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9-22-1988

Howard F. Galitzcek, 66

Howard F. Galitzcek, 66, Kalispell, died Tuesday at Kalispell Regional Hospital following an illness with cancer.

He was born Aug. 2, 1922, at Stockett, the son of George and Bertha Galitzcek. He was raised and educated in the Stockett area, graduating from Sand Coulee High School in 1940.

He worked in a bakery as a young man, then served in Europe with the Army Air Corps during World War II. Following his honorable discharge, he came to Great Falls, where he became assistant manager at Newberry's Store.

Howard moved to Seattle in about 1952, and worked for Boeing Co. for several years. He then became a salesman in the food industry for many years.

On Sept. 3, 1960, he married Ella Mae Webb in Seattle, where they made their home until coming to Marion in 1969. He operated Lake Park Grocery

in Marion until July of 1986, when the couple moved to Kalispell.

He had been a member of the Kalispell Eagles Lodge.

Surviving besides his wife at the family home in Kalispell are one son, Gregory Galitzcek of Seattle; two daughters, Dawn DeLong and "Jinx" Nola Galitzcek, both of Seattle; two brothers, George "Bud" Galitzcek of Medical Lake, Wash., and Harold Galitzcek of Seattle; three sisters, Edna Nelson, Priscilla Little, and Audrey Wilson, all of Shelby; three grandchildren, and numerous other relatives. He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, Merlin.

Memorial services will be 2 p.m. Saturday at the Weatherford Funeral Home with the Rev. Marvin Northcutt, pastor of Epworth United Methodist Church, officiating. Cremation has taken place.

The family suggests memorial contributions to a charity of the donor's choice.

W.A. Gallagher, 86

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William A. Gallagher, 86, died Tuesday morning at Montana Veterans Home in Columbia Falls.

He worked in the Navy shipyards in Bremerton for many years. He also worked as a construction engineer in Alaska and Washington. He retired in 1972 and moved to Lincoln.

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He was born Jan. 10, 1902, in Libby, to Patrick and Etta Gallagher. He was raised and educated in eastern Washington.

He served in the Marine Corps during World War I. He later completed three years of college at

Notre Dame, majoring in electrical engineering.

Survivors include his wife of 43 years, Thelma Gallagher of Lincoln; a daughter, Paula Vierra of Stockton, Calif.; three sisters, Ruth Holcombe of Redding, Calif., Mary Horrbin of Seattle, Wash., and Ellen Southworth of San Francisco, Calif.; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Cremation and arrangements are by Van Leuven Funeral Home in Columbia Falls.

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Ella H. Gallis, 91

1 June 1988

Ella H. Gallis, 91, Whitefish, died Sunday afternoon of natural causes at North Valley Extended Care in Whitefish.

She was born Oct. 4, 1896, in Dymock, England, the daughter of Charles and Eva Passey. Her family came to the United States in about 1900. They lived in Missouri for just a few years before settling at the north end of Kalispell. Ella attended the public schools in Kalispell, graduating from Flathead County High School.

On June 6, 1925, she married Ole Gallis in Kalispell and the couple made their home in the Bissell area near Whitefish.

Ella had taught school in eastern Montana prior to her marriage, and then taught for several years more around the Flathead Valley.

She was a longtime member of the

Grange, and belonged to the Whitefish Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ole Gallis, in 1961, and by two brothers, Charles and Jack Passey, and three sisters, Violet Goddard, Winnie Johnson and Olive Passey.

Surviving are her son, Leo and Karen Gallis of Whitefish; her three grandchildren, Erin, Ellisa and Darlene Gallis, all at the family home in Whitefish; and a number of other relatives.

Visitation will be today until 8 p.m. at the Weatherford Funeral Home.

Funeral services are Thursday at 11 a.m. at the Weatherford Chapel, with Bishop Garty Watterud officiating. Burial will follow at C.E. Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

John A. Galloway, 61 *21 Aug 89*

John Albert Galloway, 61, of Kalispell, died at Kalispell Regional Hospital Thursday morning.

He was born June 28, 1927, in Shelley, Idaho, a son of Hugh and Mary Galloway. When he was 2 years old, he moved with his family to Montana, living in Butte, Kila and then Kalispell. On May 3, 1945, he entered the U.S. Navy, serving as a Seaman First Class until receiving his honorable discharge on July 25, 1946 in Shoemaker, Calif.

On Jan. 7, 1949, he was married to Wilma Ruth Buck in Kalispell. Mr. Galloway had been a self-employed logger most of his life.

He was preceded in death by his

mother in 1972; his father in 1980; two brothers and one sister; and a granddaughter, Tammy Galloway. He is now survived by his wife Wilma at home, two sons, David and John Galloway; four daughters, Lynn Galloway, Delphine Freeman, Melody Galloway and Nancy Galloway, all of Kalispell; eighteen grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Graveside services for Mr. Galloway will be held at 3 p.m. on Monday in the Glacier Memorial Gardens. Military honors will be conducted by the local veterans organizations. Friends meet at the cemetery for the services. Friends may call at the Johnson Mortuary from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. on Monday for visitation.

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Mountain lion kills Evaro boy *1989*

Hair and clothing in the stomach of a yearling mountain lion provided undisputed evidence that the lion was involved in attacking a 5-year-old Evaro boy.

The hunt continues for a second lion also believed to be involved in the September 10 death of Jake Thomas Gardipe. The yearling was shot shortly after the boy's body was found.

Francis Cahoon, a trapper and wildlife biologist, is hunting for the second lion but authorities fear that as time passes there will be no way to link another lion to the killing. Even though time is against efforts to destroy the other lion, the chief of the Salish-Kootenai Tribal Fish and Wildlife Department said the hunt will continue "indefinitely."

Allen H. Garrison, 56 *20 April 1989*

Allen H. Garrison, 56, of Eureka, died of a heart attack Thursday en route to North Valley Hospital in Whitefish.

Born June 18, 1932, in Malta to William and Louise Garrison, he was raised and educated in Eureka.

On April 9, 1973, he married Betty Williams in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

Except for two years on the North Slope in Alaska, Mr. Garrison was a rancher and logger all his life.

Survivors include his wife and mother, both of Eureka; four daughters, Vicky Pluid and Becky Karr of Eureka, Jean Henley of Abilene, Texas, and Bobbi Brock of Hawthorne,

Nev.; a son, Thomas of Eureka; a brother, Miles of Anchorage, Alaska; a stepdaughter, Debby Church of Yakima, Wash.; four stepsons, Jeff Baker and David Baker, both of Wenatchee, Wash., Ronald Baker of Eureka, and Gregg Stockner of Missoula; 22 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 1 p.m. Monday at Eureka Baptist Church with the Rev. Jim Rogers and the Rev. Carl Pershall officiating. Burial will be at Tobacco Valley Cemetery under the direction of Vial Funeral Home of Eureka.

