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JOHN SAKON

John Sakon passed away Friday evening in Whitefish after a long illness. Mr. Sakon had been a resident of Rexford for the past 43 years and was 73 years of age. Surviving him are his wife, Julia; two daughters, Mrs. Ralph Baker of Whitefish and Mrs. Amelia Laffear of Somers. Mr. Sakon was a retired section foreman for the Great Northern railroad. Private funeral services will be held Monday morning at the Catron chapel in Whitefish with Rev. John Reagen of the Methodist church officiating. Interment will take place in the Whitefish cemetery.

Salzman M J

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M. J. SALZMAN

Funeral services for M. J. Salzman have been set for Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with the Rev. W. P. Griffith of Christ Episcopal church officiating. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery where the Kallispell Lodge No. 42, A. F. & A. M. will conduct the graveside masonic rites.

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M. J. SALZMAN

Funeral services for M. J. Salzman were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell Chapel with W. P. Griffith, rector of the Christ Episcopal church officiating. Clide Carr sang two beautiful solos during the services and Mrs. Isabelle Ross served as organist.

Long time friends of the Salzman family who served as pallbearers were Lloyd Wallace, Frank Scott, Ben Keller, Warren Jensen, Ernest O'Brien and Archie Paterson.

Kallispell Lodge No. 42, A. F. & A. M., with C. H. Brewer as acting Master, conducted the Masonic graveside rites at Conrad Memorial cemetery, with interment following.

Sampson Cora K

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MRS. CORA SAMPSON

Mrs. Cora K. Sampson passed away at a Whitefish hospital Sunday evening after a long illness. Mrs. Sampson had made her home in Eureka for 42 years before moving to Whitefish six years ago. Her husband, Horace Sampson, preceded her in death two years ago. Mrs. Sampson was 77 years of age and is survived by one son, Harland H. Sampson. Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Catron chapel in Whitefish.

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CORA K. SAMPSON

Funeral services for Cora K. Sampson have been set for Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Catron chapel in Whitefish with the Rev. John Reagen of the Methodist church officiating. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Sandoz Percy C

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Percy C. Sandoz Taken By Death

Percy C. Sandoz passed away suddenly at his home at 596 Second avenue west north in Kallispell Tuesday evening. Mr. Sandoz was 65 years of age and had been a long-time resident of Kallispell.

Surviving him are his wife, Geneva J., and one daughter, Evelyn Sandoz, living at Kirkland, Wash. Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell funeral home.

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PERCY C. SANDOZ

Funeral services for Percy Clinton Sandoz have been set for Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with the Rev. Frank B. Hillis officiating. Interment will be made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Mr. Sandoz passed away at his home in Kallispell last Tuesday evening at the age of 62 years. He had resided here since 1921.

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PERCY C. SANDOZ

Funeral services for Percy Clinton Sandoz were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel. Rev. F. B. Hillis conducted the services and two beautiful solos were sung by Clide Carr with organ accompaniment by Mrs. W. Q. Conway. Friends and neighbors chosen to serve as casket bearers included Marion Connell, Clarence Connell, Fred Danielson, John Danielson, J. W. James and Pete Danielson. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

A. L. Saunders Dies At Winthrop, Maine

A telegram was received today announcing the death January 9 of Arthur L. Saunders of Winthrop, Maine.

Mr. Saunders had been ill with pneumonia, but recovered sufficiently to be able to return home from the hospital just before Christmas. A letter from Mrs. Saunders says that he suffered a heart attack a few days ago, from which he never recovered.

Mr. Saunders was an old-time resident of Flathead county, but moved about 15 years ago to Maine, where he was representative of a large paving company until his retirement following a highway accident a few years ago. He was a civil engineer by profession, held the positions here of city and county engineer, built the first graveled highways in the county, and installed the system of oil streets in the city of Kalispell. He was also resident engineer on the highway from Belton to the vicinity of Avalanche in Glacier National park.

The family came here about 40 years ago, and for many years lived at Echo Lake and Croston. They have many friends in this county who will deeply regret Mr. Saunders' death.

Jeremiah Sauntry, Age 93, Passes

Jeremiah Sauntry, age 93, passed away early Monday evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Gregory M. Duffy, 936 First avenue west.

Mr. Sauntry was born in County Cork, Ireland on Dec. 23, 1854. He came to America when 21 years of age and landed in Washington, D. C. on July 4. On Nov. 27, 1879 he was married to Mary Campbell and shortly afterwards they went to Cherokee, Iowa where they lived until 1886 when they moved to Platte, South Dakota and took up a homestead. They farmed there until 1910 when they retired and came to Kalispell to make their home.

Mrs. Sauntry passed away December 29, 1939, and four sons have preceded him in death. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Mary Duffy of Kalispell; Mrs. Katherine McRea of Los Angeles and three sons, J. T. of Seattle; Dan G. in Yankton, S. D. and Peter J. of Sioux City, Iowa. He is also survived by 13 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren.

The body is at the Johnston funeral home and the time of the funeral services will be announced later.

JEREMIAH SAUNTRY

Funeral services for the late Jeremiah Sauntry, age 93, Flathead pioneer who passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Gregory M. Duffy, on Monday evening will be held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock in St. Matthew's church when requiem high mass will be celebrated by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. F. X. O'Farrell.

