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Alf Larsen Funeral Wednesday

Funeral services for Alf Larsen, 81, who died in an automobile accident Saturday on Highway 93 south of Lakeside, will be conducted Wednesday at 1 p.m. in the Waggener & Campbell Chapel with the Rev. H. Peder Waldum of Bethlehem Lutheran Church officiating. Interment will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Mr. Larsen was born Sept. 22, 1888, in Taarstad, Ofoten, Norway, to Karolius and Petra Larsen. He received his early schooling in Norway and at the age of 18 came to the United States where he joined the Merchant Marines. He started as a sailor's mate and had worked his way to captain. He retired after more than 34 years as a captain.

Mr. Larsen then came to Kalispell in 1954 to operate the Blue & White Motel which his brother Chris built in 1937 and who preceded him in death in 1951. He was also preceded in death by two other brothers, Auger and Louie Larsen. Mr. Larsen was a Lutheran and a member of the Elks and Sons of Norway.

Mr. Larsen is survived by three brothers, Sig of Kalispell, Jentoft in Norway and Leif in England; two sisters, Signe Stori and Astrid Larsen in Norway; and several nieces and nephews.

A. Lanegan Dies; Rites Tuesday

D-7 Aug 1970
Albert A. Lanegan, 65, died in Spokane Friday.

Mr. Lanegan was born June 8, 1905, in Kalispell. He received his education in Kalispell and in later years had worked following construction in Montana and Washington. He was working in Spokane at the time of his death.

Mr. Lanegan is survived by one son, Donald, Kalispell; four daughters, Mrs. Dixie Woodard of Missoula, Mrs. Donna Wilhelm of Haines, Alaska, Mrs. Tom Hulett of Fairbanks, Alaska, and Mrs. Jeanette Nash of Kennewick, Wash.; three sisters, Mrs. Emil Mellem of Kalispell, Mrs. Jake Voermans of Whitefish, and Mrs. Taylor Cox of Playa Del Rey, Calif.; two brothers, James Lanegan of Reedsport, Ore., and Harry Lanegan of Spokane; 18 grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services have been set for Tuesday at 10:30 a.m., in the Waggener & Campbell Chapel with the Rev. Clarence Loewen of the Central Bible Church officiating. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

In Memory of

CLAUDE I. LANSING

Born November 19, 1891
Panama, Nebraska

Passed away November 23, 1970
Kalispell, Montana

Services at
Johnson Chapel
2 p.m., November 27, 1970

Officiating
Rev. John Lewis
Epworth United Methodist Church

Music
Mrs. Rebecca Trablak
Soloist and Organist

Pallbearers

Eddy Foster Harry Reimer
Jerry Baldwin Pinky Murer
Emil Fenneman Colin White

Final Resting Place
C. E. Conrad Memorial Cemetery
Military Graveside Rites

ke, Friday, August 14, 1970

Landwehr Funeral Rites Set

13 Aug 1970

WHITEFISH — Funeral services for Henry Alexander Landwehr, 25, Whitefish, who died early Thursday morning in an automobile accident on Highway 40 west of Columbia Falls, will be conducted Monday morning at St. Charles Catholic Church with the Rev. John Cronin as celebrant.

Rosary will be recited Sunday evening in the Austin Chapel and burial will be in the Whitefish Cemetery with military graveside rites.

Mr. Landwehr was a student at Wahpeton State School of Science at Wahpeton, N.D.

He was born Jan. 30, 1945, at Los Angeles, Calif., a son of Joseph and Lorine Landwehr. As a child he moved to Williston, N.D., with his parents, where he graduated from high school.

In 1965 he entered the U.S. Marine Corps and served in Vietnam where he received a number of decorations and commendations and was honorably discharged in 1967. Upon his honorable discharge he attended the University of Montana at Missoula until last year when he moved to Wahpeton. He was a Catholic.

He was preceded in death by his mother Dec. 30, 1968.

He is survived by his father, Joseph Landwehr, Whitefish; one brother, Ronald Landwehr, Columbia Falls; his maternal grandmother, Mrs. A. E. Hehmkke of Pasco, Wash.; his paternal grandparents, Mrs. Lloyd Bond and J. B. Landwehr, both of Whitefish.

Abe LaValle

Funeral

20 Nov 1970
Saturday

D-18 Mar 1970
WHITEFISH — Abe LaValle, 69, LaSalle Road, died in Conrad Wednesday evening.

