

**ELBERT B. NIXON**

Funeral services for Elbert B. Nixon were held Saturday afternoon at the Elliot chapel with Rev. Frank L. Hibbs officiating. During the services two appropriate selections were sung by Clide Carr with Mrs. Carr at the piano.

Friends serving as casketbearers were H. C. Corneliuson, Orville Conrad, August Viano, Jacob L. Hemmer, Andrew Dunsire and Carl Mason. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

**Obituary**

Elbert Beecher Nixon was born May 7, 1869, in Wintersville, Ohio. When he was 21 years of age he moved to Arvada, Colorado where he took up a homestead and engaged in stock raising. On June 2, 1898, Mr. Nixon was united in marriage to Mary Mallock in Flagler, Colorado. To this union three children were born, all of whom survive: Mrs. Irene Wilke of the Lower Valley, Crawford Nixon of Kalispell, and Donald Nixon who is now making his home in Tacoma, Washington.

In 1906 Mr. Nixon and family moved to the Flathead to make their home and until 1928, when he retired, he was engaged in business, and since that time has made his home with his children. Mrs. Nixon passed away in November 1910.

Besides this daughter and two sons, he is survived by three brothers: Andrew of Richmond, Ohio; Frank of Vancouver, Wash., and Bailey of San Francisco; also one sister, Mrs. Fanny Minor of Cadiz, Ohio.

**MRS. W. N. NOFFSINGER**

Funeral services for Mrs. W. N. Noffsinger, whose death occurred Thursday, April 22, were held at Christ church at 10 o'clock this morning, Rev. Willis Rosenthal officiating.

Mrs. Noffsinger was one of the oldest residents of Kalispell, having come here with Mr. Noffsinger from Pomeroy, Wash. when he established his law practice here in 1891. This was the year the Great Northern Railroad reached Kalispell, and Demersville was moved to the new town site. The Noffsinger family often remarked that they came in the days of "barrel water." There was no water system at the time and water had to be hauled in barrels for domestic purposes.

Interment was made in the family plot in Conrad Memorial cemetery.

The pall bearers were Hans Walchli, H. C. Keith, A. R. Johnson, F. S. Calbick, C. S. Baldwin, and L. D. Spafford.

**Obituary**

Lulu S. Kuykendall was born in Santa Rosa, California, April 2, 1865, and was married to Wilbur N. Noffsinger at Santa Rosa, February 20, 1883.

To this union three children were born, George W., Leila M. and Mabel Luella.

They located first in Halsey, Oregon, moving next to Eugene, Oregon, thence to Pomeroy, Washington. In 1891 they moved to Kalispell and resided here ever since. She was preceded in death by her husband in 1924.

She was a charter member of the local Royal Neighbors of America. Throughout her life she was keenly interested in all civic activities and took part in the developing and forwarding of many cultural and social activities for the benefit of the community but her work in the church was closest to her heart. She was president of Christ Church Guild for 25 years—a full quarter century. She is the last of the Guild's charter members. During her time, the ladies of the Guild paid off a large debt of the church. They were instrumental in the building of the Parish House and shouldered more than their share of the cost of its building.

She has always been aware of the children of the community and their welfare and interests were a part of her busy, daily life. Her home was open to them all. As an "old timer" during later years she felt the deepest loss with the passing of each old friend but her good neighborliness constantly brought new friends to her, among whom are counted children and grandchildren of them all.

Her life was devoted to her family and her friends. She was a devoted wife, a good mother, a good neighbor. While she has not been able to take an active physical part in the work about her for the past few years, her interest has never lessened and she will be remembered and missed by a host of friends.

She is survived by her daughter, Leila Noffsinger-Deiringer and her son, George W. Noffsinger and their children. She was proud of her seven grandchildren and counted herself fortunate in having ten great-grandchildren.

**OSCAR NORD**

Funeral services for Oscar Nord were held Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. Aron Johnson of the Bethlehem Lutheran church. During the service Mrs. J. M. Carlson played appropriate music on the organ. Friends acting as pallbearers were Harry Weidon, Carl Stoen, Herbert Fanzer, Adolph Nelson, Arthur Larson and Nelson L. Branch. Interment was in the Denersville cemetery.

**Obituary**

Oscar Nord was born September 10, 1872, in Sweden. He came to the United States as a young man and for the past 35 years had made his home in the country west of Kila. He was a single man and his only survivors are distant relatives in the east.

He had been a logger and powderman and more recently engaged in ranching. He passed away at his home, ten miles southwest of Kila February 9, 1943, at the age of 70 years.