Rosary will be recited in the Johnson chapel Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. After the services the body will be forwarded to Platte South Dakota where interment will be made beside his wife who passed away in Kalispell Dec. 29, 1938.

Schagel

William

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WILLIAM SCHAGEL

Word has been received in Kalispell of the death of William Schagel who passed away at Spokane Sunday morning, March 28. Funeral services were held at the Catholic church in Eureka Friday morning, April 2, at 10 o'clock.

William Schagel was born March 6, 1878 at Flint, Michigan. He came to the Flathead in 1898 and took up a homestead. In 1903 he was married to Miss Theresa McGregor of LaSalle and in 1904 they moved to Eureka where Mr. Schagel was engaged in the lumber business and where he has lived until his passing.

He is survived by his widow; three daughters, Mrs. Charles Staples of Spokane, Mrs. Winnifred Nelson of Seattle, and Miss Helen Schagel of Eureka; and four sons, Stanley of New York, William, Jr. of Kettle Falls, Idaho and Mauly and Sterling of Eureka; a brother, Sol Schagel of Bellingham, Wash.; and six grandchildren. Members of the family were present for the funeral services.

Mr. Schagel was well known in the Flathead, due to his business trips to Kalispell and his earlier residence here. His old-time friends will regret to hear of his passing.

Schaffer

Bettie

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BETTIE SCHAFER

Mrs. Bettie Schaffer passed away Sunday afternoon in Kalispell at the age of 79 years. She was the widow of the late Robert Schaffer and came to Kalispell in 1901. She lived three miles west of Kalispell for many years and more recently in town. Service arrangements are incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggoner and Campbell funeral home.

Mrs. Schaffer is survived by two sons, Gus and Edgar of Whitefish, and two daughters, Mrs. Ethel Jones of Los Angeles and Mrs. Nellie Putman, west of Kalispell, and five grand children and six great-grand-children.

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BETTIE SCHAFER

Funeral services for Bettie Schaffer will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggoner and Campbell chapel with the Rev. J. A. Wilmer of the Whitefish Presbyterian church officiating. The Crescent Rebekah lodge No. 2 will follow with their ritualistic services. Interment will be made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Schmitz

Nicholas

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NICHOLAS SCHMITZ

Nicholas Schmitz, age 72, pioneer resident of Hot Springs passed away at a local hospital late Tuesday evening.

Mr. Schmitz was born in Syr, Luxembourg in 1875. In 1885 he came to Thompson Falls and in 1890 to Hot Springs and had lived there continuously since that time. He was engaged in ranching and stock raising. His wife, Stella, passed away in January, 1937.

He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Susan Prongue, of Hot Springs, and five nephews, Louis Maillet and Charles Prongue of Hot Springs; Albert Maillet, Fairbanks, Alaska; Eugene Maillet of Polson, and Edward Maillet of Mullan, Idaho. He is also survived by one niece, Mrs. H. P. Smith, of Hot Springs. The body is at the Johnson funeral home where funeral services will be held at a time to be announced later.

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LOUISE E. SCHOENING

Mrs. Louise E. Schoening of Somers passed away Thursday evening in Kalispell at the age of 77 years. Mrs. Schoening came to Somers in 1940 and was preceded in death by her husband Herman in 1944.

The time of funeral services is pending word from relatives at a distance and will be announced later by the Waggener and Campbell Funeral home.

Mrs. Schoening is survived by her nine children, Otto of Somers, William of Tigerton, Wis., Mrs. Bill Hahn of Tigerton, Wis., John of Flasher, N. D., Mrs. Elmer Anderson of Somers, Mrs. Helmer Wolfgram, Mrs. John Nicholls and Henry Schoening, all of Boise, Idaho and Ervin of Detroit, Mich.

LOUISE E. SCHOENING

Funeral services for Louise E. Schoening have been set for Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with the Rev. Arthur Werfelmann, pastor of the Libby Trinity Lutheran church, officiating. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Mrs. Schoening, a resident of Somers for the past eight years, passed away on Thursday evening at the age of 77 years.

MICHAEL SCHRANZ

Michael H. Schranz passed away Monday morning at his home on Second avenue east north in Kalispell. Mr. Schranz was 70 years of age and came to Kalispell 25 years ago. He had been employed at the Plathoad Motor Sales garage. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by the Waggener and Campbell funeral home.

Mr. Schranz is survived by his widow, Gertrude, a daughter, Mrs. Miriam Bruyer, and stepson, Charles Ward, all of Kalispell, and three brothers and three sisters elsewhere.

MICHAEL SCHRANZ

Requiem high mass will be celebrated for Michael H. Schranz on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Matthew's church with the Rt. Rev. Msgr. P. X. O'Farrel as celebrant. Interment will be made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Rosary will be recited Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel.

**GEORGE SCHROEDER
DIES IN BREMERTON;
LIVED NEAR SOMERS**

Word has been received here this morning of the death of George Schroeder, Sr., at the home of his son in Bremerton, Wash. Mr. Schroeder came to this vicinity in 1902 and made his home in Somers until about a year ago when he moved to Bremerton.

He was 80 years of age and is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Harry Cole of Los Angeles, Calif.; three sons, Herman of Oregon, George, Jr., of Bremerton, Wash., and Leo of Seattle; a step-son, Fred West of Somers and three brothers, Paul Schroeder of Redding, Calif., and Ronald and Otto of the west lake shore.