Mr. LaValle was born Dec. 22, 1900, at Grass Range, Mont. As a young man he moved with his family to Meado Lake, Sask. He later entered the U.S. Army and had served in the Orient for several years. Upon receiving his honorable discharge he moved to Cheney, Wash. In the early 1930s, he moved to Chinook where he was employed in the sugar factory.

In 1940 he came to the Flathead Valley and was employed in woodwork and had been employed by the Farmers Union Oil Company until his retirement in 1957.

For the past year he had lived in the LaSalle area. Mr. LaValle had attended the Assembly of God Church of Whitefish.

July 24, 1937, he was married to Kathleen Watson at Havre and is now survived by her at the family home.

He is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. John (Lucy) Houle of Edson, Alta.; Mrs. Katherine Wilson of Maple Creek, Alta., and Mrs. Fred (Mary) Tourand of Victoria, B.C., and two brothers, Leonard and Jim LaValle, both in British Columbia. He was preceded in death by two brothers and one sister.

Funeral services for Mr. LaValle will be conducted in the Austin Chapel at 2 p.m. Saturday with the Rev. Wayne Masters, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, officiating. Interment will be in the Glacier Memorial Gardens.

Lena Lapp, 78, Dies;

Funeral Friday At 2

D-13 Apr 1970

Lena Lucinda Lapp, 78, died in Kalispell Monday.

Mrs. Lapp was born Oct. 1, 1891 in Harper, Kan., to Dan and Mary Kauffman. As a young girl she moved with her family to Iowa where she received her schooling.

Dec. 13, 1911, she was married to Frank B. Lapp in Iowa. The couple resided there until 1915 when they moved to the Flathead and engaged in ranching at Creston and vicinity for many years.

Mrs. Lapp was a member of the Mennonite Church having been baptized into the church at the age of 11. She was preceded in death by her husband, Frank, in 1966 and a son, Willard, in 1941.

Mrs. Lapp is survived by three daughters; Mary Oesch of Hes-

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ston, Kan., Anna Birky of Columbia Falls and Esther Hogue of Whitefish; seven sons, John of San Rafael, Calif., Clarence, Edward, and Wayne of the Evergreen, Jason of Kalispell, George of Columbia Falls and Floyd of Molalla, Ore.; three sisters, Mrs. George Hoylman of Creston, Mrs. Ella Slater of Kalispell and Mrs. Sam Hoylman of Iowa; 44 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

Funeral services for Mrs. Lapp have been set for Friday at 2 p.m. from the Waggener & Campbell Chapel with Pastor D. D. Brenneman of the Mennonite Church officiating.

The family has suggested that those wishing to give memorials may do so to the Mountain View Mennonite Church.

24 Aug 1970

Gregory Joseph LeDuc, 66, Bigfork, died in Kalispell on Monday afternoon.

Mr. LeDuc was born Sept. 13, 1903 at Crary, N. D., a son of John and Gertrude LeDuc. He had received his education and spent his early life in North Dakota.

In 1947, he moved to the Flathead Valley and has lived in Bigfork since that time. Mr. LeDuc was owner and operator of Greg's Homes, Inc. He was a

member of the St. Catherine's Catholic Church of Bigfork and the BPOE 725.

He was married to Evelyn Reep who preceded him in death in 1961. He was later married to Margaret Murphy and is now survived by her at the family home.

He is also survived by one son, Grant LeDuc of San Luis Obispo, Calif.; three grandchildren; three brothers, Charles of Minot, N. D., Joseph of Lakota, N. D. and Arthur LeDuc of Austin, Minn.; five sisters, Mrs. John Mahoney of Lakota, Mrs. Ed Mullen of Devils Lake, N. D., Mrs. Arthur Guenser of Seattle, Sister M. Concepta of Denver, Colo., and Sister M. Marita of El Paso, Tex.

Rosary for Mr. LeDuc will be recited in the Johnson Chapel at 8 p.m. Wednesday. Requiem high mass will be celebrated in St. Catherine's Catholic Church in Bigfork at 10 a.m. Thursday with the Rev. Bruce Plummer as celebrant. Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Opal Levens Dies; Rites Pending

Mrs. Opal Mary Levens, 71, 95 Fourth Ave. E.N., died in Kalispell Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Levens was born April 16, 1898, near St. Joseph, Mo., a daughter of Van and Mary Rawlings. She had attended schools in Oklahoma and Indiana.

Sept. 16, 1919, she was married to Clarence Levens at Pratt, Kan. The couple then moved to Lewistown where they lived for 25 years before moving to Kalispell where they have resided for the past 25 years.

Mrs. Levens was a member of the Rebekah Lodge of Lewistown and was of the Methodist faith.

