

WP 1 Nov 1992

**Mabel Cameron**

Mabel Cameron, 96, Whitefish, died early Sunday morning Nov. 1 of natural causes at Colonial Manor in Whitefish.

She was born January 3, 1896 in Eden Valley, Minn., the daughter of George and Annie Conrad. She was raised and educated in Minn., and came to Kalispell with her family in about 1915.

Several years later, she moved to Seattle, Wash., where she worked at the Smith Tower, at that time the only "sky scraper" in that city. In Seattle, she met and married George Cameron. Her husband was an importer, and the Camerons lived in Chile for about seven years.

Fleeing civil unrest with only the clothes on their backs, they then came to Vancouver, B.C., and the San Francisco Bay area of Calif. Mabel worked for several brokerage firms in the Bay area. George passed away in 1956.

After retiring in the early 1960's, Mabel travelled extensively for the next 20 years, seeing much of the world. She had lived in the Flathead Valley for the past eight years.

She was of the Christian Science Faith. Mabel enjoyed square dancing, and was active in local Senior Citizen Centers.

Surviving are a number of nieces and nephews, including Fern Nelson, Ray and Nina Deist, and Ellen Boorman, all of Whitefish; Bob and Betty Deist, Joan Deist, Lorney and Izzy Deist, and Edith Paullin, all of Kalispell; and Mildred Dalich of Great Falls; and a number of other relatives.

Private interment will take place at the Chapel of Chimes in Oakland, Calif. Arrangements are by the Weatherford Funeral Home & Crematory of Kalispell.

Memorial contributions are suggested to the North Valley Food Bank, 311 1st Street West, Whitefish, MT 59937.

WP 4 JUNE 1992

**Genetta Carbone**

Genetta M. Carbone, 87, a resident of Whitefish, died Thursday, June 4 at the North Valley Extended Care in Whitefish. 1992

She was born January 6, 1905, in Perm County, Minn., a daughter of Frederick and Lottie Ellis.

Genetta moved to Whitefish with her parents in about 1910, where she was raised and received her education.

Genetta was preceded in death by her parents and five brothers.

She is now survived by one daughter, Mrs. Robert (Linda) Schroeder of Whitefish, and a number of nieces and nephews and other relatives, grand-nieces and nephews, and great-grand nieces and nephews.

There are no services planned. Cremation has taken place under the direction of the Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish.

DF 15 Aug 1992

**Judith G. Carter, 52**

Judy Carter, 52, of Azusa, Calif., and formerly of Kalispell died Aug. 15 in a car accident in Greenriver, Utah.

She was born June 29, 1940, in Boise, Idaho.

She married Jack Carter in Denver, Colo., and they had three children, Christie, Scott and Kellie. In 1975, they bought a farm off Whitefish Stage Road and in 1979 they bought a facility that is now the

Kalispell Athletic Club.

They moved to Azusa in 1988 and both Jack and Judy worked at Azusa Pacific University.

Judy is survived by her husband and three children; her mother, Ruby McCoy; a brother, Paul McCoy Jr.; and a sister, Patricia Milton.

Contributions may be made to Flathead Valley Youth for Christ in Kalispell.

WP 9 SEPT. 1992

**Jeremiah Cantrall**

Jeremiah "Jerry" Cantrall, age 86, a resident of Happy Valley Whitefish died Wed., Sept. 9, at the North Valley Hospital in Whitefish of natural causes.

He was born Sept. 6, 1906 a son of Harry and Minnie Cantrall.

He is survived by one daughter, Marla Chapin of Whitefish, and one son, Robert Cantrall in Calif., and other relatives.

Graveside services were Friday, Sept. 11, at 2 p.m. at the Glacier Memorial Gardens Cemetery of Kalispell with the Rev. Jerry Bechtle of the United Methodist Church of Whitefish officiating. Austin Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

WP 26 MAY 1992

**Pat M. Carter**

Pat M. Carter, age 88, a long-time resident of Whitefish, died Tuesday, May 26 at the North Valley Extended Care Center in Whitefish.

Pat was born October 9, 1903, in Fortuna, Mo., a son of John M. and Camma Carter.

He is now survived by his wife Gene Ruth Carter at their home.

Memorial services were Friday, May 29, at the North Valley Hospital extended care with Rev. Ken Peterson of the First Presbyterian Church of Whitefish officiating.

KN 17 APRIL 1992

### John A. Carpenter

John A. Carpenter, age 60, died at his home in Kalispell April 17, of natural causes. 1992

Mr. Carpenter was born November 9, 1931, in Walkerville, Mont., the son of Leighton and Teresa Carpenter. He was raised and educated there. He entered the Marines and returned to Walkerville after his honorable discharge.

John married Jill Powell in Boulder in 1957, and the couple made their home in Butte until moving to Hot Springs in 1968. He then bought the Kalispell Livestock Auction in 1969, moving permanently to Kalispell in 1970.

He was active in rodeo, putting on many rodeos throughout western Montana.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Leighton and Teresa Carpenter.

John is survived by his wife, Jill, of the family home; one daughter, Jeanne Carpenter; three sons, Richard, John and Kenny Carpenter, all four of Kalispell; three grandchildren, Sarah Jo, Carrie, and Casey, all of Kalispell; five sisters, Phyllis Petritz of Butte, Tina Else of Sheridan, Cora Dennehy, Birdie Mullaney, and Marcella Dallasera, also of Butte, another aunt, Virginia Bertoldi of California; and numerous other relatives.

Funeral services took place Monday, April 20, at the Weatherford Funeral Home with Rev. Robert Noonan officiating. Cremation followed.

Memorials are suggested to the Shriner's Hospital for Crippled Children, Box 2472, Spokane, WA 99210-2472.

DI 17 FEB 1992

### 1992 Phillip Charles Carlon, 53

Phillip Charles Carlon, 53, Somers, died Feb. 17 in Corona, Calif., from cancer.



He was born in Whitefish on June 10, 1938, to Phil and Ethel Carlon, and attended schools in Whitefish until June 1955, when he enlisted in the U.S. Navy and served aboard the U.S. Princeton and other ships. During this time he married Margaret Sartain.

Following his honorable discharge in 1963, he worked as an electrician in IBEW Local 441 in Huntington Beach, Calif., for about 16 years.

Phillip was enrolled in Orange County College and received a teaching certificate, and taught in that college. He was also very active in scuba diving and sports, and ran in many marathons including the Boston Marathon in 1971.

He enjoyed coaching baseball in pony leagues, teaching youth groups in Sunday school; also organizing and leading hiking and camping trips in the Sierra Mountains with his sons and Boy Scout troops.

In 1974, Phillip moved his family to Mount Vernon, Wash., where he was affiliated with IBEW Local 191. Following electrical construction

trades took him from San Onofre, Calif., nuclear plant to Prudhoe Bay, Alaska, then to Colstrip and the nuclear plants in Maine and New York, and back to Mayo Clinic for treatment of cancer, then returned to his home in Washington in 1988.

He had a great love of the outdoors, and in spring of 1991 returned to Montana to live at Juniper Bay, Somers, where he again enjoyed fishing, hunting and huckleberry picking.

On a return trip to California to visit members of family in that area, he passed away.

Funeral services were held and burial followed in Westminster Memorial Park, Calif.

He was deeply devoted to his family.

Phillip was preceded in death by his father, a brother and a nephew, in 1985.