The body is being returned to Kalispell and service arrangements will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell Funeral home.

GEORGE SCHROEDER

Funeral services for George Schroeder have been set for Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with the Rev. Frank B. Hillis officiating. Interment will follow in the Bethel cemetery north of Somers.

Mr. Schroeder's body arrived from Bremerton, Washington, last evening. The pioneer Somers resident passed away in Bremerton on October 23 at the age of 80 years.

GEORGE SCHROEDER

Funeral services for George Schroeder, Sr., pioneer Somers resident, were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with Rev. Frank Hillis officiating.

Two selected hymns, "Lead Kindly Light" and "Rock of Ages," were beautifully sung by John Bushnell during the services and organ accompaniment was furnished by Mrs. J. M. Carlson.

Old-time friends and neighbors of Mr. Schroeder who served as casket bearers were Fred Altenburg, Al Fischer, Delbert Fischer, Charles DeVoe, Louis Caverly and Hermy McLouth. Interment was made in the Bethel cemetery in the family plot.

Michael Scollard Passes Away Sun.

Michael T. Scollard, age 86, resident of Kalspell for 43 years, passed away early Sunday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. S. C. Robinson, 25 Fifth avenue east.

Mr. Scollard was born in County Limerick, Ireland July 21, 1862. He came to the United States at the age of 21 and was, for a time in Chicago, later in Duluth and cities on the Iron Range and in 1906 he came to Kalspell and lived here since that time. He was well known among the old timers of the valley.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Robinson of Kalspell and Mrs. Earl Warnock of Portland, Oregon; two grandchildren and one great-granddaughter. His wife preceded him in death on Sept. 14, 1932. The body is at the Johnson Funeral home where rosary will be recited Monday evening at 8 o'clock and requiem high mass will be celebrated in St. Matthew's church Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock with the Rt. Rev. Msgr. F. X. O'Farrell as celebrant. Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

HARRY P. SCOUTEN

Harry P. Scouten, age 60, passed away Friday evening in a Whitefish hospital after a brief illness. Mr. Scouten has been a resident of Eureka for the past 41 years where he practiced as a veterinarian. Surviving Mr. Scouten are his wife, Viola; one son, Harrison E. of Eureka; six daughters, Mrs. Robert Holgren and Mrs. Darrell Roose of Eureka; Mrs. Frank Bolles of Rexford; Mrs. Peter V. Klinte of Libby; Mrs. Les Christensen of Seattle and Mrs. George Goble of Kalspell. The body will be taken to Eureka by the Catron chapel where services and interment will take place the first of the week.

Body of PFC Lewis Search Will Be Returned to Home

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Search of Whitefish that the body of their son, Private First Class Lewis H. Search, will arrive in Whitefish Wednesday morning from the Ogden, Utah dis-



tribution center. The body will be taken to the Catron chapel in Whitefish from where services will be held at a time to be announced later.

Lewis H. Search was born in Conrad, Montana on January 6, 1919, the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Search. At the age of six months he moved to Whitefish with his parents and there received his education in the local schools.

In the fall of 1940 Lewis enlisted in Company G, 7th infantry, U. S. army, and received part of his military training at Fort Lewis, Washington. Early in 1942 he was transferred to training camps in California and in October of the same year embarked from Richmond, Va. for duty overseas.

Private First Class Search served through the North African, Tunis, Sicily, Anzio and Italian campaigns and received mortal wounds on May 7, 1945 when one of his comrades stepped on a land mine. As a result of the injuries received, Private Search died May 8, 1945 at the age of 26 years and four months.

Lewis was preceded in death by one sister, Eva Search, and one brother, Ira Search. Surviving to mourn his passing are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Search of Whitefish; grandmother, Mrs. Fred Bennett of Preston, Washington; several aunts, uncles and cousins together with his many friends, classmates and comrades.

LEWIS H. SEARCH

Last rites for Private First Class Lewis H. Search have been set for Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Catron chapel with the Rev. John Reagon, of the Methodist church officiating. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery where the V.F.W. and American Legion posts of Whitefish will conduct the military rites.

HENRY S. SENNER

Henry S. Senner passed away Sunday evening at his home on highway No. 2, south of Columbia Falls. Mr. Senner came to the Flathead from Malta, Montana in 1923 and had resided here since.

He was 65 years of age and is survived by his wife, Anna; two sons, Alvin and Sylvester, of Columbia Falls; three daughters, Laura Humberg of San Pedro, California, Violet Gardner of Seattle and Leona Nutter, of Columbia Falls; his father, Chris Senner of Everett, Washington; and two brothers and four sisters including Mrs. Sophie Bish and Mrs. Elsie Ruff of Somers.

Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell funeral home.

HENRY S. SENNER

Funeral services for Henry S. Senner have been set for Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with Rev. Ralph Werner of Columbia Falls officiating. Interment will follow in the Woodlawn cemetery at Columbia Falls. Mr. Senner passed away at his home south of Columbia Falls Sunday evening.

MRS. FRANK SHIKORA

Mrs. E. O. Woodrigo and John J. Shikora returned Thursday from Libby where they had been called by the death of their mother, Mrs. Frank Shikora, who passed away early Sunday morning, May 9.

