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**LEWIS LAEUGER**  
Word was received here today by Herman Laeuger of the death of Lewis Laeuger, 43, his son at a Los Angeles hospital where he was confined recently with pneumonia. He was born at Columbia Falls, Montana in 1905, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Laeuger. He attended grade and high school at Columbia Falls and when 19 years of age went to California, where he had resided most of the time since. He is survived by his father, Herman, of Kalispell and brother Ben of Missoula.

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Landrie Peter 3 May 1948 pg 3

**PETER LANDRIE**  
Peter Landrie, age 59, passed away at his home in Whitefish early this morning. Mr. Landrie, a veteran of World War I, has been an employe of the Great Northern railroad and moved to Whitefish from Harlin, Montana about a year ago. He is survived by his wife, Marie, and a cousin, Dan Landrie of Whitefish. Service arrangements are incomplete and will be announced later by the Catron chapel.

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**PETER LANDRIE**  
The body of Peter Landrie, who passed away in Whitefish early this week, will be forwarded to Great Falls this afternoon by the Catron chapel of Whitefish. Funeral services and interment will take place at Augusta, Montana on Monday morning.

Larson Lessie Maude 11 Mar 1948 pg 4

**MRS. GEO. A. LARSON OF SWAN LAKE DIES AT LODGE HOME WEDNESDAY**  
Mrs. Lessie Maude Larson of Swan Lake passed away Wednesday night at her home at the age of 59 years. She was the wife of George A. Larson and had lived at Swan Lake for 24 years and assisted her husband in operating Larson's lodge which they established. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by the Waggoner and Campbell funeral home.

12 Mar 1948 pg 4

**MRS. LESSIE M. LARSON**  
Funeral services for Mrs. Lessie Maude Larson of Swan Lake will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggoner and Campbell chapel by the Rev. F. A. Johnson of the Baptist church. The body will then be taken to Great Falls for services and burial on Monday.

Larson Louie A 15 Mar 1948 pg 3

**LOUIE A. LARSON DIES AT HOME ON EAST SHORE WHITEFISH LAKE**  
The body of Louie A. Larson, 76, of Whitefish, was found Saturday noon near his home on the east shore of Whitefish lake. Mr. Larson had been a caretaker for Whitney Smith six miles north of Whitefish on the lake shore. Mr. Larson was last seen sawing wood near his cabin Thursday noon and when he was missed, Mr. Smith summoned members of the sheriff's force and the coroner. The body was found by Deputy Sheriff Ernest Baker. Following an investigation by the officers, it was determined death resulted from natural causes. Mr. Larson was a retired railroad worker. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by the Catron Funeral chapel of Whitefish.

17 Mar 1948 pg 2

**LOUIE A. LARSON**  
Funeral services for Louie A. Larson have been set for Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Catron chapel in Whitefish with the Rev. John Beagen of the Whitefish Methodist church officiating. Interment will follow in the Whitefish cemetery.

Layton Harry A 7 Jul 1948 pg 3

**HARRY A. LAYTON**  
Harry A. Layton passed away Tuesday morning while at work at the Metcalf logging camp near Marion. Mr. Layton was 48 years of age and died of natural causes. He had been a resident of Marion for the past five years and is survived by his wife, Alice; four children, Mrs. Dale Tomlinson and Mrs. Lawrence Jones of Wichita, Kansas, Mrs. James Toomey, of Lawrence, Mass., and Eugene Layton of Ohio; also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bondurant of Wichita, Kansas. The body is at the Waggoner & Campbell funeral home and service arrangements will be announced later.

8 Jul 1948 pg 3

**HARRY A. LAYTON**  
Funeral services for Harry A. Layton have been set for Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Waggoner & Campbell chapel with the Rev. F. A. Johnson of the Baptist church officiating. Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Mr. Layton, age 48, passed away while at work at a logging camp near Marion Tuesday morning.

Leach Mark Louis 18 Jun 1948 pg 3

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Jones received word Friday, June 11, that Mark Louis Leach, five-weeks-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Leach, had passed away that day in a LaPort, Indiana hospital. Mrs. Leach was formerly Ada Jones of Mountain Brook.

Leighty David S 31 Jan 1948 pg 3

### David S. Leighty Passes At Home

David S. Leighty passed away early Saturday morning at his home on Fifth Ave. West North in Kalispell following a lingering illness. Mr. Leighty was 75 years of age and a pioneer of the Flathead having come here in 1897.

He farmed in the Bad Rock district southeast of Columbia Falls until his retirement a few years ago. He is survived by his wife, Emma, and six children, Herbert of Dozeman, Monty of Dayton, Wash., Mrs. Dorothy Baddke of Reno, Wash., Mrs. Rubelle Hansen of Mill Valley, California, Mrs. Della Ten Kotte of Long View, Wash., and Miss Betty Leighty of Kalispell.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener and Campbell Funeral Home.

