

GRACE ALICE METCALF

BORN

August 13, 1895  
Humbolt, Kansas

PASSED AWAY

December 3, 1970  
Kalispell, Montana

SERVICES AT

Waggener & Campbell Chapel  
Monday, December 7, 1970  
2:00 P.M.

OFFICIATING

Rev. Fred Paxton  
Central Christian Church  
Soloist, Howard Curtis  
Organist, Louise Hanger

PALLBEARERS

Willis Loveall	Allen Graham
Dallas Graham	Byron Metcalf
Francis Graham	Bernard Metcalf

CONCLUDING SERVICES

Conrad Memorial Cemetery  
Kalispell, Montana

(Casket will not be opened following service)

## **Richard Michels Dies At Helena; Rites Saturday**

*D-10 Feb 1970*  
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Richard E. Michels, 59, died in Helena Tuesday. Mr. Michels was born Dec. 18, 1910 in Columbia Falls to William and Susan Michels. He attended both Badrock and Columbia Falls schools and worked in the various mills in the area. Aug. 1, 1933, he married Jessie Harbin in Kalispell.

He joined the operating engineers and was employed in Alaska and Montana until he retired in 1969 because of illness. Mr. Michels was a member of the Operating Engineers Local No. 371, an ex-member of the board, and a member of the Morning Star Lodge No. 5 AF&AM, Helena. He was granted Master Mason at sight in the hospital Jan. 14, 1970, apparently the first and only time in Montana Masonic history.

He is survived by his wife, Jessie in Helena; a son, Richard A. Michels, Helena; three brothers, Raymond, Coram, Roger, Libby and Sidney, Kalispell; a sister, Mrs. Elva Davis, Kalispell; two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services have been set for Saturday at 2 p.m. in the Waggener & Campbell Chapel, Rev. Clabourne Hatcher, Columbia Falls Methodist Church officiating. Interment will be in the Fairview Cemetery.

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## Dan Miller Dies; Rites Pending

OLNEY — The death of Dan Miller, 60, Star Meadows, has been attributed to natural causes following investigation by the Flathead County Coroner's office.

Miller was found dead in his trailer home at 11:25 a.m. Friday by his son-in-law, Robert Dougherty, who called authorities immediately. Time of death was placed at about 6:30 a.m.

Mr. Miller was born April 10, 1910, at Hailey, Idaho, a son of Daniel and Eunice Miller. He had attended schools in Idaho and May 2, 1931, he was married to Anne McGuire at Miles City. In the late 1930s he moved to Salmon, Idaho. During the war years, he was employed at the shipyards in Portland.

In 1946, he moved to Torrey, Utah, where he lived until 1950 when he moved to New Mexico. In 1958, he returned to Salmon. Mr. Miller had been employed in construction work until 1969 when he moved to Olney and has been working with his son in logging operations for the Gib Burk Construction in the Meadow Creek area.

Mr. Miller was a member of the Masonic Lodge of Challis, Idaho.

He is survived by his widow, Anne; six sons, Mike of Olney, Daniel, Peter, Joe, Larry and Curtis at various places in the Pacific Northwest; three daughters, Mrs. Robert (Cleione) Dougherty and Mrs. Andrea Zickefoose, both of Olney, and Mrs. Helen McGuire of Ellis, Idaho; 34 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren and four brothers.

Private funeral services are being planned under the direction of the Austin Funeral Home.

## Ruth Miller Dies; Rites Saturday

D-12 Aug. 1970

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Ruth G. Miller, 92, died in Kalispell Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Miller was born on July 11, 1888, in Fayette, Iowa, the daughter of F. S. and Nellie A. Walker. She graduated from the Fayette Public Schools and from Upper Iowa University. She also took graduate work in Columbia University in New York City. Mrs. Miller came to Kalispell in January 1920 to teach English in the high school and has resided here since. June 3, 1920, she was married to Carl Miller in Kalispell.

Mrs. Miller was a member of the Methodist Church, a past regent of the Chief Ignace Chapter DAR, a member of the Colonial Dames, a 50-year member of the Order of the Eastern Star, Adah Chapter 17, and a member of the Kalispell Saddle Club of which she served as its first secretary.

Miss Miller was preceded in death by her parents and one brother. She is now survived by her widower, Carl, at the family home; and one brother F.P. Walker of Clear Lake, Iowa.