The family suggests memorials to the heart fund.

CULBERTSON — GARBE, Ervin F., 84, died of natural causes Thursday in a Culbertson nursing home. Services 11 a.m. Monday in Culbertson Trinity Lutheran Church; burial in Richland Memorial Park, Sidney. Born and raised in Bottineau County, N.D., graduated from Fargo business school, as a licensed public accountant. Married Kathryn Page in 1926 in Minot, N.D. Lived in Minnesota and North Dakota before moving in 1944 to Culbertson, where he worked as accountant for D&B Elevator Corporation. Later opened own accounting firm, until retiring in 1976 due to ill health. Was Culbertson town clerk from 1944 to 1976. Former secretary of Northeastern Montana Woolgrowers. His wife died in 1982. Survivors: son, Ervin Jr. of Minneapolis; daughters, Mary Ellen Rodgers of Max, N.D., and JoAnn Fredenberg of Columbia Falls; sisters, Ida Hedahl of Minot, Anna Smette of Westhope, N.D., and Elsie Strom of Bottineau; eight grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

and Helen Eggedrecht and Violet Parsley, all of Wolf Point, Clarice Brekke and Elna Miller, both of of Velva, N.D.

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11-18-1988

Mayme M. Geddes, 87

Mrs. Mayme M. Geddes, 87, of Kalispell, died in the Immanuel Lutheran Home in Kalispell on Thursday afternoon.

She was born Dec. 24, 1900, in New Castle, Neb., a daughter of William and Minnie Elyson Stewart. She was one of 10 children.

She graduated from high school and completed three years of teacher's college in South Dakota. She later taught at Geddes, S.D.

On Jan. 10, 1923, she married S. Reed Geddes in Ponca, Neb. They worked hard on the family farm there. In the winter of 1934, the Geddeses sold the farm and packed up the three children and moved to Montana, where Reed went into real estate and insurance business.

Mayme was an active member and past deacon of the First Presbyterian Church. She was a 50-year member of the Adah Chapter No. 17, Order of the Eastern Star; past president of the Daughters of the Nile; Flathead Rose Society (think of her while you are enjoying the roses at Woodland Park);



the Rikkwa Garden Club; and an active board member of the Salvation Army for many years. She was also a member of the Grand Cross of Color.

She was preceded in death by her daughter, Yvonne Geddes, on June 11, 1955; her grandson, Jeffrey Reed Geddes, on March 9, 1956; her son, Eddy S. Geddes, on Oct. 26, 1968; and her husband, S. Reed Geddes, on Feb. 11, 1976.

She is now survived by one daughter, Mrs. Harold (Beverly J.) Paullin, of Charlotte, N.C.; five grandchildren, Stephen Geddes of Kalispell, Rhonda Geddes of Columbia Falls, Pam (Paullin) Finberg, Mark Paullin and Patrick Paullin, all of Charlotte, N.C.; seven great-grandchildren; one sister, Lillian Westerhaus of Kalispell; her former daughter-in-law, Ruth Geddes Weaver of Kalispell, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Johnson Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Barry Dawson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating. Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery where ritualistic graveside rites will be conducted by Adah Chapter No. 17, Order of the Eastern Star. Friends may call at the Johnson Mortuary until 8 p.m. today for visitation.

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29 Dec 1988

Bernard J. Geissler, 85

Bernard J. Geissler, 85, Columbia Falls, died Sunday (Dec. 25) as the result of an automobile accident on Highway 206 near Columbia Falls.

He was born Nov. 13, 1903, at Tilden, Wis., the son of Joe and Veronica Geissler.

On Oct. 26, 1925, he married Luella Turner in Milwaukee, Wis., and they made their home in Chippewa Falls, Wis.

Mr. Geissler was employed at the U.S. Rubber Company in Eau Claire, Wis. for many years.

In 1950, he moved to the Bad Rock area near Columbia Falls, where he farmed, raised mink, and worked for Vandevanter Meats. He moved to the Deer Park community in the mid-1960s, and had lived in Columbia Heights for the past three years.

His wife, Luella, passed away on April, 15, 1985. He was also preceded in death by a son, Sheldon, and a sister, Rose Tanzer.

On Oct. 1, 1985, he married Ellen Boehme at Columbia Falls, and she survives him at the family home. He is also survived by a stepdaughter, Darlene Hammond of Columbia Falls; three brothers, Arnold Geissler of Menominee, Wis., Alfred Geissler of Chippewa Falls, and Dr. Robert Geissler of Eau Claire; three sisters, Evelyn Goulet of Turtle Lake, Wis., Marie Maulwurf of Chippewa Falls, and Viola Hallsman of Huntingburg, Ind.; four stepgrandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Memorial services will be Friday at 10 a.m. at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Columbia Falls, with Rev. Thomas J. Gopp officiating. Private urn burial will be at Woodlawn Cemetery, Columbia Falls. Arrangements are by the Weatherford Funeral Home and Crematory in Kalispell.

Memorial contributions are suggested to the East Valley QRU, 51 Riverside Road, Kalispell, 59901.

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15 May 1988

Anne Marie Gentz, 92

Mrs. Anne Marie Gentz, age 92, died in the Lake View Care Center on Friday afternoon.

She was born October 22, 1895, in Dundee Township, Walsh County, North Dakota, a daughter of Ole and Kari Rinde. She had received her education in North Dakota, and was a graduate of the Mayville Teachers College in the class of 1916. She then taught school at Max, Stanton and Beulah, N.D.

In 1919, she was married to Fred Gentz in the Park Center Parsonage of Hoople, N.D. During the early 1930s, her husband had been a federal employee in the ranches of the Badlands area. In the late 1930s, the couple moved to Fairview, Montana, where they homesteaded. In 1955, they retired and moved to Lakeside.

Mrs. Gentz was preceded in death by her husband, Fred, on July 5, 1968.

She continued to live in Lakeside until 1974, when she moved to Kalispell. She was a life member of the Order of the Eastern Star, and a member of the Daughters of the Nile, the Lakeside Chapel and the Sons of Norway. She helped many organizations through her donations.