She is survived by her widower, Clarence, at the family home; one son, Harold of Bozeman; two daughters, Mrs. Donald (Alice) Smail of Helena and Miss Mabel Levens of Wichita, Kan.; one sister, Mrs. Dorothy Sober of Pleasanton, Calif.; 13 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one son, Lawrence, in August of 1959.

Funeral arrangements for Mrs. Levens will be announced by the Johnson Funeral Home.

Raymond Lincoln

Raymond D. Lincoln, 59, died in Kalispell Tuesday. He was born July 28, 1911 to Florence and Thomas Lincoln in Oakgrove, Ark. He came to the Flathead Valley with his family in 1920 where he has since resided.

In 1940 he married Ethyl Davis in Polson. Mr. Lincoln was a painter until the last few years when he quit due to health. He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother Thomas Lincoln.

Mr. Lincoln is now survived by his widow at the family home 46 Fifth Ave. W., two daughters, Rosalie at the family home and Rae Marie Martinson, Hungry Horse; two sons, Ralph, Spokane and Sam, Leggett, Calif.; five grandsons, two granddaughters and two brothers, Robert, Kalispell and Harry, Helena.

Mr. Lincoln was a member of the Central Christian Church of Kalispell and Painters Local No. 975.

Funeral services for Mr. Lincoln have been set for Friday at 2 p.m. in the Waggener & Campbell Chapel with Rev. Fred Paxton of Central Christian Church officiating. Interment will follow in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Friday Rites For Mrs. Limpp

Funeral services for Mrs. Kathleen Limpp will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 3 p.m. Friday with the Rev. James A. Jenson, pastor of the Eidsvold Lutheran Church officiating. Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery. Mrs. Limpp, 25, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Wells of Lakeside, died in Minot, N.D., Saturday.

Mrs. Linden Dies; Rites In Nevada

Mrs. Clara Linden of Ely, Nev., former Swan River resident, died in Ely Aug. 15, according to word received from relatives in Kalispell.

Mrs. Linden was born at Swan River in 1892, a daughter of Carl and Inger Rost, and lived there until seven years ago when she and her husband, Halvor, moved to Ely. Mr. Linden died in Ely in 1966.

Survivors include one daughter, Viola Kimball, of California; one son, Lawrence Linden of Ely, several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Other survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Jessie Smith of Kalispell and Mrs. Myrtle Harness of Bigfork and several nieces and nephews.

Burial will be in Ely Tuesday afternoon.

Alvin L. Lingle Dies Unexpectedly, Rites Pending

Alvin LeRoy Lingle, 37, died in Columbia Falls Sunday. Mr. Lingle was born May 30, 1933, at Frazer, where he grew up and had made his home in the Glasgow area until coming to Columbia Falls last April, making his home on Ninth Street West.

Mr. Lingle is survived by his wife, Nancy; five children, Dean, Katrina, Jerry, Joel and Kimberly at Kalispell; one stepdaughter, Deedee at Columbia Falls; his parents, Fred and Goldie Lingle, Hot Springs; one brother, Robert Lingle, Columbia Falls and two sisters, Mrs. Beulah Houseal, Libby, and Mrs. Mary Ann Bates, Wolf Point.

Funeral services for Mr. Lingle will be announced by the Van Leuven Funeral Home.

Mrs. Linnell Dies At 83

D-16 May 1970
Mrs. Mary E. (Giles) Linnell, former resident of Kalispell, died Saturday at Hawthorne House, a Kennewick, Wash., nursing home where she had resided for the past two years. She was 83.

She was born July 22, 1886, at Bozeman. She was a member of Epworth United Methodist Church and Navy Mothers of Montana. She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Frances Germaine, Kennewick; Mrs. Erma Smith, Portland; Mrs. Betty Ann Matheny, Puyallup, Wash., and Mrs. Charlotte Moser, Kirkland, Wash.; two sons, Edward C. Giles, Kirkland, and Burton Giles, Spokane and 36 grandchildren.

She is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Helen Hambrick and Mrs. Bessie Corey, Warrington, Fla., and a brother, Vincent Baker, Vancouver, Wash.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday at Muller's Chapel of the Falls, Kennewick. Interment will be in Riverview Heights Cemetery, Kennewick.

Littell Rites Monday At 2 In Libby ^{16 Aug} 70

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LIBBY — Funeral services will be conducted Monday at 2 p.m. for William Russell Littell, 76, former editor and publisher of the Western News who died in Kalispell Thursday evening.

The rites will be performed in the Gompf Funeral Home with the Rev. William Hawthorne of the Libby United Methodist Church officiating. Burial will be in the Libby Cemetery.