Survivors include his wife, Margaret, in Westminster; three daughters, Robbyn Nicolson and Terry Johnson, of Mount Vernon, and Susan Onkst, Missouri; three sons, George and Daniel, Somers, and Tim, San Clemente, Calif.; his mother, Ethel, in Whitefish; a sister, Phyllis Carlon, San Jose, Calif.; a brother, John, Bend, Ore.; 12 grandchildren; and nieces and nephews.

It could be said of him that he loved his fellowman. His wealth was in his family and friends.

DI 5 DEC 1992

### Mae C. Carskaddon, 93

Mae C. Carskaddon, 93, of Whitefish, died Saturday, Dec. 5, 1992, at North Valley Extended Care in Whitefish.

She was born May 2, 1899, in Green Bush, Minn., to Hugh and Edith Waters. The family moved to Kalispell in 1905.

She worked in the Kalispell and Whitefish area until 1946.

Mae was married to Lee Carskaddon in 1946. They resided in Whitefish until Lee's retirement. They moved to Arizona in 1955 and lived there until 1970. Lee passed away in 1970. She moved to Mountain View Manor in Whitefish in 1971. She has resided in North Valley Extended Care since January 1991.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, three sisters, two brothers and a great-granddaughter, Tracy Maddux.

She is survived by a daughter and her husband, Opal and Donald Swisher, of Whitefish; three grandchildren, Harry Maddux and his wife, Jan, and Carol Harwood and her husband, Rollin, of Whitefish, and Barbara Willard and her husband, Robert, of Eagle River, Alaska; eight great-grandchildren and eight great-great-grandchildren.

Private graveside interment of the urn will be held at a later date.

Columbia Mortuary in Columbia Falls is in charge of arrangements and cremation.

DI 15 MARCH 1992

### Henry "Reco" Cash

Mr. Henry A. "Reco" Cash, 72, of Lakeside passed away after surgery on March 15, in Spokane, Wash. 1992

He was born April 24, 1920 in Somers. He was a World War II veteran of the U.S. Navy. He was employed by McDonnell Douglas, supervising over 2500 aircraft assembly workers in Long Beach, Calif. He had been active in St. Maragretti church and coached St. Maragretti Little League and Pony League teams in Long Beach. He also directed the Junior Achievement program from 1955 to 1958 in Venice, Calif.

Mr. Cash moved to Kalispell shortly after retirement where he served as Chairman of the Flathead Lake County Sewer Board, President of the Flathead Lake Lions, President of the Lakeside Mens Fellowship, member of St. Ann's Parish Council, Lions Foundation for Needy Children, Kalispell City Parks and Recreation Board and was active in various local civic fund raising activities. He enjoyed all sports and outdoor activities.

He also loved flying and will be flown from Spokane, Wash. to Kalispell by his son-in-law's helicopter company and Lifebird Professional Patient Transport.

He is survived by his wife of 15 years, Janice Marie Cash at the home in Lakeside; one sister, AnnDrew of Somers; two brothers, Mike Cash of Kalispell and Louie Cash of Missoula; three daughters, Cheryl Kimball of Post Falls, Idaho, Lorena Sweet of Bellflower, Calif., and Mary VanGinkle of LongBeach, Calif, two stepdaughters, Wendy Klaue and Jody McCartney both of Spokane, Wash. and numerous nieces, nephews and grandchildren.

Christian Prayer services were held last Thursday in the Johnson Mortuary Chapel. Mass of the Christian Burial was held Friday in St. Matthew's Catholic Church. Burial was in the Conrad memorial Cemetery.

The family suggests memorial contributions in the name of Henry "Reco" Cash be made to the Lions Foundation for Needy Children and/or the Lakeside Quick Response Unit (GRU) of Lakeside.

DI 9 MAY 1992

### Norman Lawrence Caudill, 62

Norman Lawrence Caudill, 62, died at his home in Somers on May 9 following a lengthy illness.

He was born April 21, 1930, in Boyes, Mont., to Oscar and Emma Caudill. At age 15 he joined the U.S. Army Air Force and was discharged at age 17. He then attended mechanics school in Baltimore, Md.

On Sept. 12, 1951, he was married to Helen Louise Pound in Kalispell.

Mr. Caudill did construction work for a number of years. He owned and operated his own shop, "Norman's Repair Shop," for 18 years, retiring eight years ago due to ill health.

He was a member of the Operating Engineers.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Ellen Mae Baker.

Survivors include his wife, Helen, at the family home in

Somers; a daughter, Linda, Somers; sons Norm and Rick of Somers; a son Boyd of Eureka; and their spouses; two sisters, Helen Lancaster of Spokane, Wash., and Lorraine Clothier of Kalispell; three brothers, Gerald, Clarence, and Tom, all of Kalispell; eight grandchildren; his mother-in-law and father-in-law, Jaoka and Mazie Pound of Somers, and a number of nieces and nephews.

Graveside services and urn burial will be at 1 p.m. on Tuesday in Conrad Memorial Cemetery with the Rev. Halden Curtiss officiating. Friends will meet at the cemetery for the services.

Friends and relatives will gather for a potluck reception at the Somers Fire Hall following the services.

Cremation and arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary.

DI 8 Nov. 1992

### Mary Cassedy 1992

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth LaMunyan Cassedy, 79, of Kalispell, died in the hospital in Salem, Ore., on Sunday, November 8, following an illness with cancer.

She was born June 14, 1913, in Whitefish. She was a graduate of Eastern Washington State College and had taught home economics for several years.

She had been an agent for New York Life Insurance for over 50 years. She was a life member of the Million Dollar Round Table and Past National President of Women Leaders Round Table. She was a member of the Soroptimist International of Kalispell.

She was the widow of John Clayton Cassedy.

Survivors include her daughter, Pat Davis, of Salem, Ore.; two sisters, Jane Fetterly of Vallejo, CA, and Phoebe Cozad of Lake Tahoe, CA; and three grandchildren, Erik Davis, Richard Davis and Kari Davis.

Funeral services were held Thursday in the Johnson Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Marvin Northcutt, pastor of the Epworth United Methodist Church officiating. Burial was in the Glacier Memorial Gardens. The family suggest memorials be made to the Kalispell Soroptimist Club, P.O. Box 1604, Kalispell, MT 59903-1604. Arrangements were under the direction of the Johnson Mortuary.

DI 13 Aug 1992

## Retired Newsweek publisher dies at 84

*Aug 1992*  
By The Associated Press  
Llewellyn Callaway Jr., a Montana native who became publisher of Newsweek magazine, died earlier this week of natural causes at his residence in Napa, Calif.

He was 84.

Callaway was the son of Lew L. Callaway, who served as chief justice of the Montana Supreme Court during the 1920s and 1930s and also practiced law in Great Falls, Virginia City and Helena.

He was born Sept. 12, 1907, in Virginia City, and grew up in Montana. He graduated from Dartmouth College in 1930 and received his master's degree from Harvard Business School in 1932.

Callaway worked in the magazine field for 40 years, including 25 years with Time Inc. where he served as advertising director for several publications including Fortune, Time International and Sports Illustrated.

In 1963 he accepted a position as publisher of Newsweek and remained with that publication until retiring in 1972.

Callaway was a guest speaker at the dedication of the Great Falls Public Library in 1967.

