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20 Nov 1977

Julian M. Fabian

Services for Mrs. John L. (Julia Marie) Fabian, Great Falls, former Lake McDonald resident, were held Wednesday morning at St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

She was born Nov. 23, 1903 at St. Peter's Mission near Cascade, attended St. Peter's Mission and then Great Falls schools and was a registered nurse, graduate of Columbus Hospital School of Nursing. She died Sunday.

Survivors are her husband, John, a son, Lynn Edward Fabian, Kingston, Wash.; three brothers: Arthur Dupuis, St. Peter's Mission; Henry Dupuis, Great Falls; Herman Dupuis, Vacaville, Calif.; three sisters: Mrs. Charles (Josephine) Anderson and Mrs. John (Anna) Tonkin, both of Great Falls, and Mrs. Marie Ohler, Silverton, Idaho.

The Fabians moved to Lake McDonald Lodge after he retired from the Great Northern Railway, and he was the engineer-caretaker until 1969 for Glacier Park Inc.

The Hungry Horse News published several picture stories on the Fabians including their experiences with marten and deer. Mrs. Fabian also took a picture of a wolverine along Sun Road and Lake McDonald during the winter.

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Bertran Charles Farnum, age 76, who had resided at 205 4th Ave. West in Kalispell, died early Tuesday morning. Mr. Farnum was born Nov. 25, 1900 at Canby, Minnesota, a son of Frank and Rhoda Farnum. He had spent his early life in Owatonna, MN and later moved to Kalispell where he had been employed as a carpenter until his retirement. He was of the Baptist Faith. He is survived by one brother, William Farnum of Lewistown, MT; one sister, Clara Sollitt of Minneapolis, MN; and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services for Mr. Farnum will be conducted Friday afternoon at 2 p.m. in the Johnson Chapel with Rev. William Reid, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will follow in the Demersville Cemetery.

12 July 1977

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Louise Fehr

19 OCT. 1977

Services are planned for Sunday in Bloomer, Wis. for Louise Fehr, 81, who died Wednesday evening in Whitefish.

She was born Nov. 28, 1895 in Cold Springs, Wis. the daughter of Henry and Rosena Bauer. She moved to Columbia Falls with her daughter, Mrs. Dennis (Evelyn) Swift in 1968 from Washington.

Survivors include one son, Arnold Bauer, Chetek, Wis., one daughter, Mrs. Swift, and three grandchildren.

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5 June 1977

Rhonda K. Fellows, 18, of Woods Bay Point, died Sunday night of injuries sustained in a one vehicle accident near Ferndale. Miss Fellows was born Feb. 26, 1959 in Los Angeles, CA. She moved to the Bigfork area thirteen years ago with her parents, Fred and Lois Fellows. She attended the Bigfork grade school and graduated from the Bigfork High School one week ago. For the past year she had been a waitress at the Bigfork Inn. Surviving, besides her parents, are 2 sisters, Lori and Kim, and her brother, Fred Fellows, Jr., all at home; her grandfather, Glenn Samuels, Rolfe, Iowa; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. Private funeral services were held Wednesday in the Weatherford Funeral Home with the Rev. Ron Pierce, pastor of the Swan Lake Chapel officiating. Burial was in Lonepine Cemetery, Bigfork.

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Frank Fetch, 65

6 Nov. 1977

Frank Fetch, 65, died in Columbia Falls, Sunday. Mr. Fetch was born at Beulah, N.D. on Aug. 9, 1912, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fetch.

Mr. Fetch spent most of his life in Beulah, N.D. where he worked as a service station attendant. In 1970 he moved to Columbia Falls, and made his home with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mike

Hoerner of Columbia Falls. Since moving to Columbia Falls he was employed as a mill worker at Louisiana Pacific in Columbia Falls. He was a member of the Moose Lodge.

