heyre, Leota Peters and Ruth Van Den Heede, all of Portland, Ore.; six grandchildren and a number of other relatives.

Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Thursday in Johnson Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Marvin Northcutt, pastor of Epworth United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday in Mountain View Cemetery at Ronan.

Memorials may be made to American Cancer Society.

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26 July 1985 Hope Pidwerbecki Hronek

Hope Pidwerbecki Hronek, 28, died Friday, July 26, in Northern Mississippi Medical Center in Tupelo, Miss.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, July 30, in St. Raphael's Catholic Center with Father Greg Staudinger officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery with Bell Mortuary in charge of arrangements.

Named as pallbearers were Paul Hronek, Steve Marks, Tim Tangan, Bill Bray, Howard Pederson and Gerald Stokes.

The daughter of Walter and Erna Pidwerbecki, she was born in Glasgow February 24, 1957.

She graduated from the Glasgow School System and attended nurses training in Billings, Bozeman and Butte -- graduating with a B.S. degree as a registered nurse from Montana State University. She worked at St. James Hospital in Butte before coming to Glasgow in 1982, where she was the night supervisor at Frances Mahon Deaconess Hospital. She was also a flight nurse in Glasgow for the air ambulance.

Survivors include her widower,



Pete Hronek of Mississippi; her mother, Erna of Glasgow; one daughter, Analea, who was born at 2 lbs., 5 oz., and is doing well at Northern Mississippi Medical Center; three brothers, Michael of Provo, Utah, Jon of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and David of Billings; and 11 nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her father, Walter.

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Names of some survivors were omitted from the Hope Pidwerbecki Hronek obituary in last week's Glasgow Courier. They include four sisters, Sandra Tangen of Livingston, Karen Stokes of Phoenix, Dawn Bray of Belgrade and Jane Pederson of Oklahoma City and maternal grandmother, Anna Endicott of Spokane. The Courier apologizes for the mistake.

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Linda Huber

Linda (Mrs. Roy) Huber, 93, died Monday, Dec. 30, at Riverdale Convalescent Home in Charlottesville, Va.

She was born Linda Baechler on Feb. 23, 1892, in Fountain City, Wis. She married Roy P. Huber there on June 23, 1914, and they moved to Glasgow four years later. Mr. Huber, who taught in Glasgow Public Schools for 42 years, died in 1967 at Hagerstown, Md., where they lived for a number of years following his retirement.

Mrs. Huber was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, the

P.E.O. Sisterhood, and the Royal Neighbors of America.

She is survived by her son Robert R. Huber of Bremerton, Wash.; a daughter, Geraldine Davis of Charlottesville, Va.; brothers Roy Baechler of Sun City, Ariz., and Clarence Baechler of Momence, Ill.; sister, Hester Smith of Green Bay, Wis.; five grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren. Two brothers, Alex Baechler and Michael Baechler, preceded her in death.

Services were held Jan. 2 at 2 p.m. at Hagerstown with interment following at Resthaven Cemetery.

11 Aug 1985
Daniel Hoylman, 72

Daniel W. Hoylman, 72, Columbia Falls, died at home of natural causes Sunday morning.

He was born Nov. 23, 1912, in South English, Iowa, the son of Sam and Barbara Hoylman. He came to Kalispell with his family at age 2 and attended public schools here. When he was 16, he moved to Buffalo, N.Y., for several years and then returned to Iowa.

On Dec. 24, 1935, he married Lavina Schrock in rural Parnell, Iowa, and they made their home near Oxford, Iowa.

He returned to Kalispell in 1957, where he worked for Harry Birky Logging until retiring. In recent years, he had lived near his daughter in Columbia Falls.

Survivors include his wife, Lavina, in Whitefish; a daughter, Charlotte Erickson of Columbia Falls; three grandchildren; two sis-

ters, Margaret Birky of Garden City, Mo., and Naomi Birky of Denver, Colo.; a brother, Art Hoylman of Gettysburg, Pa., and numerous other relatives.

Visitation is until 5 p.m. today and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday at Weatherford Funeral Home. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Friday at Weatherford Funeral Home with Dr. David Kauffman and Glenn Roth officiating. Burial will be at Fairview Cemetery.

22 Aug 1985
Angelina Hughes, 62

TROY — Angelina J. Hughes, 62, a former resident of the Troy and Moyie Springs area, died Thursday of cancer at an Ogden, Utah, hospital.

She and her husband owned and operated the Opera Hall west of Troy from 1974 until 1977.

She was born April 29, 1923, in Michigan to Joseph and Margarita Ellena. She was reared in Waukegan, Ill., and attended schools there.

On June 2, 1962, she married Carl Hughes at Las Vegas. They lived in

El Monte, Calif., before coming to Montana in October 1972.