Mrs. Shikora formerly lived on the Gage place, northeast of Kalispell, later moving to Warland and Libby. Had Mrs. Shikora lived, she would have been 74 years of age June 4. She is survived by four sons and three daughters, a number of grandchildren, three great grandchildren and other relatives.

Mrs. Shicora Dies Following Mishap

Carol A. Woodriddle Shicora died at a local hospital Tuesday afternoon from injuries received when she was struck by a train just east of KallsPELL last Thursday. Mrs. Shicora was 40 years of age and has lived all of her life in KallsPELL. She and her husband, John J. Shicora, had been making their home with her mother, Mrs. Rose Woodriddle near the Arowow Refinery before her accident.

Surviving Mrs. Shicora besides her husband and mother are two daughters, Rose Marie and Patricia Ann; three sisters, Mrs. C. E. George of Cove, Ore., Mrs. Florence Cusper of Polson and Mrs. Gladys O'Daniel of North Richland, Wash., and one brother, Ernest of KallsPELL.

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

ELMER B. SHIPMAN

Elmer B. Shipman passed away Monday evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Milo Naylor, 127 Seventh avenue west. Mr. Shipman was 78 years of age and came to KallsPELL last January from St. Ignace where he served as police magistrate and justice of the peace for Lake county for a number of years.

Surviving him are his wife, Kitty; four daughters, Mrs. Milo Naylor of KallsPELL, Mrs. E. A. Gaught of Trossachs, Sask., Canada, Mrs. Peter Olden of Stanhope, Iowa, and Jennie H. Shipman of Lakeview, Wash.; two sons, Cyril W. of Carlyle, Sask., Canada, and Merl H. of Madison, Wis.; also one brother, Milo A. Shipman of Springfield, Ore. Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener and Campbell funeral home.

ELMER B. SHIPMAN

Funeral services for Elmer B. Shipman have been set for Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel with the Rev. R. A. Baehle of the Assembly of God church of Polson officiating, assisted by the Rev. D. E. Allen of the Central Christian church. Following the services the body will be forwarded to Trossachs, Saskatchewan, Canada, accompanied by a daughter, Mrs. Milo Naylor, where interment will take place.

ELMER B. SHIPMAN

Last rites for Elmer B. Shipman were conducted Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel. The Rev. R. A. Baehle of the Assembly of God church of Polson officiated at the services and the Rev. D. E. Allen of Central Christian church assisted. Two beautiful musical selections were sung during the services by Bill and Clyde Carr with Mrs. J. M. Carlson as organ accompanist. Following the services the body was forwarded to Trossachs, Saskatchewan, Canada, where interment will take place. Two daughters, Mrs. Milo Naylor and Jennie H. Shipman accompanied the body to Canada.

INFANT SIBLERUD

Baby Sibilrud, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Sibilrud, passed away at a local hospital early Tuesday morning. Besides his parents, the little boy is survived by a sister and a brother and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Emilie Sibilrud, of KallsPELL. The body is at the Johnson funeral home where funeral services will be conducted Thursday afternoon by Rev. Aron O. Johnson, pastor of the Bethlehem Lutheran church. Interment will be made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

THOMAS SILBAUGH

Thomas Silbaugh, age 77, a resident of Columbia Falls and the Flathead since 1937, passed away at the local hospital Monday. Mr. Silbaugh was born in Webster, Wisconsin on Nov. 23, 1876 and in 1927 he came here from Wibaux, Montana. He is survived by a brother, W. A. Silbaugh of Minneapolis, and one sister, Mrs. Ella Thomas, Albany, Oregon. The body is at the Johnson funeral home where funeral services will be held at a time to be announced later.

THOMAS J. SILBAUGH

Graveside rites for Thomas J. Silbaugh, age 77, who passed away at a local hospital Monday morning, will be conducted in the Demersville cemetery by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. F. X. O'Farrell. Mr. Silbaugh came to N. O'Farrell Thursday at 2 o'clock. Mr. Silbaugh came to KallsPELL in 1937 from Wibaux, Montana and had lived at Columbia Falls since that time. The body is at the Johnson funeral home which will have charge of arrangements.

THOMAS J. SILBAUGH

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. F. X. O'Farrell, pastor of St. Matthew's church, conducted graveside rites in the Demersville cemetery Thursday afternoon for the late Thomas J. Silbaugh, age 77, who passed away at the local hospital Monday morning. Arrangements were under the direction of the Johnson funeral home.

Sizer

Mary

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MARY SIZER

Mary Sizer passed away in a local hospital Sunday afternoon at the age of 74 years.

Mrs. Sizer had been a resident of this vicinity for the past 54 years and is survived by one son, Harry, of Kalispell, and a sister, Mrs. Ruth Nichols, of Kalispell; one brother, C. J. Christensen of Rockford, Washington. Mrs. Sizer's husband, the late William A. Sizer, passed away in 1942.

Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener and Campbell funeral home.

MARY SIZER

Funeral services for Mary Sizer will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel with the Rev. D. E. Allen of the Central Christian church officiating. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Skarness

Ole

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OLE SKARNNESS

Helena, Sept. 22—(AP)—Ole Skarness, 61, of Columbia Falls, died at the Fort Harrison Veterans hospital yesterday following a long illness. Skarness, born in Norway, served with the U. S. army in 1918-19. Survivors include a brother and sister in Canada.