Mr. Fetch is survived by five brothers, Nick and Phillip, both of Bismarck, N.D., Joe of Billings, William of Beulah, N.D. and John of Milwaukee, Wis., and one sister, Mrs. Mike (Genevieve) Hoerner of Columbia Falls; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Christian wake service will be held Thursday evening at the Van Leuven Funeral Home in Columbia Falls, at 7:30 p.m. Mass of the resurrection will be held Friday morning at 10:30 in St. Richard's Catholic Church with the Rev. Father Leonard Spraycar as celebrant. Burial will follow in St. Richard's Cemetery.

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14 Feb 1977

Bessie E. Fialka, 84, of 777 N. Main died Friday while visiting her daughter in Spokane. She was born on Jan. 9, 1893 in London, MN. Mrs. Fialka had resided in Kalispell since 1959 and prior to then she had resided in Missoula. She was preceded in death by her husband, Albert, in May 1953. She is now survived by a son, Adrean W. of Carson City, NV; two daughters, Audrey O'Neill of Spokane and Althea McGuire of Kalispell; a brother, Leslie Eckert of Big Fork, MN; a sister, Maggie Morken of Seattle, seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Graveside services were conducted Tuesday in Missoula. The family suggests memorials to the Heart Fund.

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10 Nov 1977
Mattie D. Field, 82

LIBBY — Mattie D. Field, resident of the Immanuel Lutheran Home in Kalispell for past three years, died at age of 82 last Thursday.

Born July 26, 1895, Alen, Norway, she came to the United States in 1911 and to Libby in 1919. She married Oscar Field April 26, 1921, in Spokane. He preceded her in death in 1960.

She was a member of Christ Lutheran Church. Survived by one step-daughter, Mrs. Harriet Fraser, Spokane; one sister, Solveig Ramlo, San Mateo, Calif.; five

brothers, Ray Ramlo, Modesto, Calif.; John Ramlo, Bend, Ore.; Soland, Kalispell, Chris and Pete, both of Libby; and one stepgranddaughter.

Funeral services were this afternoon 2 p.m. at Christ Lutheran Church with Pastor Sheridan Erickson presiding.

Interment was in City of Libby Cemetery under direction of Vial Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to the Immanuel Lutheran Home, Kalispell, or Christ Lutheran Church, Libby.

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Hadden Finch, 79

16 Nov 1977

Hadden Finch, 79, of Eureka, died Wednesday evening in Whitefish.

He was born Sept. 28, 1898, at Pittsburgh, Penn. He married Guida Jarvis March 24, 1923, in Chicago. The couple came to Eureka in 1942 from Wisconsin.

He farmed, then worked for the Kennedy-Stevens Lumber Co. in Eureka.

Survivors include his wife, Guida of Eureka; two daughters, Mrs. JoAnn Duncan, Brownsville, Tex., and Harriet Curtis, Fortine; two sons, Jarvis of

Eureka, and John of White Bear Lake, Minn.; one sister, Harriet Neel, Barboursville, W. Va.; two brothers, Thomas and Charles, both of Eureka, and 15 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Services were held today at 2 p.m. at the Assembly of God Church with Rev. Dan Brander officiating.

Burial was in Tobbaco Valley Cemetery with Vial Funeral Home in Eureka in charge of arrangements.

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Emma Fisher

24 Mar 1977

EUREKA — Emma V. Fisher, 84, a former resident of Rexburg died at the Immanuel Lutheran Home in Kalispell Thursday.

She was born Sept. 24, 1892 in Oakwood, Va. She married Meryl Fisher on Jan. 21, 1936 in Kalispell.

She was a member of the Order of Eastern Star.

Preceded in death by her husband in 1952, she now is

survived by a niece, a nephew and a stepson.

Eastern Star services will be 2 p.m. Saturday at the Vial Funeral Home in Eureka. Burial will follow

in the Tobacco Valley Cemetery.

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5 Jan 1977

FISHER, Michael Lee, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fonda Fisher, 1225 Mooring Rd. Private graveside services Thursday in Glacier Memorial Gardens.