She is now survived by a sister, Evelyn Florence of Minot, N.D., and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services for Mrs. Gentz will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Johnson Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Chauncey Biffle, retired Methodist minister, officiating. Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Johnson Mortuary from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m. on Sunday for visitation. Memorials to the Children's Home of Jamestown, North Dakota have been suggested.

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21 Dec 1988

Robert R. Gibson, 82

Robert R. Gibson, Somers, died on Tuesday at his home of natural causes.

He was born April 23, 1906, in Spiceland, Ind., a son of Thomas A. and Maude (Lane) Gibson. He moved to Chinook at an early age, where he received his elementary education. He later moved to Kalispell where he was a graduate of Flathead County High School.

He married Lucy Douglas in October 1935, and she preceded him in death on April 22, 1947.

Mr. Gibson was employed at the Ford garage in Kalispell for many years. He retired from the Montana State Department of Highways in 1972, after 25 years of service.

He was an avid hunter and fisherman.

Also preceding him in death were

one brother, Sam Gibson, and one sister, Phyllis Dale.

He is survived by one son, Alan Gibson, Kalispell; three daughters, Roberta Herzog, Bigfork, Sandra Haven, Kalispell, and Margo Colby, Kalispell; one brother, Choteau Gibson, Kalispell; three sisters, Reba Bergan, Kalispell, LaVaughn Croskrey, Kalispell, and Ivanetta Grandy, also of Kalispell; 15 great grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services for Mr. Gibson will be at 11 a.m. Thursday in Johnson Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Marvin Northcutt, pastor of Epworth United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will follow in Conrad Memorial Cemetery. Friends and relatives may call at the Johnson Mortuary from noon until 8 tonight for visitation.

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Donna Mae Gilbert, 59 1-1-1989

Donna Mae Gilbert, 59, of Kalispell, died at home Friday morning following an illness with cancer.

She was born May 11, 1929, in Bremerton, Wash., the daughter of Donald and Margaret Ledger. She was raised and educated in Great Falls, graduating from Great Falls High School in 1947.



On May 10, 1952, she married Warren Gilbert in Great Falls, and the couple resided there until moving to Kalispell in 1972. She had been a dental assistant in Great Falls, for both Dr. Stephens and Dr. Westler.

Mrs. Gilbert was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in both Great Falls and Kalispell. She enjoyed camping and the out-of-doors. She was preceded in death by her

father in 1957, and a sister, Maxine, in 1986.

Mrs. Gilbert is survived by her husband Warren at the family home in Kalispell; three sons, Donald C. Gilbert, Ronald J. Gilbert and his wife Dorothy, and Jeffrey L. Gilbert, all of Kalispell; a daughter, Paula J. Parrott, also of Kalispell; her mother, Mrs. Leonard (Margaret) Ballard of Great Falls, and one granddaughter, Michelle Marie Gilbert of Kalispell.

Visitation will be Monday from noon to 8 p.m. at Weatherford Funeral Home in Kalispell. Funeral services will be Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Weatherford Chapel.

Croxford Funeral Home in Great Falls will have visitation Thursday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., with services at the chapel Thursday at 2 p.m. Burial will follow at Highland Cemetery in Great Falls.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 1002, Kalispell, 59903-1002.

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Ellen L. Gilleard, 75

1 April 1988

POLSON — Ellen L. Gilleard, 75, of Polson, died March 30 at St. Joseph Convalescent Center.

Survivors include her husband, Clay Gilleard, Polson; two sons; two daughters; and three sisters.

Services were this morning at Mosley-Shrider Funeral Home. Burial was at Lakeview Cemetery in Polson.

Memorials to the Piano Fund at Pablo Christian Church are suggested.

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Walter Michael Gillen, 77 4-5-1988

Mr. Walter Michael Gillen, age 77, of Kalispell, died instantly on Sunday when struck by an oncoming automobile on Columbia Falls Stage.

He was born Dec. 30, 1910, in Everett, Wash., a son of Michael and Jessie Gillen, who were early settlers in Kalispell.

On Jan. 6, 1940, he was married to Vernetta Kaegler in Seattle, Wash. She was a local resident, born and raised in Kalispell.

In 1944, the couple moved to Long Beach, Calif., where Mr. Gillen was a marine electrician for several contractors, retiring in May of 1973, after 25 years of service with the Long Beach Naval Shipyards. He and his wife

retired to Kalispell in 1973 and have resided in their present Kalispell home since that time.

He is survived by his widow, Vernetta, at home; two sisters-in-law, Bernice Kelly and Annabelle Harris, both of Kalispell; three nephews and their families and numerous friends.

Graveside services for Mr. Gillen will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery with Father Michael O'Neill of St. Matthew's Catholic Church officiating. Friends will meet at the cemetery for the services. Friends may call at the Johnson Mortuary for visitation until 8 tonight.

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Ethel W. Gillespie, 88

7 June 1988

Mrs. Ethel W. Gillespie, age 88, died in the Immanuel Lutheran Home on Sunday morning.

She was born July 27, 1899, in Kalispell, a daughter of Robert E. and Stella Richardson Wells. Her great-grandfather, Richardson, was the first teacher in the Flathead Valley when it was Demersville. She had attended Sparks School and graduated from Flathead County High School in the Class of 1917.

She worked with her father during the summers in a butcher shop and general store he operated northwest of Kalispell.

She had received her teacher's permit from the Lewistown Summer Normal School in 1920, and her first teaching assignment was at the Pleasant Valley School in Toole County. Here she met her husband, Burl Gillespie, and they were married on May 12, 1923, in Whitefish.

Soon after they were married they adopted a 2-month-old girl, Dorothy, who now resides at the homeplace northwest of Kalispell. Later they had a son, Richard, and several years later they acquired two more foster daughters.

In 1942, she returned to the State Normal College at Dillon, and taught in many of the rural schools in the Flathead Valley.

She also started the first school band in Evergreen.

About 1957, she returned to the east side of the mountains and taught in Pondera, Liberty, Glacier and Toole counties until forced to retire when she was 70 years old.

She had attended summer school and had received her bachelor of arts degree at Havre at the age of 65.

She and her husband spent several retirement years at Kevin, before illness forced them to return to Kalispell.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Burl, in 1973, and she continued to live on their homeplace until entering the Immanuel Lutheran Home.

She had enjoyed teaching, children, and gardening.