His wife, the former Helene Anderson of Denver, died in 1985. Survivors include son Peter of Pojoaque, N.M., and a daughter, Elizabeth Callaway of Oakland, Calif.

Services were scheduled for Saturday in Napa.

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X 3 DEC. 1992

## Iona E. Chaney

Iona E. Chaney, 83, died Dec. 3, 1992, at Colonial Manor in Whitefish.

She was born June 21, 1909 in Orrick, Mo., to Jake and Iva Frazier. Iona was raised and attended schools in Orrick. She married W. E. Chaney on July 25, 1925 in Orrick. They moved to Montana in 1928.

Iona was a housewife and mother and the interests of her family were very important to her. She was a member of the VFW Auxiliary and Baptist Church of Wolf Point.

Iona was preceded in death by her husband in 1982, a son Samuel in 1946, four brothers and a sister.

She is survived by sons E.J. Chaney in Rigby, Idaho; Donald N. Chaney of Trego and Thomas K. Chaney in Helena; daughters Shirley Flynnin Oswego and Sherry Shanks in Columbia Falls; brothers Robert E. Frazier in Handford, Calif., and Lawrance Frazier in Sugar Creek, Mo.; sisters Lorraine Denton in Richmond, Mo., and Eileen Denton in Lake of the Ozarks, Mo.; 21 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services are pending in Wolf Point. Local arrangements are by Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish.

DI 21 July 1992

**Darla S. Cervantes**

Mrs. Darla S. "Lolly" Cervantis of Kalispell, died in the Kalispell Regional Hospital on Tuesday, July 21. She was born in Westby, Mont., a daughter of Stanley and Edna Ottosen. She had attended the Roosevelt Grade School in Westby and when she was 13, she moved to the Flathead Valley where she had lived in Creston, Columbia Falls and Bigfork. In 1967 she moved to California, where in 1976, she was married to Rito Cervantes. In 1987 the couple moved to Kalispell where they have since resided. Mrs. Cervantes had enjoyed cooking, baking, hiking, cross country skiing, raising flowers and crocheting. She had a collection of dolls and enjoyed quilt making. She was preceded in death by her father and one son, Lonny David Hanson. She is now survived by her husband, Rito, at home; seven children, Dale Hanson, Dan Hanson, Shelley Hanson all of Kalispell, Wesly Hanson of Columbia Falls, Starla Hanson and Susan Kopchinsky, both of Kalispell and Stacey Borgardt in California; her mother, Edna Ottosen of Bigfork; three brothers, Don, David and Eddie Ottosen all of Bigfork; three sisters,, Gerri Schrock of Kalispell, Millie Whaley in Tennessee and Monty Thomas of Bigfork; 13 grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews and other relatives and her best buddy, Velvet. Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. last Friday in the Bethlehem Lutheran Church with the Rev. Gary Gilthvedt officiating.

Burial was in the Bethany Lutheran Cemetery in Bigfork. Arrangements were under the direction of the Johnson Mortuary.

DI 16 Dec 1992

**Flora E. Christensen**

Flora E. Christensen, 90, of Kalispell, died in the Immanuel Lutheran Home on Wednesday evening, December 16, 1992.

She was born August 18, 1902 in McIntosh, Mich., to Frank and Ivah Carpenter. Her father farmed for a living. Flora was raised with one brother and two sisters. When she was 8 years old the family moved to Reserve, MT in the eastern part of the state. Flora received her education there, graduating from the Williston, N.D. high school. She then completed Teachers Training in Minot, N.D. in 1924.

On June 2, 1926, she married Ed Christensen in Plentywood, MT.

Flora continued to teach in various rural schools while Ed worked for the MT Highway Dept. He also traveled with the local baseball team as first baseman.

They moved from Reserve to Bend, Ore., during World War II where Ed helped build barracks at Camp Abbot. When the war ended, the Christensens returned to Reserve, MT where they operated a restaurant.

In 1947, they moved to Kalispell where Ed was employed at the Hungry Horse Dam and later for Slama Plumbing. They built a home in Evergreen in 1954. Ed and Flora raised 4 daughters and one son.

When Flora moved to Kalispell, she worked as a secretary for Flathead Real Estate and then at Western Woodwork until age 81. They replaced her with 3 people and a computer.

She has enjoyed playing Whist and was an avid readers. She was of the Lutheran Faith.

She was preceded in death by her son, Franks, and is now survived by her husband, Edward, of Kalispell; four daughters, Kaaren Arnoux, Sharon Andrews and Mary Pewonka all of Kalispell; and JoAnn Taylor in Calif; one sister, Mrs. George Bliss of Kalispell; ten grandchildren and fourteen great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday in the Johnson Mortuary Chapel with Rev. Peter Ramseth, Immanuel Lutheran Home Chaplain officiating. Burial was in the Glacier Memorial Gardens.

DI 21 FEB. 1992

**Ruth H. Christopherson, 71**

Ruth H. Christopherson, 71, of Kalispell, died of natural causes Feb. 21 at Missoula Community Medical Center.

She was born June 29, 1920, in Eau Claire, Wis., to Ragna and Harold Moe.

She married Walter Christopherson in Stillwater, Minn. on April 21, 1941.

The couple moved to Kalispell, where she was a member of Calvary Lutheran Church and the Eagles.

Her interests included handcrafts

and needlework.

Survivors include a daughter, Judi Haglund of San Diego, Calif. and granddaughter Krista Haglund of Yuma, Ariz.

She was preceded in death by her husband; a daughter, Gail; and an infant daughter, Sharon.

Funeral services and burial will be in Menomonie, Wis.

Memorials are suggested to the American Cancer Association, Box 3914, Missoula, 59806.

X 21 Oct. 1992

### Brian A. Cislo, 35

Brian A. Cislo, 35, of Kalispell, died of a heart attack at Kalispell Regional Hospital on Wednesday, Oct. 21, 1992.

He was born March 28, 1957, in Kalispell, to Steve and Marlene Cislo. He attended Kalispell schools and was a graduate of Polson High School in 1975.

He then did cement finishing for Chuck Platt in Polson before being employed with Canyon Logging Co. He was then employed with N.W. Parts and Rigging for a number of years, and recently established his own cabinetry business, Westwood Furniture Co.

On June 10, 1989, he married Lesa Potts in Bigfork and is now survived by her at the family home.

He is also survived by three children, Ryan, Ashlee, and Amy, at home; his parents, Steve and Jan

Cislo of Kalispell; a sister, Dea Block, of Alexandria, Ohio; four brothers, Allan Cislo of Polson, Brett Cislo of Kalispell, Kevin Mills of Kalispell, and Steve Mills of Couer d'Alene, Idaho; his grandparents, Louise and Erwin Zampich of Great Falls; and several cousins, nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at Johnson Mortuary Chapel at 10:30 a.m. Saturday with the Rev. Ron Pierce, pastor of Swan Chapel, officiating. Burial will be at Glacier Memorial Gardens.

Friends may call at Johnson Mortuary until 6 p.m. today for visitation.

Friends and family will meet at the Evergreen Volunteer Fire Hall following the graveside services for a potluck luncheon.

DI 21 SEP 1992  
**Edward Christman**

Mr. Edward (E.J.) Christman, 79, of Kalispell, died in the Brendan House on Monday afternoon, Sept. 21, of natural causes. He was born July 22, 1913, in Petrel, Adams County, North Dakota, a son of John and Katie Christman. He was the oldest of 12 children, four boys and eight girls. He received his education in Adams County.

