

**SEVER HALVORSON**

Sever Halvorson was born Sept. 10, 1893, at Cooperstown, N. Dak. He served in World war I and for the past 12 years made his home at Hot Springs, Mont. He passed away Oct. 23, 1946, at the Veterans' hospital at San Francisco, Calif. He was 53 years of age.

Mr. Halvorson is survived by his mother, Mrs. Petra Halvorson of Hot Springs, four brothers, Antone, Halvor, Henry and Melvin, all of Hot Springs, and three sisters: Miss Pauline Halvorson of Hot Springs, Mrs. A. J. Freebury of Kalispell, and Mrs. O. T. Young of Polson.

**MRS. KASPARA HARRIS**

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Kaspara Harris who passed away in Seattle were conducted Sunday afternoon proceeding from the Johnson funeral home to the Conrad Memorial cemetery where graveside rites were conducted by the Rev. F. B. Hillis. Friends chosen to act as pall bearers were Henry Heganes, Oscar Moen, Iver Iverson, Peter Paulson, J. M. Carlson and Alf Weberg. Funeral services had been held in Seattle on Friday.

**Obituary**

Kaspara Lein Harris was born Oct. 5, 1881, at Sacred Heart, Minnesota, where she received her education and lived until 1911 when she came to Kalispell and made her home with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Jordet.

In 1923 she was united in marriage to Albert A. Harris of Seattle where she has resided until her death on November 25. She was 65 years of age at the time of her death. Her husband passed away in 1943. Mrs. Harris is survived by two nephews, Phillip M. Jordet of Kalispell, and Palmer Rustad of Sacred Heart, Minnesota and one sister, Mrs. Esther Finstead of Rogue River, Oregon, and four stepchildren, Mrs. Esther Scarborough, Mrs. R. V. Dorsett and Clarence Harris of Seattle, and Albert Harris of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

**FRANCIS H. HARRISON**

Francis Herbert Harrison was born December 8, 1871 at Cass City, Mich. He grew up there and moved to Sterling, in upper Michigan. He was married November 14, 1912, at Ouar, Mich., to Miss Carrena Berserson. They came to Montana in 1916 and farmed near Chinook until about 10 years ago when they came to the Flathead. They made their home near Kila and later came to Kalispell.

Mr. Harrison passed away here June 6, 1946 at the age of 74 years. He is survived by his widow, at home; one daughter, Mrs. Catherine Bloomer of Kalispell, and one son, Leo Harrison of Kalispell, and one grandchild. One sister, Mrs. Ella Cummings lives at Mio., Michigan, and a brother, Ernest, lives near Mio, Michigan.

**MELVIN HARTSOCH**

Funeral services for the late Melvin Hartsoch who passed away at his home at 210 West Montana street Wednesday morning were held Monday afternoon at the Johnson chapel. The Rev. D. E. Allen of the Central Christian church conducted the services.

During the service two selected hymns were sung by Billy Carr accompanied by Miss Louise Hanger. Friends chosen to act as pall bearers included H. W. Arndt, Roy Bethel, J. P. Bays, H. D. Joslin, W. A. Freudenberg, all enginemen from the Great Northern railway at Whitefish, and C. B. Schneider, an intimate friend from Minot, N. D. Interment followed in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

**Obituary**

Melvin Hartsoch was born Nov. 1, 1889 in Knox, Indiana. He was married Dec. 1, 1912 to Emily Patterson to which union four children were born, all of whom survive him. The family came to Kalispell from Minot, North Dakota, in 1913 and have lived here since that time. He had been employed as a locomotive fireman on the Great Northern railway and also operated a welding shop with his son here in Kalispell.

Mr. Hartsoch leaves to mourn his passing his wife, Emily; one daughter, Mrs. Malenda Ferguson of Kalispell, and three sons, Leonard of Espanola, New Mexico; Milton of Hoquiam, Wash., and Melford of Kalispell. There are five grandchildren. He is also survived by one brother, Herman Hartsoch of Ray, North Dakota, and three sisters, Mrs. C. E. Stewart of Williston, North Dakota; Mrs. Marion Tancre of Lebanon, Oregon, and Mrs. Ellen Rainbow of Einsberg, Alberta, Canada.

**ISABELLA M. HARTT**

Funeral services for Mrs. Isabella M. Hartt took place at St. Matthew's Catholic church Thursday, June 6, at 10 a. m. The services were conducted by Msgr. F. X. O'Farrell, a life-long friend of Mrs. Hartt and family.