She is now survived by her son, Richard Gillespie, of Kila; three daughters, Mrs. Robert (Dorothy) Sherman of Kalispell, Mrs. Don (Rose) Anderson of St. George, Utah, and Mary Benson of Great Falls; a sister, Edith Britton of Portland, Ore.; 13 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services for Mrs. Gillespie will be held at 3 p.m. on Thursday in the Johnson Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Marvin Northcutt, pastor of the Epworth United Methodist Church, officiating. Graveside services and burial will be held at 1 p.m. on Friday in the Crown Hill Cemetery at Cut Bank.

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Richard Ralph Gillespie, 61

Mr. Richard Ralph Gillespie, age 61, of Kila, died in the Brendan House on Friday.

He was born Oct. 30, 1926, in Kalispell, a son of Burl and Ethel Gillespie. He had attended Bad Rock Elementary School and completed two years at Flathead County High School.

He worked for the U.S. Forest Service from 1943-45, clearing trails and other conservation work.

He enlisted in the U.S. Army, serving as Army Tech 5th Grade in Headquarter Co. 6th Tank Bn. until receiving his honorable discharge on Nov. 18, 1945, at Camp McCoy, Wisc. He then re-enlisted for another 13 months and was recipient of a World War II Victory Medal.

He then worked for several years at the Union Oil Refinery in Cut Bank, Montana, before returning to Kalispell.

On June 25, 1950, he was married to Helen Seewald in Kalispell. Mr. Gillespie then worked at the pole yard and as a sawyer. He helped clear the right-of-way around Hungry Horse Dam. He and his family returned to Cut Bank, where they farmed and ranched until their retirement in 1976. He had been chairman of School District 26 in Toole County for many years, and was

on the board of directors of Farmers Supply Co-op Oil Co. of Sunburst for a time.

He loved animals and directed his children with their 4-H projects, including beef, horse and rabbit projects. As a child, he trained his colt, Smokey, to do tricks, and he had also ridden in rodeos and broke horses as a young man.

He is now survived by his wife, Helen, at home; six children, Danny Gillespie of Kalispell, Ralph Gillespie of Shelby, Mrs. Wanda Bosell in New Mexico, Mrs. Gary (Barbara) Harmon of Shelby, Joe Gillespie of Glendive, and Mrs. Bruce (Caroline) Sales of Denver; three sisters, Mrs. Robert (Dorothy) Sherman of Kalispell, Mary Benson of Great Falls; and Mrs. Don (Rose) Anderson of St. George, Utah; 13 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Memorial services for Mr. Gillespie will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday in the Johnson Mortuary Chapel, with the Rev. Marvin Northcutt, pastor of the Epworth United Methodist Church, officiating. Cremation and arrangements are under the direction of the Johnson Mortuary. *26 June 1988*

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Arthur W. Golie, 83 *4 Dec 1988*

Arthur W. Golie, 83, of Whitefish, died of natural causes Nov. 30 at the home of his son in Troy.

He was born June 13, 1905, in Sacred Heart, Minn., son of Henry P. and Ida Golie. He was raised and received his education in Minnesota and at a young age, started working for the Great Northern Railway in Minnesota. In 1942, he transferred with the railroad to Whitefish, where he was employed in the car department as a foreman. He retired in 1970.

He was married to Maria M. Fuhrer on Dec. 31, 1931, in Great Falls, and she preceded him in death on Dec. 1,

1979.

He is now survived by one daughter, Betty Leonard of Portland, Ore.; two sons, Jack, of Troy, and Sid, of Whitefish; nine grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; two brothers, Hubert "Lars" and Lowell, both of Havre; and a number of other relatives.

He was preceded in death by four brothers, three sisters, and one granddaughter.

Funeral services will be Monday at 2 p.m. at the Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish with Dr. David V. Kauffman of Whitefish officiating. Burial will be made in Glacier Memorial Gardens.

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Willis 'Bud' Gorton, 68

Willis "Bud" Gorton, 68, long-time general manager of Equity Supply Co., died Monday at his home in Kalispell.

He had retired in 1981.

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Fredrick Glover, 77

RONAN — Fredrick 'Fred' Marshall Glover, 77, of Ronan died Wednesday in Missoula.

He worked as a logger and caterpillar operator for many years. A native of Finley Point, he grew up in St. Ignatius.

Rosary will be recited at 8 p.m. Monday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Ronan. Services will be 10 a.m. Tuesday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. *24 July 88*

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Ellen B. Gorder, 79

POLSON — Ellen B. Gorder, 79, of Polson, died Saturday at St. Joseph Hospital.

She and her husband Clarence O. Gorder, operated the Mercury Dry Cleaners in Kalispell the 1940s. They moved to Choteau in 1951 and retired at Polson in 1973.

She is survived by three sisters, including Kathryn Naman, Kalispell; three brothers

Services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church. Burial will be at Lakeview Cemetery. *22 May 1988*

He was born and raised in Kalispell and had lived here most of his life.

He graduated from Flathead County High School in 1938 and worked at Equity Supply for two years prior to World War II.

He served in the U.S. Army during the war, then returned to Equity, serving as assistant manager, then promoted to manager.

He was active in numerous church, civic and fraternal groups and served on the Fair-Mont-Egan school board.

He married Lila Dahler in Kalispell in 1957. She preceded him in death.

Survivors include three children, Brad, Dan and Sue Gorton, all of Kalispell; and three sisters, including Irene Walter, Kalispell.

Services will be Thursday at 10 a.m. in Bethlehem Lutheran Church. Burial will be at Conrad Memorial Cemetery. Visitation will be until 8 p.m. Wednesday at Johnson Mortuary.

The family suggests memorials to the charity of the donor's choice. *21 June 1988*

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Darrell Gosset, 46

TROY — Darrell Gosset, 46, Troy, died of a heart attack March 15 at his home.

He owned the Home Bar in Troy. He is survived by his wife, Willie, Troy; a daughter in Canada; five sons including Darren, Troy; a stepdaughter; his mother; a sister and a brother.

Graveside services were today at the Boyd Cemetery in the Yaak area.

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Lee Grady

Oct. 5, 1988 Ft. H. News

Lee W. Grady, 78, a resident of the Montana Veterans Home since 1978, died Monday at the home.

He was born June 11, 1910, in Havre to John P. and Carrie E. Grady. He attended Carroll College for two years.

He worked for Montana-Dakota Utilities before entering the Navy in 1943. He served with the Seabees and was discharged in 1946.

He was formerly of Havre and worked as an auto repairman.

Surviving are one sister, Jean Mack, of Havre; and three nieces.

Cremation is under the direction of Van Leuven Funeral Home. No services are planned.

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Dustin Douglas Graham

Dustin Douglas Graham, 4-month-old son of Kelvin and Sherri Graham of Columbia Falls, died April 18 of unknown causes. An autopsy report is pending.