Slama

Annabelle

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ANNABELLE SLAMA

Mrs. Annabelle Slama passed away at her home at 604 Seventh avenue west in Kalispell Saturday evening. Mrs. Slama was 61 years of age and had been a resident of Kalispell for the past 14 years. Surviving her are her husband, Victor; three sons, Clarence, Herman and Orland; one daughter, Mrs. Eleanor Hamel, all of Kalispell; also one sister and three brothers. Funeral services are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell funeral home.

ANNABELLE SLAMA

Requiem high mass will be celebrated for Mrs. Annabelle Slama Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Matthew's church with the Rt. Rev. Monsignor F. X. O'Farrell as celebrant.

Rosary will be recited Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Monsignor O'Farrell. Mrs. Slama, wife of Victor Slama, passed away at her home in Kalispell last Saturday evening. Interment will be made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Sliter

E L

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E. L. Sliter, Early Settler Here, Dies

E. L. Sliter of Long Beach, Calif., passed away Tuesday morning according to word received from his son, Everitt Sliter of Somers, Montana.

Mr. Sliter was 81 years of age and an early resident of the Flathead valley. He had been active and in good health until a recent attack of the flu.

During his long residence in the valley, he homesteaded and laid out the townsite of Bigfork, was one of its early postmasters and owned one of the first general stores and hotel there. He was also one of the early boosters of the east lake shore cherry industry.

Surviving him besides his wife, Aemilia Sliter are two daughters, Mrs. William Dryden of Fullerton, California, Miss Veda Sliter of Los Angeles and one son Everitt Sliter of Somers, who has left for Long Beach to attend the funeral.

ALBERT E. SMITH DIES AT FORT HARRISON VETERANS HOSPITAL

Albert E. Smith passed away early this morning at the Veterans hospital at Fort Harrison, according to word received in Kalispell.

Mr. Smith was born at Creston and had lived here all his life excepting for time in the service during World war I. He was 48 years of age and is survived by his mother, Annie A. Smith, of Kalispell; six brothers, John of Deer Lodge, Wright of Hot Springs, Floyd of Linwood, Calif., George of Denver, Colo., and Raymond and Arnold of Kalispell; and three sisters, Mrs. George Evenson of Plains, Mrs. Edith Whitehead of Great Falls and Mrs. Gladys Bates of Cedro Wooley, Calif.

The body is being returned to Kalispell and service arrangements will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell funeral home.

ALBERT E. SMITH

Funeral services for Albert E. Smith have been set for Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with the Rev. Russell J. Prentice of the First Presbyterian church officiating. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery where Flathead post No. 7 of the American Legion and Glacier Park post No. 2252 of the V. F. W. will conduct full military rites.

Mrs. Anna C. Smith, age 86, pioneer resident of Kalispell, passed away at her home, 286 North Main, Monday morning. Mrs. Smith first came to Helena, Montana in 1877 and in 1888 she with her husband the late George R. Smith, came to Kalispell.

She had lived here continuously since that time. Her husband passed away in February, 1932. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. George McHenry, and two sons, Frank and Charles M., all of Kalispell. She was a member of the local chapter of the Order of Eastern Star. The body is at the Johnson funeral home where funeral services will be held at a time to be announced later.

ANNA C. SMITH

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna C. Smith, Flathead pioneer who passed away at her home, 286 North Main, Monday morning, will be held in the Johnson chapel Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the Rev. Frank B. Hillis of the Presbyterian church officiating. Interment will be made in the Woodlawn cemetery at Columbia Falls beside her husband, the late George R. Smith, who passed away in 1932. Besides her daughter, Mrs. Georgia McHenry, and two sons, Frank and Charles M. Smith, all of Kalispell, Mrs. Smith is survived by 13 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

GILBERT SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur N. Smith, of this city, have received word that their son, Gilbert Smith of Wrangell, Alaska, passed away Saturday, June 5. Mr. Smith left Wednesday by plane for Alaska to make arrangements for the funeral. Another son, Howard, is also in Alaska and is now at Wrangell.

ARTHUR N. SMITH NOW COME FROM ALASKA WITH BODY OF HIS SON

Arthur N. Smith arrived in Kalispell this afternoon, bringing with him the body of his son, Gilbert Pierre Smith, who passed away on June 5 at Wrangell, Alaska. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by Waggener & Campbell funeral home.

Gilbert Smith was 48 years of age and had spent most of his life in Kalispell prior to going to Alaska where he was employed as a commercial fisherman. He had been there for the past several years.

Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur N. Smith of Kalispell, Waldo of Sacramento and Howard of Anchorage, Alaska.

GILBERT P. SMITH

Funeral services for Gilbert P. Smith have been set for Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with Rev. Russell J. Prentice of the First Presbyterian church officiating. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

MRS. MISSOURI SMITH

Mrs. Missouri F. Smith passed away this morning at a local hospital after an illness of a couple of weeks. Mrs. Smith was 84 years of age and had made her home in Missoula for about 14 years prior to moving to Kalispell about a year ago. Surviving her are four daughters, Mrs. Anna Ludwig of Kalispell, Mrs. Edna Raymond of Malta, Mrs. Jessie Boissens of Wolf Point and Mrs. Helena Gibson of Missoula; and one son, Ray A. Smith of Creston. Since coming to Kalispell Mrs. Smith had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Ludwig, at 512 Sixth avenue east. Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell funeral home.