The pallbearers were H. J. Kelly, Richard Greig, Walter McDonnell, Gregory Duffy, John Hobert and Frank Robischon.

The survivors of the immediate family are one son, Fred, and two daughters, Helen Hartt and Mrs. Louise Knowles of Seattle; one brother, David Greig of Kallispell. There are also three grandchildren, two sons and a daughter of Mrs. Knowles. The Hartt family were all in attendance at the funeral, which was conducted by Waggener & Campbell.

**Obituary**

The death of Mrs. Isabella M. Hartt at Hot Springs June 2, removed one of the oldest residents and best loved women in Flathead county. She was among those early settlers of Flathead who are responsible for turning a rough and rugged area of Western Montana into a garden spot where modern life and its attending comforts can be now enjoyed by this and future generations. She was the type of early citizen who battled and overcame the countless obstacles that beset those who made the west what it is today.

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Mrs. Isabella M. Greig-Hartt was born in the Links of Buckhaven, Scotland, 80 years ago and came to the United States in 1883. She arrived in Missoula the same year, coming to what is now Flathead county later in that year. At that time the trip to Demersville, the only town in the Flathead of the slightest commercial importance, had to be made by stage and then by boat up Flathead lake. The stage roads would not be considered good trails in these days of modern highways, and the boat trip was little better, considered from the standpoint of comfort. At that time the Flathead was part of Missoula county and was viewed as a forbidding wilderness that challenged the strength of man to conquer. Mrs. Hartt had several brothers here with whom she lived up to the time of her marriage to James T. Hartt, who died in 1920. He was twice elected treasurer of Flathead county shortly after its organization.

After their marriage, Mr. and Mrs. Hartt established their home on the side Hartt farm, which adjoins Kallispell on the west. This land was homesteaded by Mrs. Hartt before her marriage. She made her home there up to five years ago, when she moved to Seattle and ever since has made her home with her son and daughters.

In May her health became impaired somewhat and she decided to go to Hot Springs, arriving there, accompanied by her son and wife, on May 25 and death came at that place June 2.

**MRS. AMANDA HEDRIX**

Funeral services for Mrs. Amanda Hedrix were held Monday morning at 10:30 at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Foy Farr's of the Church of Christ.

During the service, a ladies quartet composed of Pearl Welty, Irene Welty, Ruth Guy and Alice Wilson, sang two hymn selections. Friends acting as pall bearers were Bruce Guy, George Thomas, John Soderstrom, George B. Kneedler, Irvin Welty and Lloyd Welty. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

**Obituary**

Amanda Owens was born March 11, 1853, in Indiana. At the age of three years she moved with her parents to Missouri and there, when she was 17 years old, she was united in marriage to Harvey Hedrix. She became a member of the church at an early age. Mrs. Hedrix came to Kalispell in 1936 to make her home with her sister, Mrs. T. J. M. Hendrickson, and her niece, Mrs. G. B. Kneedler, and passed away at their home on South Main street December 21, 1946, at the age of 93 years.

She is survived by a grandson, Ernest Hedrix, and two great-grandsons, Glenn and Ray Hedrix, all living in Honolulu besides her sister and niece in Kalispell.

**MRS. CHRISTINA HELLAND**

Funeral services for Mrs. Christina Helland were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. Aron Johnson of the Bethlehem Lutheran church. During the services Don Shepard sang two solo selections accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carion. Friends acting as pall bearers were Francis Levitt, Lee Lewis, Ernest Wilson, Eilert Lunde, August Malef and A. C. Aarrestal. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

**Obituary**

Christina Nesby-Helland was born March 8, 1881 in Winnebago county, Iowa. She grew to womanhood in that county. She was baptized and confirmed in the Lime Creek Lutheran church.

She was married at Albert Lea, Minn., to Ed Helland and they made their home at Albert Lea until 1922 when they moved to North Dakota.

The family came to Kalispell eight years ago and Mrs. Helland had been in failing health for some time. She passed away Jan. 7, 1946, at the age of 64 years.

She is survived by her husband, Ed Helland, at home; two sons, Clarence and Orien of Kalispell, and one daughter, Mrs. Mary Roy, set of Kalispell. There are also four sisters Anna E. Nesby, and Mrs. Emma Moe of Emmons, Minn., Mrs. Martha Rasmonson of Fort Ransom North Dakota, and Mrs. Sarah Taylor of Jamestown, North Dakota and two brothers, Knute Nesby of Norman, Iowa, and John Nesby of Albert Lea, Minn.