He was born Dec. 1, 1987, in Whitefish.

Survivors include his parents, a brother, Derek, and a sister, Jessica, all of the family home; grandparents Katherine and Kenneth Graham of Whitefish, Skylea Curtis, Bend, Ore., and Gary McEntire, Seattle.

Services will be Friday at 1 p.m. at Glacier Memorial Gardens

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Fred L. Granbois, 78

Fred L. Granbois, 78, Montana Veterans Nursing Home, died Saturday at the home. Services will be Thursday in Medicine Lake.

11 July 1988

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William Gottlob, 72

16 Feb 1988
William T. "Bill" Gottlob, 72, died Tuesday evening at his Evergreen home following a lengthy illness.

He was born Jan. 4, 1916, in Omaha, Neb., to William and Rebekah Gottlob. He was raised and educated in Nebraska.

He had lived in Kalispell since 1965.

He was a member of Christ Church Episcopal; Kalispell Lodge No. 42. AF&AM; Adah Chapter No. 17, Order of the Eastern Star; Scottish Rite; and Operating Engineers Local 400 in Helena.

On Sept. 30, 1945, he married Pauline Bestol, and she survives him at the family home in Kalispell.

He is also survived by two sons, David Gottlob of Whitehorse, Yukon, and Neil Gottlob of Grand Island, Neb.; a daughter, Dolly Gottlob of Kalispell; three sisters; and six grandchildren.

Public memorial services will not be held. Arrangements and cremation are by Weatherford Funeral Home & Crematory.

The family suggests memorial contributions to a charity of donor's choice.

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Leonard T. Graves, 89

POLSON — Leonard T. Graves, 89, Polson, died at St. Joseph's Nursing Center March 15.

He was a bookkeeper and accountant for Dewey Lumber Co. for more than 40 years.

Survivors include his wife, Joy, Polson; two daughters, including Janet Giffin, Polson; two stepchildren; and two sisters. *16 Mar 88*

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Grace C. Green, 77

POLSON — Grace C. Green, 77, of Polson, died Tuesday at St. Joseph Convalescent Center in Polson.

She was a member of the Jehovah's Witnesses South Con-

gregation in Polson and a pioneer minister.

Memorial services will be Friday at 2 p.m. at the South Congregation Kingdom Hall. *10 March 1988*

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Phoebe G. Grazier, 98

7 March 1988
Phoebe G. Grazier, 98, died Monday at Immanuel Lutheran Home.

She was born on Sept. 1, 1889, in Clarion County, Pa., to Wilson and Laura Switzer, one of seven children.

She married Albert Vern Grazier in 1913. They homesteaded in Choteau County near Fort Benton, raising cattle and wheat.

The family later moved to the Flat-head Valley, where they ranched until 1956.

Mrs. Grazier moved to Missoula in 1957 and later lived in Polson and Spokahne.

She was active in singing groups and traveled with senior citizen groups to Spain, Hawaii, Alaska and various places in the continental United States.

She moved to Missoula Manor at age 90. Since 1987 she lived in Kalispell to be near a granddaughter, Donna Bridwell.

Survivors include a daughter, Vivian Weedman, Washington, D.C.; two sons, Glen, Seattle, and Don, Garrison; nine grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband and a daughter, Vera, both in 1956.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Thursday at Fearon Funeral Chapel in St. Ignatius with the Rev. Chuck English officiating. Visitation will be Thursday morning until service time.

Burial will be in Pleasant View Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Fritz Wipflinger, Cal Smith, Ed Priddy, Howard Moss, Jack Brever and Dwight Nicholson.

Elizabeth Greene

Elizabeth Greene, 93, of Columbia Falls, died Nov. 30 at North Valley Extended Care in Whitefish.

She was born Jan 12, 1895, in Barlborough, England to John Henry and Annie Gregory. He was a coal miner. Mrs. Greene was raised and educated in England until 1907 when the family moved to Canada, where her father continued to mine coal.



Elizabeth Greene

She married Ferd C. Greene on April 10, 1916 in Fernie, British Columbia, and they moved to Columbia Falls two days later. Ferd was a telegrapher with the Great Northern Railroad.

At age 81, she visited the school and church she attended in England.

She was a member for more than 60 years of the Methodist Aid, the United Methodist Church, the Royal Neighbors Lodge, was active in the Red Cross for many years and was interested in the Church Women United's Christian Service Center.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband in 1947, one daughter, Ruth Ann, three brothers and two sisters.

Surviving are one daughter, Ruby Kvaam of Concord, Calif.; three sons, Melvin Greene of San Antonio, Texas, and Howard and Allan Greene of Columbia Falls; 14 grandchildren, Dale Greene, of Columbia Falls, Betty, of Hawaii, Mahlon Greene, of Wasilla, Alaska, Greg Greene, of Whitefish, Corine Matteson and Mike Hartigan, both of Columbia Falls, Mike Greene, California, Pat Miles, of Columbia Falls, Beverly Tenzien, Martinez, Calif., Melvin Greene Jr., Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala., Kathy Adams, Montgomery, Ala., Mary Greene, Austin, Texas, Margaret LaBove, Houston, Texas, Stephanie Werner, Austin, Texas; 28 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were Saturday at Van Leuven Funeral Home in Columbia Falls with the Rev. Howard Hunter of the United Methodist Church officiating. Private family graveside service followed at Conrad Memorial Cemetery in Kalispell.

Robert Greenland, 51 7-17-1988

Robert Greenland, 51, died in Bothell, Wash., on Wednesday, July 13, following a lengthy illness.

He was born May 28, 1937, in Kalispell, and received his education there. He graduated from the Flathead County High School.

He then served on the U.S.S. Fletcher in the U.S. Navy until receiving his honorable discharge in 1958.

On June 6, 1959, he married Bonnie Nelson in the Epworth Methodist Church of Kalispell.

Mr. Greenland had been doing construction work in Seattle until his illness.

He was a member of the American Legion Post No. 127 of Seattle, and the V.F.W. Post No. 7761 of Seattle.

He was preceded in death by his

mother, Alma Harding, in January 1971.

He is now survived by his wife, Bonnie, at the home in Bothell; his father, Dale Greenland, of Mead, Wash.; two sisters, Joan Olson of Kalispell, and Barbara McGuire of Libby; his mother and father-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nelson of Kalispell, and several aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Monday in the Epworth United Methodist Church with the Rev. Marvin Northcutt officiating.