His greatest love was sports - he played a lot of baseball. On July 10, 1935 he was married to Grayce M. Anderson in Deadwood, S.D. They ranched in North and South Dakota until 1956 when they moved to Missoula, where he worked in the maintenance department at the University of Montana. Upon his retirement from the University in 1975 they moved to Kalispell. He was a member of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, the S.F.A. Lodge #233, the A.A.R.P. and Senior Citizens.

He was preceded in death by a son, Keith Eugene; his parents; and three sisters, Louise Graybeal, Alma Willette, and Martha Webster. Survivors include his wife, Grayce of Kalispell; a daughter, Beverly

Bonamie of Polson; a son, Ronald Christman of Kalispell; three granddaughters, Kristy Johnson of Australia, Lori Chase of Helena, and Jaclyn Christman of Kalispell; one grandson, Jason Paul Christman of Kalispell; four great-grandsons, Tory Scott Schuessler and Ryan Johnson both of Australia and Tyler and Trevor Chase both of Helena; three brothers, Herb Christman of Bismarck, N.D., Admiral Christman of Williston, N.D. and Lester Christman of Pensacola, Flo.; five sisters, Esther Ploog and Inez Larson both of Lemmon, S.D., Ida Klinkhammer and Irene Smith both of Rhode Island, and Elsie Otsea of Carlsbad, Calif.; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. on Monday in the Bethlehem Lutheran Church with Rev. Gary Gilthvedt officiating. Cremation followed the services. The family suggest memorials may be made to the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Kalispell, or to the American Cancer Society, Flathead Branch, Box 1002, Kalispell, MT 59901. Cremation and arrangements were under the direction of the Johnson Mortuary.

X 21 JUNE 1992

### Ethel Clapper, 80

1992  
Ethel Clapper, 80, of Kalispell, died at Kalispell Regional Hospital June 21.

She was born Jan. 22, 1912, in Staples City, Minn., to Charles and Teresa Bunyea. She came to Montana as a child and has been a longtime resident of Kalispell.

She worked for the New Style Restaurant and the Palm Restaurant. She had also worked in the Christmas-tree industry.

She enjoyed her family.

On March 11, 1931, she married Harold Clapper in Spokane, Wash., and was preceded in death by him on Jan. 5, 1978. She was also preceded in death by her son, Robert Clapper in 1986.

She is survived by two sisters, Rena Clapper of Kalispell and Janette Clapper of Bigfork; two brothers, Vern Bunyea of Miles City and Francis Bunyea of Lincoln; two grandchildren, Kim Hulien of Spokane and Ronald Clapper of Pablo.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at Johnson Mortuary Chapel, with the Rev. Herb Knutsen, pastor of Bethany Lutheran Church officiating. Burial will be at Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Friends may call at Johnson Mortuary for visitation until 6 p.m. today and from 9 a.m. until noon on Thursday. The casket will be closed for the services.

X 14 MAY 1992

**Reno Clara, 87**  
14 May 1992

Reno Clara, 87, a resident of Libby and formerly of Somers, died Thursday at St. John Hospital in Libby.

He is survived by a son, Eugene Clara of Libby; a sister; and several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Visitation will be today from 1-9 p.m. at Vial Funeral Home.

Services will be Monday at 10:30 a.m. at Vial Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be at the City of Libby Cemetery.

X 28 Aug 1992

**Corey Clawson, 33**  
28 Aug 1992

Corey Clawson, 33, of Libby, died Friday in an accident while fighting a fire near Libby with the Libby Volunteer Fire Department.

He co-owned and operated Big Sky Power Equipment in Libby.

He is survived by his wife,

Diana, of Libby; two children, Casey and Tori, of Libby; his mother, Billie Thomas, of Kalispell; his father, Robert Clawson, of Spokane; a brother, Rob Clawson, of Kalispell; half-sisters and brother Kerri, Kalli and David Clawson; step-sister and brothers Rick, Gordon, Kathy, Mike, and Charles Carr.

Friends may call at Vial Funeral Home from 1-9 p.m. Monday. Services will be Tuesday at 11 a.m. at Faith Bible Church with the Rev. Gary Olson officiating. Burial will be at the City of Libby Cemetery.

**Corey Clawson** 28 Aug 1992

The location has been changed for the funeral service of Corey Clawson, 33, a Libby volunteer firefighter who died Friday from injuries sustained while fighting a fire there.

The service will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Memorial Gymnasium in Libby rather than at the Faith Bible Church as had been planned earlier. Vial Funeral Home is handling the arrangements.

DI 30 MARCH 1992

**Dorothy E. Clothier, 81**

Dorothy E. Clothier, 81, Swan Lake, died at her home in Swan Lake on March 30, due to natural causes.

She was born Dec. 8, 1910, in Cadott, Wis., a daughter of Frank and Elnora Moore. She moved to Circle where she received her grade school education. She then moved to Polson where she graduated from Polson High School.

On Dec. 14, 1931, she married Harold "Babe" Clothier in Kalispell. In 1937, they moved to the Swan Valley where she had since resided.

Dorothy was a member of the Salmon Prairie

Ladies Club.

She was preceded in death by her husband "Babe"; a granddaughter and grandson-in-law, LaRae and Ted Sullivan; and two brothers, Charles and Fred Moore.

Survivors include three daughters, Leita Anderson, Dixie Meyer and Karen Conley, all of Swan Valley; two brothers, Harold Moore of Cheney, Wash., and Dale Moore of Great Falls; one sister, Alyce Edwards of Great Falls; nine grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and

numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Thursday in the Little Brown Church in Bigfork with the Rev. Ron Pierce of Swan Chapel officiating. Burial will be in Lone Pine Cemetery.

Friends may call at Johnson Mortuary for visitation until 6 p.m. today and until noon on Thursday.

The family suggests memorials to any organization in the Swan Valley.

Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary.

4 FEB 1992

1992 **James C. Cochran**

James Clyde Cochran, age 52, a resident of Whitefish, died February 4 shortly after 3 p.m. at the North Valley Hospital as a result of a boating accident on Whitefish Lake earlier that morning.

He was born September 6, 1939 in Cut Bank, Mt., a son of Clyde and Orva Cochran. He was raised and received his schooling in Cut Bank.

James married Marie (Toni) E. Farrar on September 11, 1965 in Cut Bank and they then moved north to Whitlash. There he started a fur farm business in 1976; he was a prominent member of the Montana Trappers Association for 10 years and he also was employed in the oil fields. He enjoyed hunting and fishing.

He was preceded in death by his father Joseph Mac Clyde Cochran.

James is now survived by his wife Marie (Toni) E. Cochran at the family home; one son James Mac Cochran and his wife Heather Cochran; one daughter Janice Marie Cochran; his mother Orva Alice Agnes Cochran; one sister Fern Schnee of California; and three nieces and one nephew also in California.

Funeral services are pending at the Burns Funeral Home in Cut Bank.

X 31 MARCH 1992

**Mary Evelyn Coffman, 63**

Mary Evelyn Coffman, 63, Libby, died March 31 at Kalispell Regional Hospital of complications from surgery. 1992

She was born Feb. 16, 1929, at Conrad, the daughter of Clarence and Edith Heun, and was raised and educated in Conrad.