Funeral services for Mrs. Miller have been set for Saturday at 10:30 a.m. in the Waggener & Campbell Chapel with the Rev. John Lewis of the Epworth United Methodist Church officiating. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery. The body will lie in state until service time at which time the casket will be closed.

## Terry Soldier Killed In South Vietnam

*12 May 1970*  
TERRY (AP)—Spec. 4 Ronald Milne, 19, was killed May 12 in Vietnam when the helicopter in which he was a crew chief was shot down by enemy forces, relatives said Tuesday.

Milne, a native of Billings, attended schools in Roundup and high school in Terry. He enlisted in the Army May 8, 1969 and was sent to Vietnam Nov. 4, 1969. After being transferred to the Army Air Corps March 25 of this year he was sent back to Vietnam following additional training.

He was the son of William Milne of Terry and Mrs. Harvey Handy of Kelso, Wash.

He was the 218th Montanan to die in the Vietnam conflict.

## Chloe H. Monegan

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*3 Oct 1970*  
Dies Saturday,  
Service Tuesday

Mrs. Chloe Hodgson Monegan, 82, died in Whitefish Saturday. Mrs. Monegan was born Dec. 11, 1887, at Pleasantville, Iowa. She came to the Flathead Valley when 12 years old. April 19, 1908, she was married to Joe Monegan at Columbia Falls and is survived by her widower at the family home.

She is also survived by two daughters, Mrs. Elaine Babcock, Whitefish, and Mrs. Naomi Moody, Columbia Falls; one son, Gerald Monegan, Tacoma, Wash.; one sister, Mrs. Beth Tombrink and one brother Mark Hodgson, both of Columbia Falls; four grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Funeral services for Mrs. Monegan will be conducted Tuesday at 2 p.m. from the Van Leuven Funeral Home in Columbia Falls with Rev. George Krieger of the First Christian Church, officiating. Interment will follow in Conrad Memorial Cemetery in Kalispell.

## Mrs. Mohn Dies; Rites Thursday

*23 Feb 70*  
Mrs. Maleada Alma Mohn, 54, Rollins, died in Kalispell Sunday afternoon. *22 Feb 1970*

Mrs. Mohn was born May 7, 1915, at Ray, N.D., a daughter of Melvin and Emily Hartsoch. She had attended schools in North Dakota and had graduated from high school at Bonners Ferry, Idaho. She continued to live in Idaho until 1944, when she moved to Kalispell.

Nov. 20, 1947, she was married to Harold Mohn in Kalispell. Mrs. Mohn had been employed by the Lee's Glass Shop for about three years. In 1963, the couple moved to Rollins where they have since resided. Mrs. Mohn was a member of the Calvary Lutheran Church, the Evergreen Hobby Club and the Evergreen Fire Ladies Auxiliary.

She is survived by her widower, Harold, at home; two sons, Leslie Ferguson of Kelso, Wash., and Leonard Ferguson of Camas, Wash.; one daughter, Mrs. Darleada Hilt of Butte; three brothers, Leonard Hartsoch of Espanola, N.M., Milton Hartsoch of Quilcene, Wash., and Melford Hartsoch of Los Banos, Calif.; 13 grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mohn will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 2 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. Henrik Engbretson, pastor of the Calvary Lutheran Church, officiating. Interment will be in the Glacier Memorial Gardens.

The family suggests friends who wish may contribute memorials to the Calvary Lutheran Church or to the American Cancer Society.

## Mrs. Wima B. Moos Funeral Will Be Observed Monday

*D-12 June 1970*

Mrs. Wima B. Moos, 86, 320 Second Ave. E., died in Kalispell Friday. Mrs. Moos was born April 28, 1884 at New Salem N.D., daughter of Heinrich and Mary Beusen, pioneer settlers of New Salem. She was clerk of the school board for 35 years. She organized the first 4-H club in Fern-

dale. She was a member of the Ferndale Sewing Circle, being instrumental in starting the Circle Center Building. She was a member of the Epworth United Methodist Church of Kalispell. Funeral services for Mrs. Moos will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 2 p.m. Monday with the Rev. J. Torrance Harvey, pastor of the Lakeside Chapel officiating. Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery. The family suggest memorials to the Epworth United Methodist Church or to the charity of your choice.