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FUNERAL HOME
Kalispell 755-3432

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Darothy Fitz-Gerald

1 Sep 1977

Services for Darothy Fitz-Gerald, longest term resident of the Montana Veterans' Home, will be held at the home's chapel Saturday at 10 a.m. Burial will follow at the home's cemetery.

Miss Fitz-Gerald died Thursday morning. Van Leuven Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. The Rev. Dan Clark of Columbia Falls United Methodist Church will officiate.

She was born Nov. 23, 1906 at West Millbrook, Mich., the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lee H. Fitz-Gerald. The family ranched near Tampico in the Glasgow area, and Mr. Fitz-Gerald, a veteran of the

Spanish War as well as World War I and II, lived at the Veterans' Home. He died in 1968.

Darothy Fitz-Gerald was graduated from Montana State University, Bozeman in 1934 with a degree in chemical engineering. She was critically injured in an automobile accident out of Red Lodge that broke her back; she was no longer able to walk.

By special act of the Montana Legislature she entered the Montana Veterans' Home April 17, 1939, and that's where she lived since except for medical treatment.

Miss Fitz-Gerald was an inspiration at the home as her busy mind and hands developed a score of arts, crafts and other pursuits. She studied the art of handwriting, made ceramics, leatherwork, and had just finished two afghans. She read many books, and finally with failing eyes, the last by taped cassettes.

Survivor is her sister, Mrs. Helen Heller, Bigfork.

Friends who wish may send donations to the Montana Veterans' Home Foundation in Darothy's memory.

Pallbearers will be Richard Farrington, Robert Feenan, W. R. Hammond, Merrill Nelson, Olav Risdahl, Dick Walsh.

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June Fitzpatrick, 49

7 Dec 1977

June Ramona Fitzpatrick, 49, died Dec. 7 in Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

Born at Vulcan, Canada, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bowie. She also lived at Royalties before moving to Calgary in 1951.

Graveside services were held at the Vulcan Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Canadian Cancer Society No. 200 1609-14 St. S.W.

She was preceded in death by her father in 1963. Survivors include her husband Robert of Calgary; a daughter, Carol; a son, Craig; her mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Clarke of Kalispell; and a brother, Albert Clarke of Kalispell.

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Dale Flint

Word has been received of the death of Dale Flint, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Flint, Apex, N.C.

Dean is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Flint, Columbia Falls, and was raised in the Flathead.

The youth was behind on a Honda cycle with another youth, and was killed when a car was hit. This was May 29. The other boy is recovering.

Survivors are his parents, a brother, Douglas, sister, Deanna, grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hutson Roelof, Galesburg, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Flint, Columbia Falls, who have returned from the funeral.

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3 Sept. 1977

Kedric Flint

from the Cut Bank
Pioneer Press

Memorial services were held Wednesday in St. Paul Lutheran Church, Cut Bank for Kedric William Flint, 55, superintendent of Cut Bank schools. The Rev. Gerald Ebelt officiated.

Mr. Flint died Saturday of an apparent heart attack at his summer home on Flathead Lake.

He was born Jan. 17, 1922 in Whitefish, son of William and Nettie A. Flint. He graduated from high school there, received his B.A. degree in Education from Northern Montana College and masters degree from Montana State University with additional credits in school administration.

He taught school and coached in Bigfork, taught also in Chester, Savage and Hingham. He was superintendent of schools in Scobey before assuming the same position in Cut Bank in 1966.

On June 12, 1949, he and Dorothy Swanby were married in Sidney.

Mr. Flint had been president of the Northeast Montana Education Association, Teachers Retirement Board of Directors, President of Montana School administrators.

He was also a member of Elks, Masons, Algeria Shrine, Sons of Norway, American Association of School Administrators. He was district Governor of Lions 37C, Council Chairman of Lions 37, Past Director of the local Lions, Zone chairman 1973-74; Deputy District Governor 1974-75; Youth Exchange Chairman 1975-76.