**FRANK HEMMER**

Frank Hemmer was born August 5, 1889, to Jacob and Suzanna Hemmer at Doone, Iowa. He came to the Flathead at the age of seven years and lived with his parents north west of Kalispell. In March 1916 he was united in marriage to Miss Alena Eays who preceded him in death. Two sons were born to this union.

He was married to Florence V. Froman May 7, 1928. They made their home on a farm northwest of Kalispell until 12 years ago when Mr. Hemmer engaged in trucking. He was so engaged when he passed away suddenly west of Marion, April 13, 1946. He was 56 years of age.

Mr. Hemmer united with the West Side Methodist church in 1934. He is survived by his widow, at the home in Kalispell; his two sons, George Hemmer of Hooper, Wash., and Bruce Hemmer of Springfield, Pa.; three grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. Augusta Rhodes of Kalispell; two brothers, Jacob Hemmer of Kalispell and Matthew Hemmer of Loma, Mont., and many friends.

**LOIS E. HEMPHILL**

Funeral services for Lois E. Hemphill were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with the Rev. Russell J. Prentice officiating. Two very appropriate hymns were sung by Chide Carr who was accompanied by Mrs. J. M. Carlson at the organ. Pall bearers were Joe V. Johnson, Ingvald Birk, Jake W. Little, Carter Hardy, L. M. Lull and Guy W. Nickle. Interment followed in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

**Obituary**

Lois E. Hemphill was born in Anoka, Minn., on April 27, 1897, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weston H. Lee.

She graduated from the St. Francis High school, the Minnesota School of Agriculture and the Minnesota State Teachers' college. For several years she taught in Minnesota and in the fall of 1927 she came to Montana where she taught in various places until 1942 when it became necessary for her to retire.

On May 29, 1931, she was married to Burton C. Hemphill. They took up a homestead near Moorhead in Powder River county and resided there until July, 1945, when they moved to a farm near Marion, Mont.

Mrs. Hemphill passed away at her farm home on the morning of July 19, 1946, at the age of 49 years.

She is survived by her husband, Burton C. Hemphill, her father, Weston H. Lee and a brother, H. W. Lee of Anoka, Minn., a sister, Mrs. Donald Bean and brothers Edwin A. Lee and Alfred S. Lee of Cedar, Minn., also nine nephews and nieces.

**LEIF HENDRICKSON**

Funeral services for Leif Hendrickson were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggenet and Campbell chapel by Rev. Mrs. R. C. Treloar. Clide Carr sang two hymn selections during the service accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pallbearers were Reuben Herberg, Ole Holton, Chester Wall, Nels Bjornstad, Lars Anderson and Peter Lauvalle. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

**Obituary**

Leif Hendrickson was born at Velva, North Dakota, February 14, 1897. He attended school there and later moved to Swan River. For a number of years he farmed near Hardesty, Alberta, Canada, and then returned to the Flathead to make his home at Kalispell. Recently he had been engaged as a cement finisher at Vallejo, Calif., and was returning to Kalispell from there when he met with an accident on the highway near Colusa, California. He passed away December 22, 1945, at the age of 48 years.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Gernell Hendrickson, one daughter, Ruth Burkhart of Spokane, two sons, Cleve, in the service overseas, and Ralph in Washington; also two sisters, Mrs. William Coyne of Kalispell and Mrs. G. M. Hanson of Swan River; five brothers, Nick, Carl, Sig and Martin of Kalispell, and Harry of Portland, Ore.; one step-son, two grandchildren and other relatives.

**NATHAN A. HERRICK**

Funeral services for Nathan Aaron Herrick were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggenet & Campbell chapel by the Rev. Russell Prentice of the Presbyterian church. During the service William Carr sang two appropriate hymn selections accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. H. C. Brewer conducted services for the Masonic lodge at the chapel and gave the Masonic committal at the graveside in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Friends acting as pallbearers were C. H. Sharp, H. A. Fisher, Charles Denny, F. R. Whitwell, Ross Young and W. R. Martin.

**Obituary**

Nathan Aaron Herrick was born October 14, 1864 at Fremont, Mich. He was one of six children of William and Eliza Herrick and grew to manhood at Fremont.