Mr. Littell was born Jan. 11, 1894, in Woodston, Kan. He owned the Western News from 1945 until 1960. He was a member of the Libby Masonic Lodge, Rotary club and Lions club. He was a past post commander of the American Legion. He came to Libby from Atwood, Kan., where he had published a newspaper.

He is survived by his widow, Janet; a daughter, Mrs. Clayton Young; and two grandchildren, all of Libby.

A. Lippens Dies; Rites Monday

D-27 May 1974
Adolph Lippens, 86, 311 Fifth Ave. E., died in Great Falls Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Lippens was born Dec. 31, 1883, at Wakken, Belgium. He had received his education in Belgium and in 1914 came to America to live in Michigan.

In 1916 he moved to Montana and homesteaded northwest of Dutton. In 1929, he returned to Belgium where Jan. 16, 1929, he was married to Margaret Van Tighen at Meulebere. The couple returned to their homestead at Dutton and continued farming until their retirement in 1947. They then moved to Kalispell.

Mr. Lippens was a member of the St. Matthew's Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus. He was preceded in death by his wife Sept. 26, 1948 and is now survived by one son, Andre Lippens of Omaha, Neb.; one daughter, Mrs. Russell (Mary) Blanchet of Dutton; one sister in Belgium and four grandchildren.

Rosary for Mr. Lippens will be recited in the Johnson Chapel at 8 p.m. Sunday. Requiem high mass will be celebrated in St. Matthew's Catholic Church at 9:30 a.m. Monday with the Rev. Maurice Medina as celebrant. Graveside rites and interment will be held in the Dutton Cemetery at 3:30 p.m. Monday.

William Little ¹⁹⁷⁰ Killed in Vietnam

D-14 Jan 1970
Marine Cpl. William Gregory Little, 21, was killed in action in Vietnam, Jan. 14. He was the son of Dr. and Mrs. William J. Little, Route 2, Kalispell. Dr. Little is a radiologist at Kalispell General Hospital.

Cpl. Little was killed in the crash of a helicopter struck by hostile fire, Jan. 14. He was serving with the Reconnaissance Company, Third Marine Force, in Thua Thein Province. He was 206th Montanan killed in the war.

He was born June 5, 1948, in Fort Leavenworth, Kan. He attended schools in Indiana and Kalispell and was graduated from Flathead High School in 1966. He attended Colorado State College and the University of Montana. He enlisted in the Marines in May, 1968, and had been in Vietnam 10 months.

Survivors include his parents, one brother, Jeffrey; two sisters, Cheryl and Candace, all of Kalispell; his grandmother, Mrs. Nada Mackey, Kalispell.

D- June 1970
WHITEFISH — Mrs. Genevieve Lucille Logan, 48, Great Falls, died in Whitefish Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Logan was born Oct. 24, 1921 at Lewistown, a daughter of Dwight and Lois Spayde. As a child she moved with her parents to Great Falls where she attended Great Falls schools and has spent her life since that time.

Oct. 10, 1940, she was married to Douglas Logan at Great Falls and is now survived by him.

She is also survived by two sons, Douglas R. Logan of Missoula and Robert A. Logan of the family home; one daughter, Mrs. Leon (Janet) Coleman of Missoula; and her mother, Mrs. Lois Spayde of Great Falls.

The body is being forwarded by the Austin Funeral Home to the Croxford Mortuary in Great Falls where funeral services and interment will be conducted later in the week.

Sig Ludwig, 65, Dies; Funeral Rites Saturday

29 Apr 1970

Sig Ludwig, 65, died at his home at 1103 Second Ave. E., Wednesday.

Mr. Ludwig was born Jan. 26, 1905 at Lake Mills, Iowa, a son of Nels and Anna Marie Ludvigson. He had attended schools in Iowa and in 1927 he moved to Minot, N.D.

July 7, 1929, he was married to Marian Kittilsby at Minot. The couple continued to live at Minot until 1935 when they moved to Glasgow. In 1937 they moved to Kalispell.

Mr. Ludwig had owned and operated the Ludwig Agency for the past 33 years. He was also president of the Northwestern Securities, Inc.

Mr. Ludwig was a member of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church; the Montana Pilots Assn.; Kalispell Elks Lodge; Kalispell Golf Assn. and the Kalispell Realtors Assn., of which he was a past president.