Mr. Flint served four years in the U.S. Army Air Force during World War II in England, Ireland, France and Germany.

Survivors include his widow, Dorothy; one son, Gordon Flint, Coast Guard, Port Angeles, Wash.; three daughters, Kay Flint, Joliet, Ill.; Mrs. Don (Patti) Shields, Cut Bank and Carol Flint, Billings; two brothers, Eugene Flint, Somers; and Boyd Flint, Fresno, Calif.; one sister, Eileen Gilder, College Place, Wash.

Out of town relatives and friends attending the services included Mr. and Mrs. John McFadden and Mr. and Mrs. Roger McFadden, all of Columbia Falls.

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MRS. AASHILD FOLKVORD

21 Dec. 1977

Mrs. Aashild Folkvord, age 61, of Bigford, died in Kalispell on Friday evening. She was born December 16, 1916, in Hoyland, Norway, a daughter of Arne and Hallgsjerd Brosten. She had received her education in Norway and came to the United States in 1930. On September 25, 1932, she married Cornelius Folkvord at Savage, MT. The couple had ranched in Eastern Montana near Sidney until 1967 when they moved to Bigfork and resided there since that time. Mrs. Folkvord was a member of the Bethany Lutheran Church and the Fedraheimen Lodge Sons of Norway. She is survived by her husband, Cornelius, at home in Bigfork; two daugh-

ters, Mrs. Leonard (Helen) Steffan of Perrysburg, Ohio and Mrs. Tom (Arlene) Quilling of Edina, Minnesota; six grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Clarence (Gwen) Knudsen of Mercer Island Washington; five brothers, Henry Brosten of Bigfork, Peter Brosten of Kalispell; Heming Brosten of Somers; Dan and Einar Brosten, both of Helena and a number of other relatives.

Funeral services for Mrs. Folkvord were conducted in the Bethany Lutheran Church of Bigfork on Tuesday with the Reverend Russell Hillman officiating. Burial was in the Bethany Lutheran Cemetery. The family suggests memorials be made to the Bethany Lutheran Church.

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Dallas Fonger

4 Aug 1977

Services for Dallas L. Fonger, 59, Martin City, were held Monday in Van Leuven Funeral home with the Rev. Dan Clark of the United Methodist Church officiating. Burial was in Woodlawn Cemetery.

Mr. Fonger died in Fort Harrison August 4. He was born Feb. 19, 1918 at Oswego. He was an army veteran of World War II.

After the service he lived in the Hinsdale area. He moved to Martin City in 1952.

On Jan. 24, 1946 he and Jean Ducan were married at Glasgow.

Mr. Fonger had been a bartender in Martin City.

Survivors include his wife, Jean, Martin City; four daughters, Mrs. Charles (Lorelei) Schreckendgust, Columbia Falls; Mrs. Ben (Jordice) Bowerman, Columbia Falls; Mrs. Dan (Cindy) Mehring, Martin City; two brothers, Donald Fonger, Cut Bank and Jerald Fonger, Atlanta, Ga.; one sister, Betty Mundahl, Clearlake, S.D.; and nine grandchildren.

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11 Jan 1977

Onesime L. Forcier, 61

Onesime L. Forcier, 61, of Columbia Falls, died Tuesday morning in Columbia Falls. He was born Dec. 24, 1915, in Moore. He had spent his early life in Piniele and later lived at Olney and Coram before moving to Columbia Falls in 1970.

He had been a saw mill worker and was employed by Plum Creek Lumber Co. at the time of his death.