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

Local arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary.

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Mildred Mae Greer, 81 3 May 1988

Mildred Mae Greer, 81, of Kalispell, died Sunday morning of natural causes at North Valley Hospital in Whitefish.

She was born May 12, 1906, at Lansford, Minn., the daughter of Frank and Clara Turner.

On Sept. 20, 1923, she married M.E. Greer in McGregor, Minn., and they moved to the Flathead Valley in 1931. Mr. Greer passed away in February of 1981.

Surviving are a son, Kenneth E. Greer of Fortine; a daughter, Mary Lou

Schmalz of Kila; eight grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, three sisters, and one brother.

Visitation will be at the Weatherford Funeral Home today from noon until 8 p.m. and Wednesday from 9-10 a.m.

Graveside funeral services will be Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Glacier Memorial Gardens with Rev. Marvin Northcutt, pastor of Epworth United Methodist Church, officiating. Friends and family will gather at the cemetery.

DI

Vivian 'Cleo' Grenfell, 67 26 May 1988

Mrs. Vivian "Cleo" Grenfell, age 67, of Hot Springs, died in Billings on Sunday following an illness with cancer.

She was born April 4, 1921, in Somers, a daughter of Otto and Velma Curtis Marshall. She had attended local schools and was a graduate of the Flathead County High School.

She was then employed as a bookkeeper for the Montgomery Ward store.

In 1939, she was married to Harry McGee in Kalispell.

She later moved to Missoula where she was a bookkeeper and credit manager until her retirement.

On June 27, 1970, she was married to Robert Grenfell in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. The couple retired to Hot Springs in 1978, where they bought a small farm.

Mrs. Grenfell was a member of the



Hot Springs Senior Citizens. She enjoyed knitting, crocheting and bowling.

She has spent the last six months in Billings to be near her daughter for care.

She is now survived by her husband, Robert, of Hot Springs; a son, Wayne "Mickey" McGee of Soda Springs, Idaho; a daughter, Diana Stoller of Billings; a stepdaughter, Connie Martin of Victor; two stepsons, Brian Grenfell of Arlee, and Robert Grenfell of Missoula; a brother, Wayne A. Marshall of Priest River, Idaho; a sister, Louise Wilson of Kalispell; 18 grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services for Mrs. Grenfell will be held at 2 p.m. on Friday in the Johnson Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Dr. Eugene Mockabee, pastor of the Central Christian Church, officiating. Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Visitation at Johnson Mortuary will be until 8 tonight.

DI

Viola Grice, 62

Jan 14 1988
 Viola V. Grice, 62, Somers, died Monday at Kalispell Regional Hospital following a brief illness with cancer.

She was born Oct. 7, 1925, in Roseburg, Ore., to Gus and Velma Smith. She grew up and was educated in Camas, Wash.

In 1951, she married Keith L. Grice in Somers, and he survives her at the family home.

Also surviving are a son, Terry Walden of Kalispell; three daughters, Norma Commers of Missoula, Kay Grice of Libby, and Turea Sharbono of Somers; her mother, Velma Smith of Washougal, Wash.; three sisters, Noma Ostenson of Washougal, Madlyn Slowther of Camas, and Pat Hamm of Arvada, Colo.; seven grandchildren; and a number of other relatives.

Visitation will be from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday at Weatherford Funeral Home.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Friday at Weatherford Chapel with the Rev. J. Torrance Harvey of Lakeside Community Chapel officiating. Cremation will follow the services.

The family suggests memorial contributions to the Eagles Cancer Fund, 34 First St. W., Kalispell.

Morley J. "Jim" Griggs, 71

28 July 1988

Morley J. "Jim" Griggs, 71, Kalispell, died Tuesday at Kalispell Regional Hospital, following a brief illness with cancer.

He was born Jan. 22, 1917, in Great Falls, the son of Morley and Pearl Griggs. He was raised and educated in Great Falls.



In 1938, he went to work for the Great Northern Railroad as a switchman until 1942. He then worked as a brakeman for Southern Pacific and Sante Fe Railroads in California. He was later engaged in pest control work and property management in California.

In 1980, Mr. Griggs returned to Great Falls, where he managed three apartment buildings.

He retired in 1985, and lived in Libby until coming to Kalispell in March 1987.

He married Lucille "Luci" Weeks in Reno, Nev., in 1950, and she survives him at the family home in Kalispell. Also surviving are two sons, James Wooley of Somers, and William Prothero of Westbury, N.Y.; two grandchildren in Westbury; a sister, Alma Ecklund of Great Falls; a brother, Clinton Bowers, also in Great Falls; an uncle and aunt, Ken and Dori Hait of Hemet, Calif.; and numerous other relatives.

There will be no public services. Arrangements and cremation are by Weatherford Funeral Home & Crematory in Kalispell.

DI

Ben I. Grilley, 82

24 June 1988

Ben I. Grilley, 82, Columbia Falls, died Wednesday morning of natural causes at Kalispell Regional Hospital.

He was born Aug. 10, 1905, in Deering, N.D., the son of Lester and Emma Grilley.

On Dec. 3, 1924, he married Clara Norsby at Townes, N.D., and they moved to the Flathead Valley in 1925. They lived in Marion at first, and then Kalispell. Ben operated a sawmill.

During the 1950s, they spent about eight years in Alaska, where Ben also operated a sawmill.

After retiring in 1965, the Grilleys spent several years touring the country in a motor home. They then lived in Arizona for about 15 years.

They returned to the Flathead Valley in the fall of 1987, and had been living in Columbia Falls.

Ben was an avid hunter, card player, dancer, and horseshoe thrower. He enjoyed spending time with his friends and family, especially

his grandchildren. He was also a great baseball fan.

Survivors include his wife, Clara Grilley, at the family home; three sons, Wesley Grilley of Kalispell, Ward Grilley of Polson, and Roger Grilley of Columbia Falls; two daughters, Odean Brown of Burley, Idaho, and Virginia Loveless of Blackfoot, Idaho; three brothers, Marland Grilley of Shelton, Wash., Vern Grilley of Columbia Falls, and Floyd Grilley of Wallowa, Ore.; two sisters, Iva Parr of Shelton, and Olive Fordham of Sunnyside, Calif.; 18 grandchildren, and numerous great-grandchildren and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a son, Alvin, a daughter, Jeanette Northey, and a brother, Kenneth.