MRS. MISSOURI SMITH

Funeral services for Mrs. Missouri F. Smith have been set for Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with Rev. M. E. Van de Mark, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church officiating.

Following the services here the where interment services will be held at 3:30 o'clock at the Missoula cemetery.

MISSOURI F. SMITH

Funeral services for Mrs. Missouri F. Smith were conducted by Rev. M. E. Van de Mark, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church, Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel.

Three requested hymns were sung by John Bushnell during the services with Mrs. J. M. Carlson as organ accompanist. Following the services in Kalispell the body was taken to Missoula where interment services were held at 3:30 in the afternoon in the Missoula cemetery.

Those who served as casket bearers were Vernon Gibson, Dwayne Raymond, Earl Smith, Milo Roberts, Jr., Charles Raymond, Peter J. Regan, Albert May and Milo Roberts, Sr.

FREDERICK SONNEMAKER

Frederick William Sonnemaker passed away Saturday evening at his home in the Brown's gulch district east of Kalispell.

Mr. Sonnemaker came to Montana in 1910, making his home in Sunburst until about five years ago when he moved to the Flathead.

He was 71 years of age and is survived by his wife, Minnie; five daughters, Georgia Farr of Alberton, Montana, Myrtle Taft and Hazel Hannon of Sunburst, Victoria Jordan of Lewistown and Evelyn Stewart of Sunburst; also one brother and two sisters in Iowa.

Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell funeral home.

FREDERICK SONNEMAKER

Funeral services for Frederick William Sonnemaker will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with the Rev. Frank B. Hillis officiating.

Following the services the body will be forwarded to Spokane for cremation. Mr. Sonnemaker passed away at his home in Brown's gulch, east of Kalispell, Saturday evening. The family request that no flowers be sent to the services.

FREDERICK SONNEMAKER

Funeral services for Frederick William Sonnemaker were held Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel. Rev. F. B. Hillis conducted the services and two very appropriate hymns were sung by Keith Shew with organ accompaniment by Mrs. J. M. Carlson.

Friends chosen to act as honorary pall bearers were Harry Jones, Charles Peters, Marion Murer, Martin Skor, Cal Clark, and David Sutter. Following services here the body was forwarded to Spokane for cremation.

MABEL SPENCER

Mabel Spencer, wife of Harry Spencer, passed away Saturday evening at a local hospital.

Mrs. Spencer had made her home in the Essex vicinity for the past 10 years and had lived in Montana more than 40 years. She was 78 years old and besides her husband is survived by one daughter, Frances Light of Bell Garden, California and a granddaughter, Ramona Hearst, living at their home in Essex.

Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell funeral home.

MRS. MABEL SPENCER

Funeral services for Mrs. Mabel Spencer have been set for Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with the Rev. M. E. Van deMark, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church officiating.

Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Mrs. Spencer, wife of Harry Spencer of Essex, passed away in Kalispell Saturday evening at the age of 73 years.

LYDIA B. SPRECHER

Funeral services for Lydia B. Sprecher were held Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by members of the brethren at their meeting room at 130 West Idaho street.

Close friends who served as casket bearers were Alvin Arnoux, William Smir, Donald Norton, Bert Guy, Mylo Gelken and Charles East-Heck. Interment was made in the family plot in Conrad Memorial cemetery under the direction of the Waggener & Campbell funeral home.

Lydia B. Sprecher Dies at Age of 91

Lydia B. Sprecher passed away at the local hospital last evening at the age of 91 years.

Mrs. Sprecher came to the Flathead in 1909 and has made her home in recent years with a niece, Mrs. Mylo Gelken on Fourth Ave. E.N. in Kalispell. Her husband, Philip preceded her in death in 1932.

Surviving Mrs. Sprecher are one sister, Mrs. Priscilla Landers of Norfolk, Nebraska, who is visiting here at the present, and ten nieces and nephews. Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell Funeral Home.

LYDIA B. SPRECHER

Funeral services for Lydia B. Sprecher will be held Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the meeting room at 130 West Idaho street by members of the Brethren. Interment will follow in Conrad Memorial cemetery under the direction of the Waggener & Campbell funeral home. Mrs. Sprecher, a 91-year-old Kalispell matron, passed away Tuesday evening in Kalispell. The family requests that no flowers be sent to the services.

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Mrs. Edna Stevens Taken by Death

Mrs. Edna Ruth Stevens, pioneer Kallispell resident, passed away Friday evening at her home at 1044 Sixth street west. Mrs. Stevens was 72 years of age and had made her home here since about 1900. Surviving here are her husband, Jessie A.; one son, Charles, of Lakeside and one daughter, Mrs. Hazel Savage Hall; also 18 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Funeral services have been set for Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Waggoner & Campbell chapel with S. I. Rapson, first reader of the Christian Science Society, in charge. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

EDNA R. STEVENS

Funeral services for Edna Ruth Stevens were held Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Waggoner & Campbell chapel. S. I. Rapson, first reader of the Christian Science church, conducted the services and two beautiful musical selections were presented by Clide Carr as soloist and Mrs. W. L. Dickinson as organ accompanist.