One June 28, 1952, he was married to Edith Morgan in Polson and now is survived by her at the home. He also is survived by one brother, Bud of Ada, Okla.;

two sisters, Cora Engdahl of Jordan, and Eve Moeller of Miles City; six stepchildren, Kay Stevens of Tacoma, Wash., Della Fortin of Columbia Falls, Lucille Rasmussen of Buffalo, Wyo., Gail Wolvington of Missoula, Marilyn McAllister of Everett, Wash., and Gerry Stockson of Troy, and several nieces, nephews, step-grandchildren and other relatives.

Services for Mr. Forcier will be conducted in the Van Leuven Chapel at 2 p.m. Friday with the Rev. Ron Paulson officiating. Burial will be at a later date in Miles City.

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Ryan Foster, 6

2 Oct 1977

Ryan Dennis Foster, 6, was accidentally killed Sunday while working with his father on a road grading project in the Yaak area on Caribou Creek 40 miles northwest of Eureka.

Ryan was born June 6, 1971, in Kalispell, a son of Dennis and Barbara Foster. He made his home with his parents on Lion Mountain in Whitefish. He had just entered the first grade in the Whitefish school system. He was a member of the St. Charles Catholic Church.

He is survived by his parents and a sister, Holli Ann Foster, all at the family home; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wally Foster of Whitefish and Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan of Eureka; and his great-

granparents, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Kjemperud of Kalispell and Mrs. Barbara Morgan of Eureka.

Mass of the Angels for Ryan will be celebrated in St. Charles Catholic Church at 10 a.m. Wednesday. The Rev. John F. Cronin will be celebrant.

Burial will be in the Glacier Memorial Gardens under the direction of Austin Funeral Home. The family suggest memorials be made to the Yellowstone Boys Ranch. The casket will not be opened for viewing.

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MR. PETER R. FOSLAND

Mr. Peter R. Fosland, age 74, who had resided at 940 2nd Ave. East, died in the Sacred Heart Hospital in Spokane, WA on Wednesday evening. He was born May 31, 1903, in Namsos, Norway, a son of John and Gusta Fosland. In 1905, he came to Crosby, ND. He had received his schooling at Crosby and the Minot State Teacher's College at Minot, ND. He then taught school at Crosby for three years before engaging in farming south of Flaxville, Montana for over 50 years prior to his retirement. In 1925, he was married to Hazel Bummer at Crosby, and is now survived by her at the family home. He is also survived by one son, Jordan Fosland of Scobey, MT; one daughter, Mrs. Ivan (Marian; O'Neil of Kalispell; one great grandchild and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services for Mr. Fosland were conducted in the Bethlehem Lutheran Church on Tuesday with the Rev. H. Peder Waldum officiating. Burial followed in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery under the direction of the Johnson Funeral Home. The family suggest memorials be made to the Immanuel Lutheran Home.

28 Dec. 1977



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Mr. Alfred Leon Fox, age 76, of Bigfork, died in Bigfork on Tuesday morning. He was born February 25, 1901, in Creston, Montana, a son of Loren and Charlotte Fox. He had attended Echo school. Mr. Fox was a single man and had been employed in farm and ranch work all of his life and was employed by Hugh Parker at the time of his death. He was a veteran of World War II having enlisted in the U.S. Army on November 27, 1942 at Ft. Douglas, Utah. He had served in the Medical Corp. until his honorable discharge on April 20, 1943 at Ft. Lewis, Washington. He is now survived by two brothers, Leslie Fox of Bigfork and Frank Fox of Reno, Nevada; two sisters, Dora Huston and Lula Kitzmiller both of Bigfork and many nieces and nephews. Funeral services for Mr. Fox will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 11 a.m. on Friday with burial to follow in the Lonepine Cemetery near Bigfork.

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Earl Fraleigh, 60

^{15 Jan 1977}
Earl F. Fraleigh, 60, died ^{ly} life in New York and at his home, 135 Caroline Ohio.

Dr., Saturday morning. He was married to

Patricia Dwyer on Aug. 1, 1947, at Cheyenne, Wyo. He moved to Kalispell in 1953 where he was a self-employed heating contractor.