The family will receive friends tonight from 6-8 at the Weatherford Funeral Home.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 10 a.m. at the Weatherford Chapel, with Rev. Howard Hunter, pastor of the United Methodist Church of Columbia Falls, officiating. Burial will be at the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

DI

Fred Grob, 81

10 July 1988

EUREKA — Fred Grob, 81, of Rexford, died of natural causes Thursday, July 7, at North Valley Extended Care in Whitefish.

He was born Jan. 5, 1907, at Lowpoint, Ill., to Louis and Elizabeth Grob. He came to the Flathead Valley with his parents and farmed near Creston. He attended schools at Creston and lived in the Flathead Valley.

In 1948, Mr. Grob moved to the Tobacco Valley. He farmed near Sophie Lake and was employed in construction and logging in the Eureka-Rexford area. He also worked as a guide in the Bob Marshall Wil-

derness.

Survivors include his wife, Edna, Rexford; two sons, Duane, Billings, and Rufus, Rexford; five daughters, Joann Adams, Kalispell, Betty Turner, Seattle, Marilyn Smith, Trail, B.C., Pearl Fowler, Rexford, and Phoebe Grob, Phoenix, Ariz.; two brothers, Arne, Creston, and Chris, Kalispell; 16 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Services will be 2 p.m. Monday at Vial Funeral Home in Eureka, with the Rev. Carl Pershall officiating.

The family suggests memorials to Eureka Ambulance, Box 736, Eureka, MT 59917.

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Elizabeth M. Grondin, 77 31 Jan 1989

Elizabeth M. Grondin, 77, left her family and friends at her home in Columbia Falls on Jan. 28.

She was born Oct. 16, 1911, in Bemidji, Minn., a daughter of Frank and Lillian Remley. She was raised and educated in Bemidji and Fargo, N.D. She returned to Bemidji and worked as one of the first telephone operators in Bemidji.

She was married to Ernest J. Grondin on April 4, 1931, in Bemidji. They resided there until moving to Columbia Falls in 1953 where Mr. Grondin was employed at Plum Creek Lumber Co.

Mrs. Grondin was an active member of Our Savior's Lutheran Church and the Senior Citizens Center in Columbia Falls. She enjoyed quilting, gardening, and caring for her flowers. She was very courageous, strong, and full of life.

She was preceded in death by her

parents; her husband, Ernest, in February 1987; one son, Robert; and one brother, Constance (Frank) Remley.

She is survived by two daughters, Elizabeth Taylor of Columbia Falls, and Geneva Reff of Fergus Falls, Minn.; one son, Gordon Grondin of Maple Valley, Wash.; one brother, Charles Remley of Harrison, Idaho; 13 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

A funeral service will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Columbia Falls with the Rev. Thomas Gopp officiating. Burial will follow in Glacier Memorial Gardens.

Visitation will be today from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Van Leuven Funeral Home in Columbia Falls.

The family has suggested that memorials be made to Flathead Hospice, P.O. Box 1532, Kalispell 59901.

DI

Marie Ann Gronley, 89

30 Nov 1988

Mrs. Marie Ann Gronley, 89, died in the Immanuel Lutheran Home on Sunday.

She was born April 26, 1899, in Fairdale, N.D., a daughter of Frank and Frances Vejtasa. She had received her education and graduated from high school in Fairdale.

On Oct. 23, 1919, she was married to Hans Gronley in Fairdale. They continued to reside there until 1942, when they moved to Kalispell and have resided here since that time.

Mrs. Gronley had been employed at the cherry warehouse as a scales operator and had also worked as a clerk for Montgomery Ward prior to her retirement.

She was of the Lutheran faith and had been a member of the Sons of Norway.

She was preceded in death by one son, Sidney, in 1953, her husband, Hans, on June 3, 1972; one sister and five brothers.

She is now survived by four sons, Gerald of Seattle, Wash., Winford of Mount Clemens, Mich., LeRoy and Stanley

Gronley, both of Kalispell; five daughters, Frances Roth of Spokane, Wash., Mrs. Jim (Gwen) Clements of Ardmore, Okla., Mrs. Ernest (Darlene) Polejewski of Yuba City, Calif., Mrs. Lewis (Beverly) Schenck of Idaho Falls, Idaho, and Mrs. Herb (Gloria) Sandon of Kalispell; two sisters, Emelia Vejtasa and Toni Hendrickson, both of Grand Forks, N.D.; three brothers, Anton Vejtasa of Grand Forks, N.D., Bohomal Vejtasa of Hoople, N.D., and Stanley Vejtasa of Ely, Minn.; 32 grandchildren; 49 great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Thursday in the Johnson Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Robert Ross of Christian Center Assembly of God officiating. Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery. The casket will not be open for public viewing.

Memorials may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

DI

Lloyd Gronseth, 62 21 June 1988

Lloyd Gronseth, 62, of Spokane, Wash., a former resident of Williston, N.D., died Thursday, June 9, in the cardiac unit of Deaconess Medical Center in Spokane.

Funeral services were 10 a.m. Monday, June 13, in the Everson Funeral Home Chapel. Pastor Martin Heide officiated.

He was born Aug. 22, 1925, in Grenora to Nels and Mathilda (Nelson) Gronseth. He was reared in Grenora and attended schools there. He also attended Augustana Academy in South Dakota.

He married JoAnn Hinsverk on Sept. 20, 1948, and was employed by

the Nash Finch company in Williston and Kalispell before moving to Spokane in 1959, where he worked for various builders' hardware firms before forming his own company, the H.G. Godson Co., about 10 years ago. He retired in 1983.

He is survived by his wife, JoAnn; one daughter, Trudy (Mrs. Jerry) Swan of Post Falls, Idaho; two grandchildren; five brothers, Levi of Grenora, Roy of Winnebago, Minn., Selmer of Toronto, S.D., Nordt of Brandt, S.D., and Orton of Hemmet, Calif.; one aunt and numerous nieces and nephews.

DI

Ethel B. Groswiler, 80

6-14-1988

Mrs. Ethel B. Groswiler, age 80, formerly of Kalispell, died in Phoenix, Ariz., on Friday evening, June 10.

She was born April 18, 1908, in North Dakota, a daughter of Joseph and Carrie Claridge.

When she was 7 years old she moved with her family to the Flathead Valley where she attended local schools.

On June 28, 1928, she was married to August Groswiler in Kalispell. The couple had ranched and farmed locally until their retirement in 1974.