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#### DAVE S. LEIGHTY

Funeral services for David S. Leighty have been set for Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel with the Rev. R. F. Vick of the Epworth Methodist church officiating. Interment will be made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Mr. Leighty, a resident of the Bad Rock district and Kalispell for more than 50 years, passed away her last Saturday morning at the age of 75 years.

Leistikio Christ 24 May 1948 pg 5

#### CHRIST LEISTIKO

Word was received in Whitefish this morning of the death of Christ Leistikio at Glasgow, Montana. Mr. Leistikio had been a resident of Whitefish for the past two years and was 27 years of age at the time of his passing. He is survived by his wife, Beatrice; two sons, Gordon and DeWayne, and one daughter, Lorraine. The body will arrive in Whitefish Thursday afternoon and funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Catron chapel with the Rev. Arden Beckman of the American Lutheran church officiating. Interment will follow in the Whitefish cemetery.

Lesterburg Andrew 2 Aug 1948 pg 1

#### WHITEFISH RESIDENT ENDS OWN LIFE SAT.

Andrew Lesterburg of Whitefish passed away at his home Saturday as the result of a self-inflicted gun shot wound. He had purchased the gun in the forenoon according to information given Sheriff Walsh and Coroner Campbell.

A son, Arthur, of Reserve, Montana has been notified and services arrangements will be made later by the Catron Chapel.

3 Aug 1948 pg 4

#### ANDREW LESTERBERG

Funeral services for Andrew Lesterberg will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Catron chapel in Whitefish with the Eagles lodge of Kalispell in charge.

The Rev. John Reagan of the Methodist church will conduct the service. Interment will be made in the Whitefish cemetery.

Lewis

Mrs A E

23 Aug 1948 pg 5

**MRS. A. E. LEWIS**

Mrs. A. E. Lewis, formerly of this city, passed away Saturday evening, August 21 in Portland, Oregon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emil Bertelson.

She had been ill for some time and all her children were present at the time of her passing. Friends in this community extend sympathy to the family. Funeral services will be held in Portland, Tuesday morning, August 24 at 9:30. For those who wish to send cards or flowers, Mrs. Bertelson's address is 4020 S. E. 11th avenue, Portland, 2, Oregon.

Lewis

Katie C

6 Dec 1948 pg 3

**MRS. KATIE C. LEWIS**

Mrs. Katie C. Lewis, age 76, residing at 543 Second street east, passed away at her home Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Lewis was born in Osage, Iowa Nov. 30, 1872. On Feb. 26, 1902 she was married to Raymond Lewis, who survives her. In 1918 they came to Wisdom, Montana and lived there until October, 1928, when they moved to Hogeland, Montana. They retired from farming and came to Kaspell in 1944 to make their home. Besides her husband, she is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Zadie Eicher of Waterloo, Iowa, and Mrs. Elsie Relf of Rapid City, South Dakota. The body is at the Johnson funeral home where services will be conducted Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. Aron A. Johnson, pastor of the Bethlehem Lutheran church, after which the body will be forwarded to Osage, Iowa where services will be held and interment will take place.

Lillestol

Abraham J

27 Sep 1948 pg 5

**ABRAHAM J. LILLESTOL**

Abraham Johan Lillestol passed away at a local hospital Sunday evening after a brief illness.

Mr. Lillestol was 65 years of age and has been a long-time resident of Missoula and Evaro. He has been employed in the Columbia Falls vicinity for about a month.

Surviving Mr. Lillestol is his wife, Anna being at their home at Evaro. Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell funeral home.

29 Sep 1948 pg 2

**ABRAHAM J. LILLESTOL**

The body of Abraham J. Lillestol will be forwarded to Missoula this afternoon by the Waggener & Campbell funeral home. Funeral services will be held there from the Squire-Simmons & Carr chapel on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Lillestol passed away Sunday evening at a local hospital after a brief illness. He has been employed in the Columbia Falls area for about a month, coming to this vicinity from Evaro, Montana.

Lippens

Margaret

25 Sep 1948 pg 2

**MRS. MARGARET LIPPENS**

Mrs. Margaret Lippens, age 58, residing at 311 Fifth avenue east, passed away at a local hospital early Saturday morning after a lingering illness. She had resided here only a short time having come here from Dutton, Montana.

She is survived by her husband, Adolph Lippens; one daughter, Mary Teresa, and one son, Andre, both at the home. She is also survived by three brothers, Gust Van Tighnen, Great Falls, Mont.; Henry Van Tighnen, Alberta, Canada, and Ferdinand Van Tighnen, Los Angeles, Calif. Also by two brothers and sisters in Belgium.

The body is at the Johnson funeral home and will be taken to Dutton Monday afternoon.

Rosary will be recited in the Catholic church at Dutton at 8 o'clock Monday evening and requiem high mass will be celebrated in the Dutton church Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock with the Rev. Father Scheidler as celebrant. Interment will be in the Dutton cemetery.