Orphaned at an early age, she was raised by an uncle and aunt, John and Wilhelmina Seethoff. In 1901, she went to Helena where she attended Capitol City College. In Helena she met William J. Moos and they were married Oct. 6, 1909. Following their marriage, the couple moved to the Ferndale area where they farmed. They celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary before moving to Kalispell in January 1960. Mr. Moos passed away Sept. 3, 1960. She was also preceded in death by two brothers, Emil and Henry Beusen of New Salem, N.D. She is now survived by five children, Mrs. Peter (Willie) Saverud, Kalispell, Mrs. Carl (Gertrude) Tykeson, Ferndale, Fred Moos, Bremerton, Wash., Mrs. Jack (Dorothy) O'Flynn, Washington, D.C., and Mrs. Dave (Marjorie) Bolstad, Ferndale.

She is also survived by six grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; a niece; three nephews in North Dakota and a cousin in Washington. Mrs. Moos was beloved by all who knew her. She was active in the affairs of the Ferndale community and assisted the pioneers of the community in establishing the first school district there.



Mrs. Wima B. Moos

## Montgomery Funeral Rites

*D-4 Jan 1970*  
**Friday 6 Jan 1970**

Mrs. Annice Jennie Montgomery, 92, former resident of Kalispell, died in Longview, Wash., Sunday.

Mrs. Montgomery was born Jan. 29, 1877 at Bakersfield, Col. She had been a resident of Kalispell for about 35 years and in April of 1969, she moved to Washington.

She is survived by three sons, William and Curtis Dryer both of Kelso, Wash., and Frank Dryer of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.; five daughters, Mrs. Nellie Hansen of Kalispell, Mrs. Florence Grout of Kelso, Mrs. Annice Hunt of Longview, Mrs. Wilma Schumann of Kelso, and Mrs. Helen Danner of Lewiston, Idaho; two sisters, Helen Hatchell of Holmstead, Fla., and Gertrude Mahoney of Baltimore, Md.; 17 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

Graveside rites for Mrs. Montgomery will be conducted in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery at 1:30 p.m. Friday with the Rev. Ellwood Grissom, pastor of the Assembly of God, officiating. Friends will meet at the Johnson Chapel before going to the cemetery.

# Libby Man Stabbed To Death In Home

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LIBBY — Lincoln County authorities Saturday were continuing to probe circumstances of the death of Dal P. Moran, 33, Libby Dam project worker early Friday morning.

Libby police and Lincoln County sheriff's officers responded

to the Moran home, 1207 Dakota Ave., after Mrs. Clara Moran, the dead man's wife, went to the home of neighbors and called for assistance. Moran was still alive when authorities arrived. Attempts to revive him by the Libby Fire Department

proved futile and Moran died on the kitchen floor of his home according to Lincoln County Atty William Douglas.

Mrs. Moran has not made any statement to officials upon recommendation of counsel. Douglas said any charges which might be filed would be based upon the outcome of an autopsy performed Saturday afternoon. There were five knife wounds on Moran's body apparently inflicted with a long blade of a pocket knife found at the scene.

How the wounds were inflicted is something authorities still have to determine. Douglas said Mrs. Moran had been released without charge to care for her small son. Working in the investigation are Libby Police Chief Eldon Welch, Lincoln County Coroner Hal Gompf and Douglas.

Douglas said Saturday, "There are several factors which must be pursued further before the county attorney's office decides what route might be followed in prosecution. Right now we're looking at murder two because the only persons in the house to the best of our information were the victim, Mrs. Moran and the child," Douglas said.

## John G. Morris

### Dies Friday;

### Funeral Tuesday

John Gilbert Morris, 68, Rt. 1-A, Columbia Falls, died Friday at Missoula. Mr. Morris was born Jan. 11, 1902 in Pleasant Hill, Mo., to Roy and Mary Caroline Morris. He was educated in Missouri.

Feb. 22, 1934 he was married to Eula E. Winter at Harrisonville, Mo. They came to Montana in 1937 and farmed in the Pine Grove Community until 1942 when they moved back to Peculiar, Mo. In March, 1946, they moved back to Columbia Falls where he farmed until his death.

Mr. Morris is survived by his widow; a son John, Kalispell; four granddaughters; three brothers, Willet, Jack and Robert, all of Harrisonville and two sisters, Mrs. Golder (Ella) Streby and Mrs. Ann Glendenning, both of Kansas City, Mo. and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morris of Harrisonville.

Funeral services have been arranged for 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Waggener & Campbell Chapel with interment in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

## Mrs. Cochran's Brother Dies

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Peter Mungas, 80, died Sunday in Granite Memorial Hospital in Philipsburg.