He is survived by his widow, Marian, at home; one son, Robert E. Ludwig, at home; one



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daughter, Mrs. Richard (Janice) Nelson of Spokane; his mother, Mrs. Anna Marie Ludvigson at Mt. Olivet Hospital, Minneapolis, Minn.; two brothers, R. B. "Bud" Ludvigson of Valley City, N. D., and Harold N. Ludvigson of Mill Valley, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. Joseph (Agnes) Peterson of Forrest City, Iowa, Mrs. Herbert (Hildegard) Mullen of Stoughton, Wis., and Mrs. Charles (Constance) Zeimer of Minneapolis; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mr. Ludwig will be conducted in the Bethlehem Lutheran Church at 10:30 a.m. Saturday with the Rev. H. Feder Waldum officiating. Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery under the direction of the Johnson Funeral Home. The family suggests friends who wish may contribute memorials to the Bethlehem Lutheran Church.

Mrs. Lund's Father Dies

0-3 June 1970

WHITEFISH — Arthur Lund, age 75, retired businessman of Great Falls and father of Mrs. Ted Lund of Whitefish, died in Great Falls Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Lund was born June 20, 1893 at LaSalle, Ill. When he was two years of age he moved with his parents to Great Falls where he had received his education and was later a fuel dealer in that city for many years.

He was a veteran of World War I. He was a member of the VFW Post 1087 and the Military Order of Cooties until illness forced him to relinquish these activities.

Mr. Lund is survived by his widow, Rose, at the family home at 912 Sixth Ave. North in Great Falls; two daughters, Mrs. Ted (Connie) Lund of Whitefish and Mrs. Gloria Roll of Great Falls and three grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mr. Lund are pending at the Chapel of the Chimes Funeral Home in Great Falls.

Dan Lundgren Rites Saturday

28 Aug 1970

Funeral services for Dan Lundgren will be conducted Saturday at 9:30 a.m. in the Waggener & Campbell Chapel with the Rev. John L. Dutzar of Polson officiating.

Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Mr. Lundgren died last Wednesday in Kalispell at the age of 85.

Memorials have been suggested to the Christian Ministry for National Park Service and the Shrine Crippled Children's Hospital. Casket will remain open until service time.

Logan Memorial Rites Conducted

0-29 Feb 1970

27 Mar 1970

CHARLO — Memorial services were conducted this afternoon at the Charlo Community Church for S. R. Logan, longtime school administrator. Logan died Saturday at Missoula following a long illness. He was 84.

His school career started in 1913 when he was named District 28 superintendent in Missoula County. He served in a similar position in Hardin from 1919 to 1926, then moved to Winnetka, Ill., where he served as superintendent for 21 years.

On retirement he returned to his homestead near Charlo where he had lived since.

He is survived by his widow, Frances, at the family home; three daughters; two sons, and 13 grandchildren.

The Rev. James Nolan conducted the memorial service.

The family has requested memorials be made to the American Cancer Society or a favored charity.

19 Aug 1970
Rosary for A. Douglas Logan, 21, Rt. 4, Kalispell, who died Wednesday morning in an auto accident between Hungry Horse and Martin City, will be recited Friday at 7:30 p.m. in the Johnson Chapel.

Requiem high mass will be celebrated Saturday at 10 a.m. in St. Matthew's Catholic Church with the Rev. Bruce Plummer as celebrant. Interment will be in Glacier Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Logan was born July 4, 1949, in Kalispell, a son of Darrell and Adeline Logan. He had attended Kalispell schools and graduated from Flathead High School in 1967. He then attended the Montana State University at Bozeman where he had completed his junior year in electrical engineering. He was a member of the St. Matthew's Catholic Church, the Sigma Nu Fraternity and the Dandy Dudes and Dolls 4-H Club.

He is survived by his parents; one brother, Clinton Logan of Pleasanton, Calif.; one sister, Mrs. Allen (Donna) Birky of Kalispell; his grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Logan of Kalispell and several nieces and nephews.

THOMPSON FALLS (AP) — Douglas Lyght, 24, of Thompson Falls was killed instantly Monday night when the pickup truck in which he was traveling tumbled off a graveled mountain road near the Montana-Idaho border and rolled four times.

Sanders County officials said the truck came to a stop against a tree, and Lyght was pinned between the truck and the tree.

A passenger in the truck, Franklin Sorenson, 32, of Thompson Falls—suffered back and neck injuries, officials said, and was listed in serious condition Tuesday in a Missoula hospital.

Officials said the truck in which Lyght and Sorenson were riding met a car pulling a trailer, and that the right front tire of the truck went off the edge of the road, causing the truck to roll down the mountainside.

The death was the 166th on Montana's streets and highways in 1970, as compared to 182 on July 29, 1969.

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