27 Sep 1948 pg 3- Leppins

**MRS. ADOLPH LEPPINS**

Rosary services were recited in the Johnson chapel Sunday evening for late Mrs. Adolph Leppins, age 59 who passed away at a local hospital Saturday morning after a lingering illness.

The body is being taken today to Dutton, Montana where requiem high mass will be celebrated Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock with Rev. Father Scheidler as celebrant. Interment will be in the family plot in the Dutton cemetery.

Lippincott E N

23 Feb 1948 pg 3

**E. N. LIPPINCOTT**

Mrs. Chester Johnson was advised of the death of her father, E. N. Lippincott of Seattle, Sunday, February 22.

Death followed an emergency operation at a Seattle hospital and she and Mr. Johnson left today for the coast city. The funeral will be held Thursday. Mr. Lippincott was a former Kalispell resident, leaving here in 1918. He was well known among the older residents and had made several visits since leaving. His last visit was in the summer of 1947.

Loper

Orson

14 Jul 1948 pg 5

**ORSON LOPER**

Orson Loper, age 81, passed away at a local hospital Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Loper has been a resident of the Flathead for the past 25 years, being employed as a woods worker. He is survived by his wife, Minnie, of Kalispell, and other relatives in Wisconsin. The body is at the Waggener & Campbell funeral home and service arrangements will be announced later.

15 Jul 1948 pg 5

**ORSON LOPER**

Funeral services for Orson Loper have been set for Saturday morning at 11 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with Major James Broad of the Salvation Army officiating and interment following in the Demersville cemetery.

Lull

Ruby M

22 Nov 1948 pg 3

**MRS. RUBY LULL**

Mrs. Ruby M. Lull passed away at her home at 363 Third avenue east in Kalispell Sunday evening after a lengthy illness. Mrs. Lull came to the Flathead with her family in 1928 and made her home at Creston until four years ago when they moved to Kalispell.

She was 54 years of age and is survived by her husband, Leonard M. Lull; one daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Bailey, and her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Terry, all of Kalispell. Funeral services have been tentatively set for Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, but complete arrangements will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell funeral home.

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**RUBY M. LULL**

Funeral services for Mrs. Ruby M. Lull have been set for Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with the Rev. D. E. Allen of the Central Christian church officiating. Interment will be made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Mrs. Lull passed away Sunday evening at her Kalispell home at the age of 54 years.

Lund

Emil

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**EMIL LUND PASSES AWAY SUDDENLY SUNDAY EVENING**

Emil J. Lund passed away Sunday evening at his room at the Elks temple building. Mr. Lund was 49 years of age and had made his home in Gardner, North Dakota before coming to the Flathead 15 years ago.

He made his home with Elmer Bruyer for about three years and for the past 12 years he had been employed by the O'Neil Lumber company. Surviving him are his parents in Canada and several brothers and sisters.

Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell funeral home. Mr. Lund was a veteran of World War II.

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**EMIL J. LUND**

Funeral services for Emil J. Lund will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with Kalispell lodge No. 725, Benevolent & Protective Order of Elks, in charge.

Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery where Glacier Park post No. 2252, V. F. W., and Flathead post No. 7, American Legion, will conduct full military rites.

**MRS. GRACE LUNDGREN**

Mrs. Grace Helen Mary Lundgren of Dolton passed away late Thursday afternoon at a Whitefish hospital. Mrs. Lundgren was 26 years of age and the wife of Everett Lundgren. She had lived in Belton the past two and one-half years.

Funeral services have been set for Saturday afternoon at 3:30 at the Waggener & Campbell chapel in Kalispell by Rev. Amon O. Johnson of the Bethlehem Lutheran church. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Lundgren is survived by her three children, Laura, Lorraine and an infant daughter; two brothers, John and Edward Keener of MacLeod, Alberta; one sister, Bernice Keener, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Keener, all of MacLeod, Alberta.

**MRS. GRACE LUNDGREN**

Funeral services for Mrs. Grace Lundgren were held Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel. The Rev. Amon O. Johnson of the Bethlehem Lutheran church conducted the services and two beautiful hymns were sung by Clide Carr with Mrs. J. M. Carlson accompanying at the organ. Friends chosen to serve as casket bearers were Melvin Crawford, Fred Lathrop, Leroy Medaris, W. J. McGregor, J. T. Hoag, and R. A. Nelson. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

**CORA P. LUSK**

Cora Priscilla Lusk, widow of the late Edward E. Lusk, passed away in Whitefish early this morning. Mrs. Lusk was 78 years of age and a long-time resident of Whitefish. Her husband preceded her in death in 1942. Surviving her are two sisters, Mrs. George Covey of Snowville, Virginia, and Mrs. Viola Hyton of Jacksonville, Florida. The body is at the Catron chapel and service arrangements will be announced later.

**CORA P. LUSK**

Funeral services for Cora Priscilla Lusk will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Catron chapel in Whitefish with the Rev. C. P. Danne of the Presbyterian church officiating. Interment will follow in Whitefish cemetery.