Those who served as casket bearers were James W. Berry, Charles McCarthy, Ed Eugebratson, Henry Tychsen, Fred Wittlake and C. H. Galyan. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

ROLLY E. STEVENSON

Rolly E. Stevenson, a former resident of Kallispell and part owner of the Hungry Horse Coach Line, passed away in the Sacred Heart hospital in Spokane May 12 after a lingering illness. Funeral services were held in Spokane Friday, May 14.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ada Stevenson of this city; his mother, Mrs. A. O. Stevenson of Spokane; four brothers, R. W. and Russell Stevenson of Spokane, R. O. Stevenson of Espanola, Wash., and R. H. Stevenson of Grand; and two sisters, Mrs. Eazy Bly of Spokane and Mrs. Robert Anderson of Spokane.

TOT'S DEATH SHOCK TO WHITEFISH FOLK

Friends and relatives in Whitefish were shocked and saddened when word was received of the death of ten-year-old Dallas Stock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stock of Corona, California.

According to word reaching here he was killed by a truck on October 18. His mother is the former Lucille Stocking, and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Stocking of Whitefish are his grandparents. No further details have yet been learned.

WILLIAM C. STOLTE

William Charles Stolte passed away Tuesday noon in Whitefish at the age of 67 years. Mr. Stolte came to Whitefish 26 years ago to make his home and lived at 931 First street east.

Surviving him are his wife, Amy; three sons, Orville L. of Whitefish, William L. of Wishram, Washington, and Kenneth of Portland, Oregon; one daughter, Mrs. Fern Kempainen of Whitefish and one sister, Mrs. Emma Landgraf of Missoula. Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Catron chapel.

WILLIAM C. STOLTE

Funeral services for William Charles Stolte have been set for Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Catron chapel in Whitefish with Rev. Arden Bachman of the American Lutheran church officiating. Interment will follow in the Whitefish cemetery. Mr. Stolte passed away at his home in Whitefish Tuesday noon at the age of 67 years.

Storie

Amanda Belle

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Amanda Belle Storie passed away Thursday evening at a local hospital at the age of 77. Mrs. Storie came to the Flathead to make her home in 1903 and has resided at 350 Fifth avenue west-north in Kalispell.

Surviving her are five sons, Lloyd of Gardner, Oregon, Walter and Buell of Oakland, Calif., Thomas of Kalispell and Ross of Yachats, Oregon and two daughters, Mrs. Harold R. Collins of Kalispell and Mrs. Ed Heath of Bigfork; also 18 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell Funeral home.

AMANDA STORIE

Funeral services for Amanda Belle Storie have been set for Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with the Rev. M. E. Van de Mark of the Epworth Methodist church officiating. Interment will follow in the Bethel cemetery north of Somers.

Storkson

Vivian

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VIVIAN STORKSON

Vivian Storkson, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Storkson of Whitefish, passed away Sunday night in Whitefish. Vivian was born and reared in Whitefish and is survived by two brothers, Marvin and Richard, and four sisters, Eloise, Shirley, Joyce and Betty Lou, all of Whitefish, besides here parents. Funeral services have been set for Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Catron chapel in Whitefish with the Rev. John Reagen of the Whitefish Methodist church officiating.

Straight

George G

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GEORGE G. STRAIGHT

George Garfield Straight, age 52 years passed away Sunday morning in Whitefish. Mr. Straight had made his home in Whitefish for 24 years prior to moving to Martin City two years ago. Surviving him are his wife, Blanche; two sons, Herbert of Whitefish and Wallace of Seattle; one daughter, Jesse, of Columbia Falls; 13 grandchildren and one brother. Funeral services have been set for Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Catron chapel in Whitefish. Mrs. R. M. Spear, first reader of the Whitefish Christian Science society, will be in charge

of the services and interment will be made in the Whitefish cemetery.

Stubbs

Judy Ann

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JUDY ANN STUBBS

Judy Ann Stubbs, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Stubbs, passed away Sunday evening at their home at 294 Fourth Ave. West North. Judy Ann was one year and 10 months of age and had lived in Kalispell all of her short life.

Surviving her besides her parents are her twin sister, Janice and another sister, Gladys, one brother Jimmie, and two grandmothers, Mrs. Wilhelmina Isch of Kalispell and Mrs. Helena Jacobson of Cylinder, Iowa; also several aunts and uncles. Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell Funeral home.

JUDY A. STUBBS

Funeral services for Judy Ann Stubbs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Stubbs, will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel with Rev. Martin Van-de Mark, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church, officiating. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Stump

Clara

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MRS. CLARA STUMP

Mrs. Clara Stump, age 77, residing at 517 Sixth avenue west, passed away at a local hospital. Mrs. Stump had been a resident of Kalspell for 25 years. The body is at the Johnson funeral home and the time and place of services will be announced at a later date.

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MISS CLARA STUMP

Funeral services for Miss Clara Stump, age 77, who passed away at a local hospital Thursday morning, will be held in the Johnson chapel Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the Rev. F. A. Johnson, pastor of the First Baptist church, in charge of the services. Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Suiste

Janet Jane

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JANET JANE SUISTE

Janet Jane Suiste passed away Monday evening at the home of her parents south of Kalspell after a lengthy illness. Janet was 17 years of age and had been a resident here only since last July. She had formerly made her home in Choteau and Great Falls. Surviving her are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Suiste and one brother, Kenneth, at the home, also grandparents living elsewhere. The body is at the Waggener and Campbell funeral home and will be forwarded to Choteau tomorrow where services and interment will take place probably Friday afternoon.