**MRS. MARGARET F. NORGARD**

Funeral services for Mrs. Margaret Frieda Norgard were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. F. B. Hillis of the Presbyterian church. A solid bank of beautiful floral tributes filled the entire front of the chapel and many friends attended the services. Don Shepard sang two solo selections, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pallbearers were Jerome Koppang, Kenneth Montgomery, Wilfred Johnson, James Sonstelle, Walter Robbin and James Lavin. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

**Obituary**

Margaret Frieda O'Neil-Norgard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. O'Neil, was born March 15, 1912, in Kalispell, Montana, where she grew to womanhood, graduating from the local schools. She was a graduate of the Washington State Teachers

college, and attended the University of Montana.

On November 9, 1935, she was married to George W. Norgard and they located in San Francisco, Calif., later moving to Santa Fe, New Mexico, where she lived until the time of her death, February 21, 1943.

Mrs. Norgard was a charter member of the Kalispell Junior Women's club, also a member of the Order of Rainbow, the Santa Fe Woman's club, and D. A. R.

Early in life, she became a member of the First Presbyterian church.

Services were held in Santa Fe

in the First Presbyterian church by the Rev. Kenneth M. Keeler, before the body was brought here for final commitment.

Mrs. Norgard is survived by her husband, George W. Norgard, one daughter, Judith, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. O'Neil, two brothers, Louis and Byron, one sister, Mrs. Zella Gillie of Seattle.

**WILLIAM P. NORTH**

Funeral services for William P North were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Holt church with Rev. Mrs. R. C. Treloard officiating. A quartet composed of Mrs. Whitney, Mrs. Wells, Mrs. Ken Paul and George Paul sang two appropriate selections and were accompanied by Mrs. Wright at the piano. George Paul also sang a solo. Friends who acted as pall bearers were Art Whitney, J. A. Hendricks, Henry Eslick, Art Burg, Roderick Jelleff, and E. J. O'Brien. Interment followed in the Lone Pine Cemetery under the direction of the Waggener and Campbell funeral home.

**Obituary**

William P. North was born December 2, 1860 at St. Joseph, Missouri. At the age of 22 he came west and settled in southern Montana. Here he worked until the late '80's when he helped pioneer the Flathead valley where he preempted a piece of land near where Bigfork now stands. Here he lived and farmed until a short time ago when he moved to Columbus, Ohio to make his home. Mr. North had been a member of the Bigfork Methodist church for a long number of years and had always taken a pleasure in helping any good cause. He passed away Dec. 20 at the age of 83 years.

He leaves to survive him his wife, a son Fred who is serving in the armed forces, two brothers and a sister as well as other relatives around the old home in Missouri.

**WALTER C. NUTTER**

Funeral services for Walter C. Nutter were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. C. S. Kleckner of the Central Christian church. Don Shepard sang two appropriate solo selections during the service, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pall bearers were Charles C. Myers, Ernest Townsend, Vern Green, Arthur Peters, John McMullan and Dave Leighty. Interment was made in the Fairview cemetery.

**Obituary**

Walter Clarence Nutter was born September 26, 1862, at Unedella, Otsego County, New York. He grew up in New York state and was married September 25, 1888, to Miss Bridget Helen McCarthy. The family moved to Minnesota, where they made their home for a time and then came to the Flathead in 1884. Since then they have made their home east and north of Kalspell on R. F. D. 1, Columbia Falls.

Mr. Nutter passed away in Kalspell April 7, 1943, at the age of 81 years.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Bridget Nutter at home, one son,

Guy Nutter of Columbia Falls, two grandsons, Earl and Carmen, both in the armed service. (Earl overseas and Carmen in Texas), and two granddaughters, Pearl and Marian of Columbia Falls.

#### LIEUT. LLOYD NYGARD

Funeral Services for Lieut. Lloyd Nygard were held Friday afternoon at the Elliot chapel under the direction of the American Legion with Morris Lewis of the Seventh Day Adventist church officiating. During the services two quartet numbers were sung by Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hoyt and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Wright, and in closing Mrs. E. W. Hoyt sang a solo. Members of the American Legion serving as casket-bearers were Gilbert Miller, Ray O. Robbin, C. J. Mulcahy, Roy Waller, H. C. Keith and Perry Miller.

Committal services were held in the Conrad Memorial cemetery under the direction of American Legion Post No. 7.

#### Obituary

Lloyd Henry Nygard was born February 2, 1920. On December 17, 1940, Mr. Nygard entered the Canadian Air Force and was commissioned in the United States army, May 15, 1942. On March 12, 1942, he was united in marriage to Dorothy Mitchell of Elnora, Alberta, Canada, and of this union one son was born on January 3, 1943. Lieut. Nygard was stationed at the army air base at Ephrata, Washington, when he met his death in a plane crash May 16.

Besides his wife and small son he is survived by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nygard of the East Lake Shore; one brother, Sam, who is in the U. S. navy; and one sister, Mrs. John Neufeld, of Portland, Ore.