On Dec. 22, 1954, she married Allen L. Coffman in Conrad.

Since 1968, the Coffmans had lived at Libby, where Mr. Coffman worked for Libby Dam.

Mrs. Coffman loved cooking, raising flowers, rock gardening, and spending time with her family.

Surviving are her husband Allen

at the family home in Libby; one daughter, Cheryl Blinco of Libby; two sons, Bill Coffman of Great Falls and Roger Coffman of Libby; one brother, Bill Heun of Great Falls; 12 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and numerous other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a daughter, Lorna Coffman, and a sister, Eleanor Heun.

Graveside funeral services will be Saturday at Hillside Cemetery in Conrad.

Arrangements are by the Weatherford Funeral Home in Kalispell, and Pondera Funeral Home in Conrad.



X 17 July 1992

**Loyd W. Craine, 96**

Loyd W. Craine, 96, of Polson, died July 17 at St. Joseph Hospital in Polson. 1992

He is survived by three cousins.

Graveside services will be Monday at 1 p.m. at Conrad Memorial Cemetery in Kalispell.

Arrangements are by Mosley-Shrider Funeral Home in Polson.

KN10 FEB. 1992

### Vera V. Coberly, 1992

Vera V. Coberly, 71, died Monday, Feb. 10 of cancer at Lake View Care Center in Bigfork.

She was born November 1, 1920 at Trine, Mont., the daughter of Willard and Isabel Warren. She was raised and educated in Polson and Ronan.

In 1937, Vera married Kenneth Thompson in Polson; they later divorced. During this period, she worked for a number of Lake County restaurants and cafes.

She was married to Harris Wold in 1941 at Polson, and they made their home in Polson, Missoula and Seeley Lake over the following 17 years. After their divorce, Vera bartended in Ronan and Swan Lake for several years, and then went to Alaska's North Slope area in the mid-1970's. For about nine years, she worked in North Slope oilfield camps.

In 1982, she married Jack Coberly in Alaska, and they retired to Missouri. Jack preceded her in death in 1986, and Vera had lived in Montana since that time.

She was active in VFW Auxiliary and the Missoula Saddle Club. Vera was of the Lutheran faith.

Surviving family members include two sons, Allen Thompson of Olympia, Wash., and Michael H. Wold of Washington, D.C.; one daughter, Darlene Kersnar of Guerneville, Calif.; one brother, Dale Warren of Ferndale; two sisters, Loyce Huber of Ferndale and Betty Carlson of Anchorage, Alaska; seven grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Services will be held Friday, Feb. 14, at 11 a.m. at Bethany Lutheran Church in Bigfork, with Rev. Herb Knutsen officiating. An informal reception will follow at the church.

Arrangements are by the Bigfork Funeral Home. Cremation has taken place at Weatherford Crematory in Kalispell.

HHN 22 Feb 1992

### Gertrude Wilma Chubb, 78

Gertrude Wilma Chubb, 78, went to be with her Lord on Feb. 22. She died at her home near Columbia Falls.

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She was born March 1, 1913, in Vanguard, Saskatchewan, to Frederick and Marie Trebas. She grew up and was educated in country schools in the farming community of Weldon, near Circle.

It was there she met and married Howard F. Chubb. They packed all their belonging and moved north of Columbia Falls in 1936, where she lived the rest of her life.

As a young girl, she herded sheep, worked in a hotel, and in homes caring for mothers and children to help support the family at home.

After her marriage, she worked at being a good wife and mother, continuing as both mother and father to her children after her husband's death. After her children were grown, she worked for the Montana Veterans Home until her retirement in 1976.

She has been an active member of the Church of the Nazarene in Whitefish for many years.

She is preceded in death by her husband in 1939, and a brother, Fredrick Trebas Jr.

She is survived by her son, Loyal H. Chubb of Columbia Falls; her daughter, Thale L. Wenger of Columbia Falls; a brother, William Trebas of Columbia Falls; two sisters, Elizabeth Goodsell of Columbia Falls, and Anna Wright of Helena; three grandsons, Michael Deardurff of Missoula, Daniel Deardurff and Timothy Deardurff, both of Utah; four granddaughters, Melody Emmert and Marilyn Riley, both of Columbia Falls, Carolyn Kauffman of Alaska, and Cheryl Hartz of Pennsylvania; 14 great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

A service will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Church of the Nazarene in Whitefish. Burial will follow in Whitefish Cemetery.

Visitation will be today from 1 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Van Leuven Funeral Home in Columbia Falls.

The family has suggested that memorials be made to the Church of the Nazarene, 1125 Seventh St. E., Whitefish 59937.

D1 17 JUNE 1992

### Rose E. Clark, 96

Rose E. Clark, 96, of Kalispell, died at Brendan House June 17.

She was born March 29, 1896, in Boston, Mass., to Rose and James Marron. Her family moved to Butte in 1900, when she was a small child. Her father worked in the mines.



Rose worked as a nurse at St. James Hospital in Butte prior to her marriage.

On her first visit to the Flathead Valley, she rode the boat from Polson to Demersville Landing and was met by her fiance, Joseph Clark. She and Joseph were married in Butte on Oct. 27, 1924. They lived and farmed northwest of Kalispell in the Stillwater community.

She was an active member of the Merry Matrons Home Demonstration

Club and a member of St. Matthew's Catholic Church.

In 1986, she moved to Brendan House.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1984, and by five brothers and five sisters.

She is survived by her children, Rose Nielsen, Cathi Clark and Charles Clark all of Kalispell, Patricia Wendt of Whitefish and Francis Clark of Boulder; 16 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and five step-grandchildren.

Christian wake services will be held at 7 p.m. today at Johnson Mortuary Chapel. Mass of the Christian burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Matthew's Catholic Church with the Rev. Bob Noonan as celebrant. Burial will be at Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

The family suggests memorials be made to Brendan House or to the charity of the donor's choice.

D15 JUNE 1992

**"Pat" Knowles Collier**

Margaret Patricia "Pat" Knowles Collier, 65, of Marion died Friday, June 5, at Kalispell Regional Hospital of heart failure.

She was born July 23, 1926 in Kalispell, the daughter of Richard and Helen Knowles. She graduated from Flathead County High School with the class of '44.

On September 17, 1949, she married Richard C. Collier in Kalispell, where they lived until moving to Marion in 1968.

Pat had been a longtime member of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Surviving are her husband Richard at the family home in Marion; three sons, Richard and Robert Collier, both in Pittsburg, Penn., and Randy Collier of Marion; one daughter, Mary Helen Collier of Great Falls; six grandchildren, and many other relatives.

Pat was preceded in death by her mother and father, and also one son, Ronald.

Services were Monday, June 8, at Christ Church Episcopal in Kalispell, with Rev. Russell E. Peck officiating.

Memorial contributions are suggested to the American Heart Association, c/o Ruth McDonald, 435 2nd Street East, Kalispell.

D1 15 Sep 1992

**Howard L. Compton**

Mr. Howard L. Compton, 74, of Kalispell, died Sept. 15, in Kennewick, Wash. of natural causes. He was born April 14, 1918 in Bowman, N.D., a son of Fred and Hazel Compton.

He grew up and graduated from high school in the Buffalo Springs, N.D. area. He entered the U.S. Army on Feb. 21, 1941 and served as a Staff Sergeant with the Third Division in Africa and Europe until the end of the War. After his discharge, he lived briefly in Clancy, Mont. and relocated to Florence where he farmed for 10 years.