Her husband preceded her in death in March 1977. She later moved to Ogden, where she worked for the I Omega Computer Co. until the time of her death.

Survivors include a son, Joseph Klimeck, Las Vegas; two daughters, Louise Gaines, Ogden, and Susan Sprouls, Parhump, Nev.; three brothers, Peter Ellena, Paso Robles, Calif., Nathan Ellena and Albert Ellena, both of Woodland Hills, Calif.; two sisters, Mary Light, Cambria, Calif., and Norma Bernardoni, Los Angeles; and 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Graveside services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Troy cemetery. Arrangements are under the direction of the Vial Funeral Home in Libby.

15 Aug 1985
Eurrel Hubbard, 70

TROY — Eurrel R. Hubbard, 70, died Thursday in a traffic accident near Happy's Inn.

A resident of Troy for 55 years, she was employed as a cook at the Kootenai Senior Citizens Center in Troy at the time of her death and had been very actively involved in a number of community affairs.

She was born July 19, 1915, in Rapid City, S.D., to Ernest and Rena Snyder. She came to Troy with her family in 1930. She graduated from Troy High School in 1935.

She married William Clarke Hubbard on Nov. 6, 1938, at Troy. She and her husband remained in Troy, where they have since made their home.

She was a member of the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church in Troy. She also had been a member and past matron of Kootenai Chapter 88, Order of the Eastern Star; the Troy Women's Club; and had served for many years as mother advisor of Troy Rainbow Assembly 56.

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She also had been actively involved in the Girls Scout and Cub Scout programs, serving as a leader for a number of years. She enjoyed the outdoors and was an avid camper and fisherman.

She is survived by her husband, Clarke, at home; a daughter, Louise Alderson, Boulder, Colo.; a son, William E., Troy; three brothers, Morris Snyder, Seattle, Arthur Snyder, Port Orchard, Wash., and Lester Snyder, Oregon; a sister, Sylvia Herman, Spokane; and five grandchildren.

Services will be Monday at 10 a.m. at the Troy Masonic Temple

with the Rev. Robert Honeychurch officiating. Memorials may be made to Troy Volunteer Ambulance, Box 641, Troy 59935. Arrangements are by Vial Funeral Home in Libby.

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22 NOV 1985
Janet A. Hull, 67

LIBBY — Janet Anne Hull, 67, of Libby, died of heart failure Friday evening at her home.

She was born Sept. 14, 1918, in Wolf Springs, Mont., to Robert and Lily McRae. She received her education in eastern Montana and north of Seattle. During World War II, she was employed by Boeing Aircraft.

On Sept. 16, 1943, she married Sanford Hull in Seattle. The couple moved to Libby in 1946.

She was a member of the Jehovah's Witnesses.

Survivors include her husband, Sanford, Libby; four daughters, Sharon Livny, West Germany, JoAnne Wacker, Seattle, Bonnie Eidsath, Albuquerque, N.M., and Melody O'Reilly, Sandpoint, Idaho; two sons, Roger Hull, Libby, and Thomas Hull, Arkansas; a sister, Lillian Doyle, Seattle; a brother, Charles McRae, California; and seven grandchildren.

Memorial services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses in Libby. Vial Funeral Home in Libby is in charge of arrangements.

8 June 1985
M.E. Hundahl, 65

Maurice E. Hundahl, 65, died Saturday evening in Montana Veterans Home in Columbia Falls following a lengthy illness.

He was born April 19, 1920, in Kalispell, a son of Andrew and Mabel Hundahl. He attended Kalispell schools and graduated from Flathead County High School in 1938.

He was employed by and operated Kalispell Sheet Metal Works, a family business in Kalispell, for many years.

He was active in the Montana National Guard for 33 years, retiring in 1964 as a lieutenant colonel. He served in the 41st Division throughout the Pacific Theatre during World War II.

On Sept. 21, 1945, he married Margaret Hughes in Whitefish and was preceded in death by her in 1976.

He is survived by three sons, John Hundahl of Spokane, Wash., Ronald Hundahl of Seattle, and Robin Hundahl of Colorado Springs,

Colo.; four daughters, Sue Byrd of Columbus, Ga., Jean Johnson of Kalispell, Virginia Kivett of Spokane, Wash., and Connie McCubbins of Hungry Horse; a brother, Victor Hundahl of Kalispell; 11 grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Rosary will be 7:30 p.m. Tuesday. Mass of the Resurrection will be 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in St. Richard's Catholic Church of Columbia Falls with the Rev. Bernard Sullivan as celebrant. Burial will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery with military honors conducted by local veterans organizations.

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22 May 1985
J.A. Humphries, 60

John A. Humphries, 60, Kalispell, died at home Wednesday morning following a lengthy illness.