Sutton

Asa Frederick

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ASA F. SUTTON

Asa Frederick Sutton passed away early this morning at his ranch home at Lost Prairie. Mr. Sutton was born May 26, 1875 at Sutton, Michigan and came to Montana in 1900. He resided at Great Falls, Cascade, and in Oregon for a period before moving to his ranch three years ago.

He was 73 years of age and is survived by his wife, Mabel; four sons, Townsend of Marion, Austin of Twin Bridges, Robert of Marion, and Fred of Marion; one daughter, Jean, of Chicago, Ill.; also three sisters at Newberg, Oregon. Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell funeral home.

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ASA F. SUTTON

Funeral services for Asa Frederick Sutton will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel with Rev. M. E. Van de Mark, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church, officiating. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Swanson

John A

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JOHN A. SWANSON

John A. Swanson (Svendsen) age 73, passed away at a local hospital Tuesday evening. Mr. Swanson was born in Norway on June 5, 1875 and when about 25 years of age he came to Duluth, Minn., and worked in the woods in that vicinity until 1913 when he came to Great Falls and lived there until May of this year when he came to Kalspell to make his home with his step-daughter, Mrs. Miehne Drazich, 1029 First avenue east, Kalspell.

His wife passed away in August, 1947.

Besides Mrs. Drazich, he is survived by a step-son, Maurice, 101st of Great Falls and five brothers in Norway. The body is at the Johnson funeral home and will be forwarded to Great Falls for services and interment at a time to be announced later.

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JOHN A. SWANSON

The body of the late John A. Swanson, age 71, who passed away at a local hospital Tuesday evening, will be forwarded from the Johnson Funeral Home Sunday afternoon to Great Falls, Montana, where funeral services will be conducted in the Croxford Mortuary Monday afternoon.

Interment will be made in the Great Falls cemetery. Mr. Swanson had lived in Kalspell with his step-son and step-daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Drazich, 1028 First avenue east. They will accompany the body to Great Falls.

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JOHN A. SWANSON

The body of the late John A. Swanson, age 71, who passed away at a local hospital Tuesday evening, was forwarded Sunday afternoon from the Johnson funeral home to Great Falls where services were conducted this afternoon at 4 o'clock by Rev. Riedar Dabaclin in the Croxford chapel. Interment was in the Great Falls cemetery.

Mr. Swanson came to Kalspell last May to make his home with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Drazich, 1029 First avenue east. He had lived in Great Falls previously for 35 years. Mr. and Mrs. Drazich accompanied the body to Great Falls.

**MRS. KATHERYN SWEET
PASSES IN CALIF.;
RITES AT WHITEFISH**

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Katheryn Sweet, who passed away last Thursday at Los Angeles. Mrs. Sweet, widow of the late Jesse Sweet, was 65 years of age and lived in Whitefish and Rexford from 1910 until 1938. For the past ten years she had made her home with her daughter in Los Angeles.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. John E. Sykles, and one granddaughter, Jacqueline Sykles, of Los Angeles.

The body arrived in Whitefish this afternoon and was taken to the Catron chapel from where services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with the Rev. John Reagen of the Whitefish Methodist church officiating. Interment will follow in the Whitefish cemetery. It is requested that the G.I.A. to B. of L. E. organization meet in a group at the Catron chapel to attend the services.

AXEL SWENSON

Funeral services for Axel Swenson who died Thursday on his farm near Cut Bank will be held there Monday and interment and graveside rites will be at Conrad Memorial cemetery at 4 p. m. Monday. Mr. Swenson lived here but operated a ranch east of the mountains. Surviving are his wife, Cornelia, of Kalispell, son, Warren, of Cut Bank, daughters, Mrs. Matt Doyle, Kalispell, Mrs. Harry Wagner, Mission City, B. C., Mrs. Gilbert Anders and Mary Swenson of Kalispell. Others surviving are a brother, Edward, a sister, Mrs. Arthur Pierson.

of Dwight, Kansas and six grandchildren.

W D. Swetland Dies In Oberlin, Ohio

Kalspell friends were notified Wednesday of the death of W. D. Swetland Wednesday morning in Oberlin, Ohio. Mr. Swetland, pioneer Montana educator, was superintendent of the Kalspell city schools for 26 years between 1906 and 1942.

Coming to Kalspell in 1904, he was principal of the westside school for two years. In 1906 he was elected superintendent of elementary schools and continued in that administrative position until his retirement in the summer of 1942.

Born in Menomonie Falls, Wisconsin, Mr. Swetland received his professional training in that city as well as at the University of Wisconsin in Madison. He was a member of the Epworth Methodist church and a life member of the Montana Education association and the National Education association. Since 1942 he has lived with his daughter, Manette, in Oberlin, Ohio.

Work was completed on five of the grade buildings during the time that Mr. Swetland was with school district No. 5, Westside, started in 1901, was completed in 1909. The Northside building was first used in 1904; Cornelius Hodges in 1929, and Russell and Linderman in 1929.

Mr. Swetland took an active part in the work of the Kalspell Elementary Teachers association and was a recognized authority in the field of elementary education. During Mr. Swetland's tenure, the Kalspell city school grew from small beginnings to a first-class district

of 1400 enrollment and a faculty of 45.