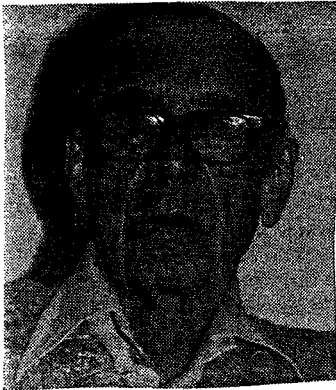
Mrs. Groswiler was preceded in death by her husband, August, on April 2, 1979, and since 1981, she has spent much of the time in Phoenix.

She was a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church.

She is now survived by two daughters, Marcelyn Verley of LaPuente, Calif., and Donn Darling of Phoenix, Arizona; one brother, Bernard Claridge of Buenna Park, Calif.; three sisters, Grace Christopherson and Vivian Herron both of Kalispell, and Naomi Wolff of Puyallup, Wash.; six grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Friends may call at the Johnson Mortuary for visitation until 3:30 today. Graveside services will be at 4 p.m. today in Glacier Memorial Gardens with Rev. Darold Reiner, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran Church officiating. Friends will meet at the cemetery for the services.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Trinity Lutheran Church.



Oscar Grovo, 90

Oscar Grovo, 90, was born at McIntosh, Minn., July 18, 1897, to Peter and Ingaborg Grovo. Both his parents were born in Norway. Oscar was the third of seven children and was raised on a farm at McIntosh. In 1919, the family moved to Kalispell.

Oscar's first employment was with O'Neil Lumber Co. Later he worked as trail crew foreman in Glacier Park. In 1923, he began working for the Great Northern Railway as a carpenter. Then he became a derrick operator and a pile driver engineer for 39½ years until he retired in 1962.

He married Ruth Sorenson Burgard on Dec. 21, 1936, in Seattle, Wash. They made their home in Whitefish, where they lived in the same home for 42 years. They moved to Mountain View Manor and lived there for seven years before moving to Immanuel Lutheran Home, where Oscar died on March 8, 1988.

Oscar was a member of Railroad Veterans, Christ Lutheran Church, the Masonic Lodge of Whitefish, the Order of Eagles in Kalispell, and the Golden Agers.

He is survived by his wife, Ruth, and two sisters, Louise Carlson of Kent, Wash., and Mrs. Don (Myrtle) Buckingham of Sun City, Ariz., and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. at Austin Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Harold Petersen of Christ Lutheran Church in Whitefish officiating. Burial will follow in Conrad Memorial Cemetery in Kalispell.

DI

Ruth B. Guinn, 85

Ruth B. Guinn, 85, Lake Mary Ronan, died Wednesday of natural causes in Polson.

Funeral services will be 1 p.m. Saturday at the Mosley-Shrider Funeral Home in Polson. 9-9-1988

DI

Irene Gustafson, 78

Irene Gustafson, 78, Kalispell, died this morning at Brendan House.

She is survived by her husband, Alfred J. Gustafson, and a sister, Lucille Wheaton, both of Kalispell.

Funeral arrangements are pending. 14 Oct. 1988

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Grayce M. Guon, 87

Grayce M. Banister Guon, 87, a longtime Great Falls resident, died June 24 at North Valley Hospital Extended Care in Whitefish.

She trained as a hairdresser; owned and operated the Park Hotel for Great Falls with her husband, Mike, for many years; and also managed the Don Plaza Motel there for a number of years.

Survivors include two sons, Robert of Whitefish, and David of Great Falls.

Cremation has taken place. A memorial service will be July 9 at 11

a.m. at Hillcrest Memorial in Great Falls.

The family suggests memorials to the American Lung Association.

2 July 1988

Viola Gutridge, 84

24 Feb 1988
 Viola Belvia Gutridge, 84, died early Wednesday morning at Kalispell Regional Hospital.

She moved to Lakeside from Richmond, Calif. in 1968 and worked for Bell Manufacturing Co. Following her retirement, she moved to California for a time, then to Arkansas. She suffered a small stroke and then returned to Kalispell to live with her daughter.

She was born Oct. 3, 1903, in Lonake County, to Robert and Olive Greenwell. She received her early education in Lonake County and was a graduate of business college in Chillicothe, Mo. She then moved to Kansas City, Mo. In 1947, she moved to Richmond, Calif.

She married Thomas Rice in 1925 and Harry R. Gutridge in 1937, both of whom preceded her in death.

She was also preceded in death by a sister, Lorena Greenwell; a grandson, Mark Mulford; and a great-granddaughter, Abigail Mulford.

Survivors include two daughters, Evelyn Tharp of Pinole, Calif., and Hazel Mulford of Kalispell; two sons, Harry E. Gutridge of Clayton, Calif., and Larry R. Gutridge of Concord, Calif.; a brother, Coburn Greenwell of Brownsville, Calif.; 13 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Graveside services will be 2 p.m. Friday in Conrad Memorial Cemetery. Friends will meet at the cemetery for services.

Friends may call at Johnson Mortuary for visitation until 8 tonight and from 9 a.m. to noon Friday.

DI

Bruce Guy, 68

Bruce Robert Guy, 68, died at his home in Kalispell on Saturday morning.

He was manager of Guy's Auto Repair in Kalispell until his retirement due to ill health in 1974.

He was born Feb. 18, 1918, in Frost-to-Death Valley, Mont., a son of Herbert and Velma Guy. He was a graduate of Flathead County High School, and during his high school years worked summers on a dairy farm in Nyack.

He worked for Ted Smith at the Gas Co-op in Kalispell and then as an auto mechanic for Philips & Wohlend Motors. He joined the Air Force, where he was a glider pilot, and after his discharge, entered the U.S. Army and served as a paratrooper.

He returned to Kalispell and worked for Guy's Auto Repair, becoming manager in 1960.

He was a member of the Church of Christ and a 25-year member of the Evergreen Volunteer Fire Department.

On March 27, 1938, he married Ruth Haven in Polson, and is survived by her at the family home. He is also survived by four children, Loma Stanesa of Denver, Darrel R. Guy of Kalispell, Bryan Guy of Cheyenne, Wyo., and Ella R. Gamma of Kalispell; his mother, Velma Guy of Kalispell; two brothers, Don Guy of Maple Valley, Wash., and Bert Guy of Kalispell; four sisters, Hazel Wagner of Kalispell, Nina Johnson of Seattle, Donna Richards of San Jose, Calif., and Lenora Hadley of Marion; 13 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Johnson Mortuary Chapel with Lyle Newell of the Church of Christ officiating. Burial will be in the Glacier Memorial Gardens with military honors by local veterans organizations.

The family asks that no flowers be sent. Friends may call at the funeral home for visitation 1-5 p.m. Sunday and noon-8 p.m. Monday.

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