He was born June 16, 1924, in Point, Texas, the son of John and Martha Humphries. He was raised and attended high school in Snohomish, Wash., then entered the U.S. Navy in about 1943. He served aboard a number of ships based in the Pacific from the end of World War II to the Korean conflict and

the Vietnam era. He retired from the Navy in May 1968, and lived in Santa Monica, Calif., until moving to Kalispell in 1980.

On July 7, 1961, he married Arlene Heinselman in Santa Monica, and she survives him at the family home in Kalispell.

Also surviving are two stepdaughters, Carelyn Tompkins and Marilou Price, both of Valencia, Calif.; a stepson, Larry Heinselman of Culver City, Calif.; six grandchildren; three brothers, Clifford and Howard Humphries of Snohomish, and Robert Humphries of San Jose, Calif.; and a sister, Ann Perry of Tucson, Ariz.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Virginia Humphries, and a stepson, Kent Heinselman.

Visitation will be from 9 a.m. to noon Friday at Weatherford Funeral Home. Graveside services will be 2 p.m. Friday at Conrad Memorial Cemetery, with the Rev. James R. Newman, pastor of Bethel Baptist Church, officiating. Friends and family will meet at the cemetery.

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Clara Hurst, 92

Clara Hurst, 92, Eureka, died of natural causes Saturday evening at North Valley Hospital.

She was born April 22, 1892, in Cobden, Minn., the daughter of Frederick and Wilhelmina Schutt. She was raised and graduated from high school in Sleepy Eye, Minn., and then attended Normal School in Mankata, Minn. She taught in Minnesota schools for several years.

In 1912, she married James Logan Hurst in Springfield, Minn., and they moved to Montana in 1918, homesteading in the Rexford area. Mrs. Hurst was the Rexford postmaster for 15 years. Her husband died in 1948 and she continued to live in Rexford until it was flooded by construction of the Libby Dam. She then moved to Eureka and had lived

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there since. ^{9 Mar 1985} 1985
She was active in the Rebeccas and belonged to the Tobacco Valley Senior Citizens.

Surviving are a son, James L. Hurst of Kalispell; five daughters, Mrs. Gene (Lola) Page of Dayton, Cyrilla Curtis of Folsom, Calif., Betty Patrick of Eureka, Mrs. Sam (Mary) Leighty of Kalispell, and Mrs. Keith (Carol) Neyland of Great Falls; 12 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; seven great-great-grandchildren; and numerous other relatives.

Visitation will be Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Weatherford Funeral Home. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. The Rev. Carl Pershall, retired Baptist minister, and the Rev. Dave Davis, pastor of First Baptist Church in Eureka, will officiate. Burial will be at Conrad Memorial Cemetery in Kalispell.

J.L. Hutchens, 69

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^{12 Apr 1985} 1985
BANDON, Ore. — Memorial services for Jackman Lewis Hutchens, 69, a former Flathead Valley resident who died in Bandon, Ore., April 12, were conducted at the Bandon Funeral Chapel with Acil Kemp officiating. Military honors were by Bandon VFW Medal of Honor Post 3440. Private inurnment was at Sunset Memorial Park.

Mr. Hutchens were born Feb. 13, 1916, in Kalispell, a son of John L. and Alice J. Hutchens. He grew up at Star Meadows and the Bissell Community and received his schooling at Bissell elementary school, and Whitefish and Kalispell high schools.

He was engaged in woods work until entering military service during World War II. After the war he returned to the Bissell Community where he was part-owner of a sawmill for several years. In the fall of 1951, he moved with his family to Bandon, Ore., where he raised cranberries and worked in a sawmill until retirement.

He married Alice Layland in 1945 and is survived by her at the family home. He is also survived by three sons, four daughters, seven grandchildren, and a brother, Jim Hutchens of Whitefish.

Dora B. Huston, 87

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^{8 July 1985} 1985
Dora B. Huston, 87, Bigfork, died Monday evening in St. John's Hospital in Libby.

She was born May 14, 1898, in Quimby, Iowa, the daughter of Loren B. and Charlotte Fox. The family moved to Bigfork in 1904 where she received her education.

On Feb. 4, 1920, she married Stephen Huston at Sandpoint, Idaho. The couple farmed and had a chicken ranch in Bigfork.

She was a member of Jehovah's Witnesses.

She was preceded in death by her husband on Feb. 20, 1959; two children, one in infancy, and Mrs. Ray (Vera) Sampson in 1983; five brothers and five sisters.

Survivors include three sons, Marion Huston of Libby, Norman Huston of Galata, and Robert Huston of Mesa, Ariz.; three daughters, Ella Mae Heuscher of Bigfork, Mrs. Max (Beverly) Loehr of Payson, Ariz., and Mrs. Clayton (Doris) Scott in Pablo; a brother, Leslie Fox of Bigfork; 31 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday in Johnson Mortuary Chapel. Burial will be in Lonepine Cemetery near Bigfork.