In 1956 he moved to Kalispell and worked for the U.S. Forest service until his retirement in 1978. His interests included flying, and he held a private pilots license for many years. His main interest after retirement was raising quarter horses which he did until 1988. He was a life member of the American Quarter Horse Association. He also enjoyed traveling and spent several years in Canada with friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother. Survivors include his wife; three sons; five grandchildren; six great-grandchildren and a niece and nephew.

Cremation has taken place. Memorial services were held at 1 p.m. on Saturday in the Johnson Mortuary Chapel with Rev. Dick Bahnsen of Bethlehem Lutheran Church officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of the Johnson Mortuary.

WP4 MAY 1992

**Twila Copeland**

Twila Eloise Copeland, age 78, a resident of Whitefish, died of natural causes Monday May 4, 1992 at her home in Whitefish.

She was born July 13, 1913 in Cottonwood, near Havre, a daughter of Henry and Bernice Johnson.

Twila was raised and received her education in Cottonwood. In 1936, she married Kenneth E. Copeland in Kalispell, and since 1945 they have resided in Whitefish.

Surviving members of the family include her husband Kenneth at the family home in Whitefish; two daughters, Connie Dana of Vancouver, Wash. and Sandy Boule of Whitefish; four grandchildren, Tracey Webb, Tarey Schelling, Julie Charron, and Jeff Dana; three great-grandchildren; two sisters and four brothers and other relatives.

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

Memorial services will be held Friday, May 8 at 11 a.m. at the Christ Lutheran Church in Whitefish with Rev. John Bent officiating. Cremation has taken place.

The family has suggested memorials to the Christ Lutheran Church.

DI 28 Aug 1992  
1092 Hervey E. Coulson, 84

Hervey E. Coulson, 84, of Columbia Falls, died Aug. 28 at North Valley Hospital.

He was born Aug. 23, 1908, in Havillah, Wash., to Jessie and Kate Coulson.

In 1935, he married Marie E. Hyde in Couer d'Alene, Idaho. He taught in different schools in Idaho for 15 years. He then began filing for lumber companies and became head filer for Plum Creek Timber Co. in 1957. He retired in 1973.

Hervey was a member of the Eagles in Couer d'Alene, the Elks in Sandpoint, and the Lions Club in Thompson Falls. He also belonged to the St. Matthew's Episcopal Church. He was an avid fisherman and hunter. He was also involved in lapidary and in silversmithing.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, Alta and Iola.

He is survived by his wife, Marie, at the family home in Columbia Falls; a son, Jim Coulson, and a daughter, Judi Hedstrom, both of Columbia Falls; two grandchildren, Michael Hedstrom of Pasco, Wash. and Kelly Marie Hamilton in Corvallis; three sisters, Elma Crockett in Mesa, Ariz., Marjorie Johnson in Spokane, and Jessie Molstead in Couer d'Alene; two great-granddaughters; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 1 p.m. at Van Leuven Funeral Home in Columbia Falls, with the Rev. Paul Taylor officiating.

The family has suggested that memorials be made to the Salvation Army or to Flathead Hospice.

DI, 11 JUL 1992  
Jerome Marvin Corne, 38

Jerome Marvin Corne, 38, an Olney resident, died July 11 near Sunday Lake of an apparent heart attack.

Jerome was born Nov. 16, 1953, in Bemidji, Minn., to Theodore and Eunice Corne. He was raised and educated in Black Duck, Minn.

He came to Montana at the age of 17 and has resided here since. He married Dianne Gathman and they later divorced.

Jerome worked for American Timber Co. in Olney as a mill worker for the past 17 years.

He was a member of the Olney Volunteer Fire Department and was an avid hunter and fisherman.

Survivors include his mother, Eunice, at the family home in Olney; a son, Joseph, and a daughter, Christina, both at the family home in

Olney; three brothers, Tom Corne in Spokane, Ben Corne in Black Duck, and Ted Corne in Whitefish; five sisters, Betty Schwegel in Whitefish, Nancy Schwegel in Whitefish, Mary Lawson in Ephrata, Pa., his twin sister, Joanne Olson in Denver, Colo., and Lynn Sande in Black Duck; and other relatives and friends.

Visitation will be Tuesday from noon to 8 p.m. at Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at Olney Fire Hall with the Rev. Tim Gould officiating. Burial will be at a later date in Black Duck.

DI ? SEPT. 1992

### Mildred Emma Cordell 1992

Mildred Emma Cordell, 65, of Kalispell, died in the Brendan House on Wednesday morning, October 7, where she had resided for the past seven years.

She was born January 28, 1927, in Kalispell, a daughter of Orland and Florence Covert. She has attended local schools and graduated from Flathead High School in the class of 1945.

On June 14, 1947 she was married to James M. Cordell in Whitefish.

She had worked in the restaurant business as a cook and waitress for 30 years before illness forced her retirement in 1976.

She was preceded in death by her husband, James in June of 1972; her parents and two sisters, Olive B. Johnston and Ina Billsborough.

Survivors include her two sons, Gene M. Cordell and his wife, Dalia of Kalispell and Richard Dale Cordell also of Kalispell; her sister, Mary Schroder of Kalispell; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Cremation has taken place. Memorial services were held on Tuesday, at 1:30 p.m. at the Central Bible Church with Rev. Dennis Jingt officiating. Burial of urn was in the Glacier Memorial Gardens. The family suggests memorials may be made to the Brendan House, Kalispell, MT. Cremation and arrangements were under the direction of the Johnson Mortuary.

X 22 Aug 1992

### Ellen M. Cowan

Mrs. Ellen M. Cowan, 72, of Kalispell, died in the Brendan House on Saturday, Aug. 22, of natural causes. She was born Aug. 13, 1920, in Kalispell, a daughter of Fred and Anna (Cox) Blair.

She received her education in Kalispell graduating from Flathead County High School in the class of 1935. She worked on the family ranch near Lofair by Shelby, Mont., where she took care of her mother. She then moved to Kalispell and worked in a green house for a while and also worked at Tobias Photo for a number of years.

In 1936 she married Melvin Lykins in Kalispell and he preceded her in death on March 14, 1966. They had two children, Carol and Jack Lykins, Jack preceded her in death in 1963.

She worked in the Dormitory of Bozeman College where she met her husband Lee Cowan. They were married on March 20, 1971 in Bozeman, MT. In 1976 they moved to Kalispell.

Ellen loved fishing, gardening and was a member of several bowling leagues. She was also preceded in death by her parents, three brothers and one sister.

Survivors include her husband, Lee of Kalispell; one daughter, Carol Lykins Hylton of Kalispell; three sisters, Myrtle Forseth of Puyallup, WA, Beatrice York of Missoula, MT and Bertha Rambo of Whitefish, MT; two grandchildren, Rick Kelso of Roanoke, VA and Jacki Lewis of Townsend, MT; five great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. on Thursday in the Johnson Mortuary Chapel with Pastor Wayne Pris, of the Eidsvold Lutheran Church officiating. Burial was in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of the Johnson Mortuary.

DI 28 JAN 1992

### Chester 'Chet' A. Corneliuson, 75

Chester 'Chet' Arnold Corneliuson, 75, Kalispell, died in the Immanuel Lutheran Home on Jan. 28 of natural causes.