He is survived by his widow at the family home; three sons, Russell of Kalispell and Michael and Timothy, both of Missoula; his father of Rhinebeck, N.Y.; several brothers and sisters and four grandchildren.

The body has been forwarded out of state for cremation.

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ATHA C. FRAZIER

Atha C. Frazier, 70, of Page, Arizona, died December 15th in North Valley Hospital in Whitefish. She was in the Flathead for medical treatment.

Mrs. Frazier was born in Fall River, Kansas, and moved to Brockton, MT with her parents when she was 10. She attended schools there. In 1928 she married Kenneth Frazier in Wolf Point. They lived in Wheeler and Troy before moving to Columbia Falls in 1949. They moved to Buena Park, CA in 1953. After her husband's death in August of 1962, she moved to Page, Arizona to be near her son.

Surviving are her son, Kenneth D. Frazier, St. John, AR; her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth (Jean) Morrison, Columbia Falls; 2 sisters, Mrs. Ralph (Wilma) Albert and Mrs. Marvin (Frankie) Bauer, both of Kalispell; 8 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren, numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were Tuesday in the Weatherford Funeral Home with the Rev. Nathan Bemis, pastor of the Bible Baptist Church officiating. Burial followed in the Glacier Memorial Gardens.

21 Dec. 1977

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Ebba Fredriksen, 87

20 Dec. 1977

Mrs. Ebba Fredriksen, 87, who had resided at 105 Columbia Villa Apartments, Columbia Falls, died in Whitefish Tuesday afternoon.

She was born Feb. 7, 1890, in Waupaca, Wis., a daughter of Peter and Thurine Jensen. She had received her schooling in Wisconsin and, in 1909, she moved to Culbertson, where, in 1910, she was married to Fred Fredriksen. They continued to live in the Culbertson, Medicine Lake, Froid area until 1939 when they moved to the Flathead Valley. Since that time they have resided at Columbia Falls.

Mrs. Fredriksen was preceded in death by her husband, Fred, in 1954 and by one son, Harold, in 1960. She is now survived by two sons, Arnold Fredriksen of Somers and Oliver Fredriksen of Onalaska, Wis.; one

brother, Elmer Jensen of Halfway, Ore.; eight grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.

Services for Mrs. Fredriksen will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 11 a.m. Friday with the Rev. Ron Paulson, pastor of Our Savior's Lutheran Church, officiating. Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Danielle French, baby

28 Nov 1977

WHITEFISH — Danielle Elisha French, infant daughter of Orrin and Susan French of Whitefish, was born dead Monday evening at North Valley Hospital.

She is survived by her parents; one brother, Jeremy, one sister Nichole Lee French, 2 ½; paternal grandparents Robert and Donna Hatlin, Whitefish; great-grandparents Melvin and Dolly Larson, Kalispell; paternal grandmother Georgia May French, Whitefish; and paternal great-grandfather George Knapp, Whitefish.

Graveside services will be at Glacier Memorial Gardens at 2 p.m. Thursday, with the Rev. Dewey Forbes of the United Methodist Church of Whitefish, officiating.

John Fehlberg, 68

27 Aug 1977

John R. Fehlberg, 68, death by his parents; one died at his home at Route 4, Kalispell, Saturday evening.

He was born May 11, 1909 in Creston, a son of Julius and Gertrude Fehlberg. He had attended local schools and had served in the U.S. Army during World War II.

He returned to the Flathead Valley and had engaged in farming in the Lake Blaine area all of his life.

He was a single man and was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He was preceded in

death by his parents; one sister, Rose Jensen; and a brother, George Fehlberg.

He is now survived by one brother, Charles Fehlberg of San Diego, Calif.; one sister, Martha Jacobson of Tucson, Ariz.; and several nieces and nephews.

Services for Fehlberg will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 2 p.m. Wednesday.

Burial will be in the Fairview Cemetery, where military graveside rites will be conducted by the local veterans organization.