On June 17, 1882, he was united in marriage to Miss Marie E. Elton. They continued to make their home in Michigan and Mr. Herrick entered the barber business which he continued for 59 years. The Herrick family came to Kalispell in 1906 and only two years ago Mr. Herrick retired from his shop on West Second street.

He was a member of the Masonic lodge for over 50 years and would have celebrated his 64th wedding anniversary next Monday had he lived.

Mr. Herrick passed away June 9, 1946, at the age of 81 years. One son, Le Roy, preceded him in death.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Marie E. Herrick, at home; one daughter, Mrs. Ruby Rapson of Kalispell; one brother, George Herrick of Durand, Michigan, and one sister, Mrs. Eattie Lemon, of Perry, Michigan.

**MRS. FRIEDA HERRIG**

Frieda Alma Heller was born in Bad-Liebonstein, Saxe-Meiningen, Germany on April 14, 1869, of Charlotte and Christopher Heller. With her mother and three brothers she came to the United States at the age of 14. In 1887, at the age of 18, she came to the Flathead Valley, making her home in Bad Rock.

On August 1, 1890 she was married to Albert Wilke. Of this union six children were born, of whom five survive.

On January 3, 1905 she was married to Frederick Herrig, and moved to Fortine, Montana, where she resided until her death at the age of 76 years. One child was born to this latter marriage.

She passed away March 4, 1946 at her home at the age of 76 years.

Her six surviving sons are, Ed Wilke of Somers, Fred Wilke of San Francisco, Calif., Bert Wilke of Fortine, Mont., Thomas Wilke of Spokane, Wash., John Wilke of Aberdeen, Wash., and Robert Herrig of Fortine. There are also 10 grandchildren and one great grand child surviving.

**OSCAR B. HILL**

Oscar Bryan Hill was born March 30, 1882 to George and Mary Hill at Centralia, Missouri.

He came with his parents to Kalispell at the age of 15 years. On July 23, 1917 he was married to Miss Belinda Eckle at Fargo, North Dakota. They lived later at Casper, Wyoming for 12 years and in the fall of 1929 they returned to Kalispell to make their home. Mr. Hill passed away here February 6, 1946 at the age of 63 years.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Belinda Hill, three sons, Owen, Burnell and Donald; two grandchildren, two sisters, Mrs. E. Roberts of Kalispell and Mrs. J. C. Smith of Sacramento, Calif.; three brothers, Clarence of Kalispell, William of Des Moines, Iowa and Otto of Sheridan, Wyoming, and other relatives.

**AUGUSTA M. HOENICKE**

Augusta Marie Louise Lange was born Feb. 22, 1871 in Germany where she grew to womanhood. On Feb. 10, 1913, she was united in marriage to William Hoenicke who passed away a few years later.

She came to the United States in 1922 to make her home on her farm near Creston. She had lived there since that time and passed away there April 1, 1946 at the age of 75 years.

She is survived by her two step-children, Fred and Anna; two grandchildren, Otto and Erna; one sister, Emma; two brothers, Berthold and Paul; four nieces and two cousins all residing in Germany.

**MILTON HOIDAL**

Funeral services for Milton Hoidal were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with the Rev. Russell Prentice of the Presbyterian church officiating. Don Shepherd sang two solo selections accompanied on the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. The Masonic lodge, No. 42, A. F. & A. M., conducted graveside services with C. H. Brower in charge. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Friends acting as pallbearers were James Cochran, Frank P. Scott, Joe Monegan, H. O. Swisher, Mark Hodgson and Elmer C. Loy.

**Obituary**

Milton Hoidal was born March 4, 1886 at Hutchinson, Minn. He attended school at Troy, Idaho, and took up civil engineering as a vocation. In 1930 he was married to Nina E. Rossman, and they spent some time in Great Falls and Seattle before coming to Kalispell in 1944. He moved to Kalispell for a rest and ultimately to engage in business. He passed away on July 9, while at work at the age of 60 years. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Helen Marie Springer of Long Beach, Calif., and a stepson, Pay R. Downer, Los Angeles, Calif.



**ANDREW R. HORN**

Andrew Rankine Horn was born in Dollar, Scotland April 13, 1873, the son of David and Mary Horn.

After coming to the Flathead in 1907 he was employed by the Great Northern railway as timekeeper and later acted as city clerk for Whitefish. For the past several years he was employed as a clerk at the commissioner's office and at the Kalispell Elks club.