He was born Dec. 16, 1916, in North Branch, Minn., a son of Halvor Cornelius and Elma Thorson Corneliuson. In 1928, he moved to Montana with his family where he attended Flathead County High School.

On Dec. 22, 1940, he married Wilma Sorenson in Whitefish.

Chet worked in a smelter plant in Kellogg, Idaho, and also the Faragut Naval Station in Bay View, Idaho, where he was a carpenter. He then worked on a blimp station in Tillamook, Ore. until he was injured on the job.

They returned to Kalispell in 1944, and he farmed for two years north of the Stillwater Church. Chet then went into logging.

He was a member of the Stillwater Lutheran Church, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, and also the Montana Loggers Association. He enjoyed hunting, fishing and traveling.

He was preceded in death by two children in infancy, Donald Lee and



Janice Lynn Corneliuson; one sister, Havel Neas and one brother, Royal Corneliuson.

Survivors include his wife, Wilma, of the family home in Kalispell; two sons, Vern Jon Corneliuson and his wife, Sharon, of Bigfork, and Chester Carl Corneliuson and his wife, Bette, of Clinton; one daughter, Mrs. James (Mary) Childers of Sevierville, Tenn.; one brother, Bert Corneliuson of Kalispell; two sisters, Mrs. Jack (Lylah) Peavy of Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. Donovan (Helen) Williams of Mercer Island, Wash.; nine grandchildren, Jami Lippencott of Union City, N.J., DeAnna Corneliuson of Portland, Ore., Corrina Johnson of Tucson, Ariz., Heather Childers of Nashville, Tenn., Jessie and Vanessa Childers of Sevierville, Tenn., Amber Corneliuson of Clinton, Kathy Virata of Milwaukie, Ore., and Leann Vaughn of Drummond; and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday in Bethlehem Lutheran Church with the Rev. Mary Ronning officiating. Burial will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Friends may call at Johnson Mortuary until 6 p.m. today.

The family suggests memorials may be made to American Parkinson's Foundation, Montana Chapter, 1205 Park Garden Road, Great Falls 59404.

X 24 SEPT. 1992

### Robert Croskrey 1992

Mr. Robert Franklin Croskrey, 78, of Bigfork, died at his home on Thursday, Sept. 24, of natural causes. He was born Nov. 6, 1913, in Cooper, Iowa, a son of Elias Warren and Delma Lacock Croskrey. He moved to Browning, Mont. as a teenager and graduated from high school there at the age of 16.

In 1931, he moved to the Flathead Valley and the next year helped his father plant cherry trees along Flathead Lake and also trapped furs. He joined the CCC's and was stationed at Apgar and Nine Mile. Between stints in the CCC's, he drove a truck on the construction of the Fort Peck Dam.

In 1934, he began work at the Coram Ranger District for the Flathead National Forest, working on fire control and timber management.

In 1957, he transferred to the Forest Supervisor's office in Kalispell and worked as Administrative Officer until his retirement due to ill health in 1967. During this time, he also conducted seminars in business management in various locations in the United States. He had lived in Bigfork since 1952 and wintered in Arizona since 1968. Mr. Croskrey was an avid fisherman and gifted carpenter. He was a member of Swan Chapel.

On May 23, 1939, he was married to Hazel Coverdell in Superior, and she now survives him at the family home in Bigfork.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, one sister, and one stepson. He is also survived by one daughter, Carol Pierce of Bigfork; three grandchildren, Ronda Kingstad of Beaverton, Oregon, Shari Mohl of Kalispell, and Jim Bob Pierce of Bigfork; four great-grandchildren; one sister, Mae Sudan of Bigfork and numerous other relatives.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. on Monday in the Little Brown Church in Bigfork with Rev. Ron Pierce of Swan Chapel officiating. Burial followed in the Lone Pine Cemetery. The family suggest memorials may be made to the Swan Chapel, 71262 Montana Hwy 83, Swan Lake, MT. Arrangements were under the direction of the Johnson Mortuary.

DI-25 APRIL 1992

### Lewis Henry Cousineau, 61

Lewis Henry Cousineau, 61, a Columbia Falls resident, died at his home April 25 of heart complications. 1992

He was born July 15, 1930, in Kalispell the son of Lewis G. and Myrtle Cousineau. Lewis was raised in the Glacier Park area and attended schools in Columbia Falls. He graduated from Columbia Falls High School in 1948. He then attended Montana State College in Missoula and graduated with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering in 1960.

In 1951, he had enlisted in the U.S. Army and served in the Korean Conflict. He was honorably discharged in 1954.

He married Evelyn Joyce Landry on Aug. 25, 1956, in Columbia Falls and they have resided there since.

Following graduation from college, Lewis went to work for Hercules Powder Co. near Salt Lake City for about two years. He then went to work for the Anaconda Copper Co. in Butte for two years before being transferred to the Columbia Falls Aluminum Plant in 1965. Lewis retired from Arco Aluminum in 1985.

Lewis was past president of the board of directors at North Valley Hospital in Whitefish, past president of the Lions Club, a member of United Methodist Church in Columbia Falls, and a member of square dancing clubs in the Flathead Valley.

He enjoyed woodworking, fishing, camping, and golfing.

Lewis was preceded in death by his mother, Myrtle in 1989, and a brother, Dennis in 1957.

He is survived by his wife, Evelyn at the family home in Columbia Falls; a son, Lewis Cousineau in Everett, Wash.; a daughter, Fonda Kaluksdahal in Butte; his father, Lewis G. Cousineau in Tacoma, Wash.; a brother, Billy Cousineau in Tacoma; a grandson and a granddaughter; and by several nieces and nephews.

Memorial services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Van Leuven Funeral Home in Columbia Falls with the Rev. John Farquhar, officiating. Burial will follow at Conrad Memorial Cemetery in Kalispell.

The family suggests memorials be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

DI 11 JAN 1992

### Lenore H. Cullen, 79

Lenore H. Cullen, 79, of Columbia Falls, died Monday at North Valley Hospital.

She is survived by two sons, including Dave Konopatzke of Columbia Falls; and Susie Smith of Columbia Falls.

A graveside committal of the urn will be Wednesday at 1 p.m. at Woodlawn Cemetery in Columbia Falls.

Columbia Mortuary of Columbia Falls is in charge of arrangements.

KN-1 SEPT. 1992

**Duane Curtis**

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Mr. Duane Curtis, 63, died at his home in Bigfork on Tuesday, Sept. 1, of natural causes. He was born June 29, 1929, in Farewell, Texas, a son of Henry and Grace Curtis. He attended school in Farewell and was a graduate of the high school there.

On June 30, 1948, he was married to Ivadell Evans in Texas. The couple farmed and ranched there until 1960, when they moved to Roundup, Montana. Mr. Curtis had owned and operated the Cooper Tire Store in Roundup until 1964 when they moved to Lewistown, MT. He had farmed and operated the John Deere Implement business while there.

In 1965, he moved to Bigfork where he has since resided. He was a sawyer for a short time before establishing the Curtis & Curtis Construction company. He was preceded in death by his wife, Ivadell, on Oct. 6, 1986, and on Dec. 23, 1988, he was married to Phyllis Turley in Roundup, and was preceded in death by her on July 29, 1989.