Born Sept. 11, 1889, in Yugoslavia, he came to Montana in 1917 to ranch in the Willow Creek area.

He is survived by a son, George of Willow Creek, a sister, Mrs. J. B. Cochran of Kalispell, four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Tuesday at 2 p.m. at Wilson Funeral Home with the Rev. Gary Wolfer officiating. Burial will be in the family plot in Philipsburg Cemetery.

## Murphy Services

13 Jan. 1970

Mrs. Mary E. Murphy, 73, former Columbia Falls resident, died in a Roseburg, Ore., rest home, Jan. 13.

She was born April 3, 1896, in North Bend, Neb. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy resided in Columbia Falls for 23 years, moving to Oregon in 1943. William Murphy Post No. 5650, VFW, is named after their son, killed in World War II.

Survivors are her husband, James, at the family home in Winston, Ore.; two daughters, Mrs. G. L. (Helen) Thomas, Yakima, Wash.; Mrs. Paul (Alice) Anderson, Idle yld Park, Ore.; four sons, Philip, Myrtle Creek, Ore.; Dick, Winchester, Ore.; Frank, Santa Clara, Calif.; and Robert, Roseburg.

Their youngest daughter, Theresa, died in 1966.

## East Helena Man Dies On Hunting Trip

13 Sep 1970

EAST HELENA (AP) — Zach E. Murfitt, 42, an employe of the Montana Highway Department, died Saturday while on a hunting trip in the White Sulphur Springs area.

Murfitt, of East Helena, was well known in Montana as a sports official and was a member of the Montana Officials Association.

A spokesman for the family said Murfitt collapsed while on the trip.

He is survived by his wife, Beverly; daughter, Diana, and a brother, Walter, a prominent Helena attorney.

The spokesman said funeral services were pending.

13 Sep 70

# Lyle Mustard, Eureka, Dies; Rites Saturday

20 May 1970

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WHITEFISH — Lyle "Jack" Osler Mustard, 63, Trego, died at Galen Wednesday.

Mr. Mustard was born Feb. 26, 1907, at Bonners Ferry, Idaho, a son of Otto and Rutie Osler Mustard. As a child, he moved with his parents to Everson, Mont., where he received his education and was later engaged in farming and ranching in that area.

Sept. 6, 1926, he was married to Irma DeKlyen at Lewistown. In 1937, he moved to the Trego and Fortine area where he has been engaged in logging since that time. He was a member of the Holy Cross Lutheran Church of Eureka.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Irma, Jan. 25, 1966 and by one son, Billy Earl, Sept. 15, 1945.

He is now survived by one son, Gilbert Mustard of Whitefish; four daughters, Mrs. Neal (Sis) Ferguson of Kalispell, Mrs. Frank (Marie) Davidow of Trego, Mrs. Charlie (Bud) McCully of Martin City and Mrs. Harold (Freida) Loggans of Pasadena, Tex.; his father, Otto Mustard of Lincoln, Wash.; 17 grandchildren; three brothers, Erwin and Ivan of Denton, and Orville of Fortine; two sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Gauer of Lewistown and Mrs. Boyd (Doris) Cope of Fortine and 10 half-brothers and half-sisters.

Funeral services for Mr. Mustard will be conducted in the Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Eureka at 10 a.m. Saturday with the Rev. Richard B. Thompson officiating. Interment will be in the Fortine Cemetery under the direction of the Austin Funeral Home.

# C. Myrhow Dies; Rites Thursday

D-27 July 1970

Calvin Arnold Myrhow, 65, 1316 Third St. W., died in Kalispell Monday morning.

Mr. Myrhow was born Sept. 4, 1904, at Cuba, N.D., a son of Christian and Marie Myrhow. He had attended schools in North Dakota and had later received a degree in mechanical engineering from the General Electric Company. He had lived most of his life in North Dakota until the war years when he was employed as a civil engineer with the U.S. Army. He had then worked in Alaska, Burma, Greece, South America and England. In 1946 he returned to America and has lived in Kalispell since that time and has been a self employed contractor.

He was a member of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church.

Jan. 22, 1945, he was married to Mary Jane Farmer in England and is now survived by her at the family home.

He is also survived by one son, William, and one daughter, Stephanie Marie, at home and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services for Mr. Myrhow are tentatively being planned for Thursday afternoon in the Johnson Chapel. Interment to be in a local cemetery.