Mr. Horn passed away September 17, 1946 in a local hospital after a brief illness. He was 73 years of age at the time of his passing.

Surviving him are his wife, Elizabeth, a step-daughter, Lorraine LaRonde, both of Kalispell, a brother, John R.; and a sister, Mary Rankine Horn of Whitefish; also several nieces and nephews.

**LUDVIG HORNVEDT**

Ludvig Kristian Hansen Hornvedt was born November 19, 1868, at Etokke near Sandefjord, Norway. His father, Hans M. Hornvedt and his mother Bertina M. Hansen reared him to the age of 19 at which time he left home and came to the United States. He made his first stop in Grafton, North Dakota, and after two years he started west, coming by covered wagon to the Flathead valley by way of Swan Valley.

He worked on the boat "State of Montana" operating on Flathead lake and was active in bringing in many of the early pioneer families to this valley. Later he homesteaded a tract of timber land in the north Stillwater district. His associations with the Indians led to a warm friendship and many trades of a material nature resulted. This left him many interesting memories to recall from early days. Because of his love for the beauty of this valley he resolved to make it his permanent home. He bought more land and enlarge his farming interests. In June, 1901, he married Hilda Christine Holst. Two children were born, Mrs. Henry Clerf, residing at Ellensburg, Washington, and Mrs. T. R. Flynn of Kalispell.

During his lifetime here he made three trips to his native homeland: the first in 1900, again in 1910 and last in 1930. Surviving him are three sisters and one brother in Norway. One of his greatest interests was his church and its welfare. He helped to organize and build the Stillwater Lutheran church and has been generous in its support as well as the Bethlehem Lutheran church of Kalispell.

His joy of living and determination to help others made him a friend and counselor to all. He passed away at his farm home May 23, 1946, at the age of 77 years. Other survivors include eight grandchildren and a nephew, John J. Horn of Kalispell.

**ARTHUR L. HOWELL**

Arthur Lynn Howell was born March 8, 1872 in Cerro Gordo, Ill., where he spent his childhood and attended school receiving a teachers degree. On October 23, 1894 he was united in marriage to Dora Allison at Decatur, Ill. They resided in Decatur until 1901 when they moved to Montana, making their home near Columbia Falls where they resided until their deaths. Mrs. Howell passed away in 1924.

Mr. Howell passed away October 11, 1946 after an illness of about one year at the age of 74.

Surviving him are two sons, Ray Howell of Kalispell and Harry Howell of Whitefish; one daughter, Mrs. Edith MacDonald of Spokane, Wash.; one sister, Mrs. Pearl Curtis of Flora, Ind.; two brothers, Leno Howell of Missoula and Elmer Howell of Columbia Falls; and four grandchildren.

**JAMES H. HULL**

Funeral services for James Henry Hull were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Elder H. J. Thomson of the Seventh Day Adventist Church.

During the service Clide Carr sang two appropriate hymn selections accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pall bearers were: Eugene E. Jaquette, Allen Cabick, Max Wendt, Perry Zobach, E. E. Robocker and Lee C. Folkes. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

**Obituary**

James Henry Hull was born March 23, 1858, at Pardeville, Wisconsin. As a young man he moved to Minnesota in 1876, marrying Laura Ann Ward at Canby, Minnesota on January 18, 1888. To them was born one child, Edna.

The family moved to the Flathead valley in 1900, settling on a farm in the Creston community where Mrs. Hull passed away on August 21, 1930. Mr. Hull moved to Kalispell to live with his daughter, Mrs. Edna Grier. It was here that he passed away after a brief illness on August 18, 1946 at the age of 88 years, just three days less than 16 years after the passing of Mrs. Hull.

Mr. Hull is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Edna Grier and one sister, Mrs. Cora Gunderson, both of Kalispell; one grandson, Gordon Grier and one great granddaughter, Gordon's child, Louise Ann, of Creston. There are also several nieces and nephews and many friends.

**GEORGE E. HOYLE**

George Emmert Hoyle was born December 25, 1910, at Maple Falls, Washington. He came to the Flathead at an early age and lived with his grandparents for some time in the Lower Valley. About ten years ago he purchased a farm in the Bad Rock district and made his home there since.

He had not had the best of health for several years and passed away suddenly March 19, 1946, at his farm. He was 35 years of age.

One brother, Jack Hoyle of Fortin survives besides other more distant relatives.