Mr. Curtis was a member of the National Rifle Association; president of the Bigfork Rod and Gun Club; member of the Sheriff's Posse for a number of years, and had attended the Swan Chapel. He enjoyed hunting and fishing and was a Gun Safety Instructor teaching the safe gun handling classes.

He is survived by three sons, Wade and Wayne Curtis both of Bigfork and Craig Curtis of Spokane, WA; one daughter, Thiery Ewing of Coos Bay, Ore.; a sister, Pearl, in Arkansas; six grandchildren, Walter Curtis of Denver, Colo., Rae and Amy Scott and Devin and Ivy Curtis all of Bigfork and Sharien Curtis of Spokane, Wash.; a number of nieces and nephews and many friends and neighbors.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. on Saturday in the Little Brown Church in Bigfork with Rev. Ron Pierce, pastor of the Swan Chapel officiating. Burial was in the Lonepine Cemetery in Bigfork. The family suggest memorials be made to the Bigfork Rod and Gun Club.

KN-26 Nov 1992

**Rose Ann "Rosie" Cox 1992**

Rose Ann "Rosie" Cox, 74, Lakeside, died Thursday Nov. 26 of natural causes at her Lakeside home.

She was born May 8, 1918 at Choteau, the daughter of Charles and Ina Spence. At age two, she came with her family to Great Falls, where she used to sit on Charlie Russell's knee while he whittled. In 1924, the family moved to Lewistown, and she graduated from Fergus County High School in 1935. After two years at Mesa Junior College in Grand Junction, CO, she attended Colorado College in Colorado Springs.

In 1940, Rosie married Charlie Cox in Casper, WY, and they made their home in Lewistown, later moving to Bremerton and Everett, WA. They came to Lakeside in 1948, where they started the Lakeside Marina from a cattail swamp and a railroad bunk car. They owned and operated the marina until selling in 1970, and Charlie passed away several months later.

Rosie also worked as bookkeeper for several local businesses, and delivered the Homeseekers Gazette. She was proud to have been present at nearly every Flathead High School sporting event.

An active member of St. Patrick's Episcopal Church in Bigfork, she served as treasurer for many years. She had also been active in the Cursillo community, Lambda Alpha Lambda social sorority, and the US Coast Guard Auxilliary.

Surviving family members include one son, Joe Cox of Lakeside; one daughter Libby Moothart and her husband Boyd, of Kalispell; a granddaughter, Amanda Moothart of Kalispell; one sister, Mona Lytle of Lakeside; one brother, Jack Spence of Tacoma, WA; and a number of other relatives.

Memorial services will be Thursday Dec. 3 at 10:00 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church in Kalispell. Officiating will be Rev. Mike Morrissey of St Patrick's Episcopal Church in Bigfork, and Rev. Thad Butcher of St John's Episcopal Church in Butte. Private interment will take place at Glacier Memorial Gardens in Kalispell.

Arrangement are by the Weatherford Funeral Home & Crematory in Kalispell.

Memorial contributions are suggested to the Lakeside Quick Response Unit (QRU), PO Box 36, Lakeside 59922, or St Patrick's Youth Fund, PO Box 431, Bigfork 59911.

KN 3 APR 1992

**1992 Lucy Cusick**

Mrs. Lucy Virginia Hall Cusick, 81, of Kalispell died in the Kalispell In-Patient Rehab Center on Friday morning, April 3.

She was born May 15, 1910 in Maiden Rock, Wisc., a daughter of John and Minnie Hall. She had received her education in Wisconsin and on October 19, 1925, was married to Harold Stephen Syth in Sidney, Mont.

He died on March 10, 1949.

On August 18, 1954, she was married to Fred Albert Cusick in Kalispell. They had lived in Helena Flats where they had a chicken farm until the fall of 1965. They then moved to Kalispell's East side until her death.

Mrs. Cusick had loved flowers and enjoyed camping and fishing.

She was also preceded in death by one son, Marlin "Martie" Syth on Nov. 10, 1991.

She is now survived by her husband Fred, at the home; three children, Leon Syth of Kalispell, Jerry Syth of Fortine, and Lois Krause of Bigfork; one sister, Bernita Contioso of Sunnyvale, Calif.; fifteen grandchildren and several great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday in the Johnson Mortuary Chapel with Pastor Raymond Powell of the Family of Faith Church officiating. Burial was in the Glacier Memorial Gardens.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Family of Faith Church or to the charity of the donor's choice.

KN 29 JUNE 1992

### Erwin "Doc" Cutler

Mr. Erwin B. "Doc" Cutler, 91, of Kalispell, died in the Kalispell Regional Hospital on Monday, June 29, of natural causes. 1992

He was born June 19, 1901, to Albertin and Laura (Bell) Cutler in Kalispell. His father was an early days dentist in Kalispell and that's why the nickname "Doc" was given.

He graduated from Flathead County High School in 1919 and soon after, was married to Mary Ann O'Maley. A son, Dale, and a daughter, Connie, were born to them. Later he was divorced and on July 1, 1950 was married to Rose Oleson in Kalispell.

Doc worked for the Flathead County Road Department from May 1927 to Mar. 1939. He then worked at various jobs, including six years at Grand Coulee Dam until 1949 when he began working for the Montana Highway Department. He retired in 1966 and made his home in Bigfork until Nov. 1988 when he moved to Buffalo Hill Terrace in Kalispell.

On Aug. 29, 1990, he moved to the Immanuel Lutheran Home where he resided until his death, 10 days after his 91st birthday. He is fondly remembered by his family and friends, including several life-long acquaintances and staff at the Terrace and Lutheran Home.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Dave; a sister Alene Ford and a step son, Owen Oleson.

Survivors include his wife, Rose, of Kalispell; a son, Dale Cutler of Petaluma, Calif.; a daughter Conne Cutler of Point Richmond, Calif.; one granddaughter, Andi Stillway of Colorado Springs, Colo.; two grandsons, Jeff and Tony Cutler of Calif; one great grandchild, Ryan Stillway of Colo.; one nephew, Robert Ford of Kalispell and one niece, Pat Erie of Oklahoma and their families.

Memorial services were held Tuesday at the Immanuel Lutheran Home.

The family suggests memorials may be made to the Immanuel Lutheran Home, Kalispell, MT. or the charity of the donor's choice.

DI 18 Oct. 1992

### Lonelva Lebert Cyr, 80

Lonelva Lebert Cyr, 80, of Kalispell, died at Immanuel Lutheran Home on Sunday, Oct. 18, 1992.

She was born June 7, 1912, in Kalispell, to Jack J. and Mayme Morrill Lebert. She was the granddaughter of Charles W. and Martha Morrill, early homesteaders of the lower Flathead Valley in 1889.

She attended school and lived in Kalispell all of her life except for some of the war years when her husband was in the armed services.

On May 17, 1933, she married Charles W. Cyr in Kalispell and was preceded in death by him on July 12, 1986.

She is survived by her daughter, Virginia Millsbaugh, of Kalispell; a son, Bill Cyr, of Joppa, Md.; two grandsons, Mike and Craig; and four great-grandchildren.

Brief graveside services and urn burial will be held at 11 a.m. Friday at Conrad Memorial Cemetery with the Rev. Dennis Jingt, pastor of Central Bible Church, officiating. Friends will meet at the cemetery for services.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children, P.O. Box 2472, Spokane, Wash., 99210.

Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary.