

## Bernice Walsh, 68

28 Mar 1982

Bernice Walsh, 68, 901 Walsh Road, died Sunday morning at the family home near Columbia Falls, after a long illness.

She was born Jan. 13, 1914, at Oakes, N.D., the daughter of George and Tillie Peterson. She was educated in the Minneapolis public schools, the University of Minnesota and the McPhail School of Music.

While employed in the Minneapolis public schools, she spent three summers working in Glacier Park with a group of teachers, and met Richard P. Walsh. They were married in January 1942 at Fort Lewis, Wash., after

which she spent three years in California while he was overseas. The remaining years of her life were spent in Kalispell and Columbia Falls.

She had been a district president of the VFW Auxiliary.

She was preceded in death by a sister, Evelyn Bowman of Chicago, and by her parents.

She is survived by her husband at the family home; one son, Patrick Walsh of Hungry Horse; one daughter, Maureen Knutson of Fort Collins, Colo.; three grandchildren; two sisters, Helen Huff of Los Angeles, Calif., and Norma Shannon of Minneapolis; and one brother, Warren Peterson of Tacoma, Wash.

A rosary will be recited tonight at 7 at the Van Leuven Funeral Home in Columbia Falls. Mass of the Resurrection will be Wednesday at 10 a.m. at St. Richard's Catholic Church in Columbia Falls. Burial will be in St. Richard's Catholic Cemetery. The Rev. Bernard Sullivan will officiate.

The family requests that memorials be made to the North Valley Rescue Association of Columbia Falls or to the Montana Veterans Home Memorial Foundation in Columbia Falls.



BERNICE WALSH

## Emma K. Wagner, 90

22 Mar 1982

Emma K. Wagner, 90, who had resided at 228 Second Ave. E., died Monday afternoon in the North Valley Hospital in Whitefish.

She was born Sept. 3, 1891, in Columbia Falls, a daughter of Richard and Anna Marie Heller. She attended local schools and on Jan. 14, 1914, married Albert Wagner in Kalispell. The couple lived in Creston where they farmed. Mrs. Wagner remained on the farm until 1971, at which time she moved to Kalispell.

She was a member of the Eastside Grange.

She was preceded in

death by her husband on April 30, 1957, and a brother, Fred Heller, on April 21, 1955. She is survived by a son, Earl Wagner of Creston; a daughter, Arlene White of Hungry Horse; three sisters, Mrs. John (Lottie) Byrne of Columbia Falls, Nell Aadson of Bigfork and Lena Heller of Kalispell; nine grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Services for Mrs. Wagner are planned for 2 p.m. Friday in the Johnson Funeral Home. Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

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## John Walkman, 77

John Walkman, 77, a former resident of Essex, died Sunday evening in the Colonial manor in Whitefish.

He was born Dec. 12, 1904, in Russia, a son of Karl and Lisa Walkman. He was raised on a farm near Chester and was employed most of his adult life with the Great Northern Railway with the track department at Essex. He retired in 1969.

He lived in Columbia Falls for several years and since 1978 had resided in the Colonial Manor Nursing Home in Whitefish.

He is survived by his wife, Nora, at the Colonial Manor; one brother, Jake of Chester; and a stepdaughter, LaVerne Zabo of Costa Mesa, Calif.

Services will be Wednesday evening at 7 in the Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish with the Rev. David V. Kauffman of the Central Christian Church officiating. Private burial will take place in the Woodlawn Cemetery.

14 Mar. 1982

## Ida Walden, 88 1982

Ida Helen Walden, 88, died Friday in Lynnwood, Wash.

She was born March 22, 1894, in Denver, daughter of Charlie and Louisa Swahn. She went to school in Denver, and on Aug. 9, 1913, she married Ray N. Walden in Denver. The couple farmed at Snyder, Colo. from 1918 to 1928 prior to moving to Montana, then lived in various places in connection with Mr. Walden's ministry with the Assembly of God Church.

The Waldens established congregations at Sweet, Idaho; Ronan, Columbus and Hungry Horse. The couple served as caretakers for the Glacier Bible Camp at Hungry Horse for 20 years prior to the death of Mr. Walden in 1968.

Mrs. Walden lived in Kalispell for 10 years before

she moved to Lynnwood, Wash. three years ago.

She was a longtime member of the Assembly of God Church and was a member of the Christian Center of Lynnwood.

Survivors include two sons, Ray E. of Lynnwood, and Clyde A. of Seattle; one daughter, Ruth Woolard of Kalispell; nine grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mrs. Walden will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Johnson Chapel with Rev. Robert Ross, pastor of the Christian Center Assembly of God Church officiating. Burial will be in the Woodlawn Cemetery in Columbia Falls. The family suggests memorials be made to the Christian Center Assembly of God or to the charity of the donor's choice.

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17 June 1982

## Rosa Walter, 75

Rosa Bell Walter, 75, 1228 Seventh Ave. E., died in Kalispell Regional Hospital Thursday evening. She was born March 3, 1907, in Whitefish the daughter of Charles and May Alice Franklin. She lived in Kalispell all her life.

On May 17, 1926, she married Glenn Milton Walter in Kalispell. Walter was a school bus driver.

Following his death on Jan. 9, 1956, she continued to drive the school bus for two years. She then went to work at Flathead County High School cafeteria until she retired.

She was a member of the Central Christian Church. She was preceded in death by her husband, four brothers and two sisters. She is survived by one son, James Walter

of Kalispell; one daughter, Betty Day of Palm Springs, Calif.; nine grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Monday in the Johnson Chapel with the Rev. Eugene Mockabee, pastor of the Central Christian Church officiating. Burial will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

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23 Jan 1982

## Merle B. Weeres, 55

Merle B. Weeres, 55, who lived at 57 Rising Sun Circle, died Saturday afternoon in Kalispell.

He was born July 24, 1926, in Saskatchewan, Canada, a son of Henry and Alice Weeres. At the age of 8, he moved with his family to Fort Peck. He graduated from Saco High School, then entered the U.S. Army where he served as a ser-

geant until receiving his honorable discharge in 1946. He returned to Malta where he was employed in the creamery for several years.

In the early 1950s, he established his own confectionery store in Harlem which he owned and operated until retiring in 1976. He then moved to Kalispell where was employed as a

clerk at Tri-City Grocery.

He was a member of the VFW of Harlem.

In 1948, he married Patricia Taylor in Saco. She preceded him in death. In 1963, he married Ada Green in Lewistown, and is survived by her at the family home. He is also survived by two sons, Patrick of Harlem and Tony of

Boulder; one daughter, Kathy Baker of Harlem; four stepchildren, Kay Rowley of South Colby, Wash., Nancy Willms of Waterville, Wash., Max Green of LeJeune, N.C., and Jerry Green of Port Orchard, Wash.; two brothers, Mervin of Malta and Harold of Colorado Springs, Colo.; two sisters, Velma Canton of London, Ontario, Canada, and Grace Napier of Federal Way, Wash.; 17 grandchildren; and one great-grandson. He was preceded in death by one son, Michael.

Services will be at 7 p.m. Wednesday in the Johnson Funeral Home with Don Garner of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints officiating. After the services the body will be forwarded to the Edwards Funeral Home at Harlem, where services and burial are planned for Friday afternoon.

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6 Feb. 1982

## Dorothy Wegner, 77

Dorothy Mozella Wegner, 77, who lived on Two-Mile Drive, died Saturday morning following a short illness. She was born Dec. 20, 1904 in Eureka, the daughter of Franklin Pierce and Eliza Jane Garey.

She attended school in Eureka, where she graduated from high school. She also attended the University of Montana and Kinman Business School in

Spokane. She worked as a bookkeeper for several businesses in Kalispell prior to her retirement.

Wegner was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star in Eureka. On Aug. 27, 1942 she married Oscar J. Wegner in Cut Bank. He died March 17, 1971.

She is survived by several nieces and grand-nephews.

Funeral services for Wegner will be 2:30 p.m. Monday in the Johnson Funeral Home with the Rev. Herbert Cies of the United Epworth Methodist Church officiating. Ritualistic rites will be conducted by the Adah Chapter, No. 17, Order of the Eastern Star. Private burial will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

11 Feb. 1982

## Austin D. Weikert, 89

Austin D. Weikert, 89, who lived at the Montana Veterans Home, died Thursday in Whitefish.

He was born Jan. 5, 1893 in Helena, a son of Andrew J. and Elizabeth Weikert. He was raised and educated in a number of towns near Helena. He enlisted in the Marine Corps in 1917 and served in World War I. After his discharge, he returned to Montana. In 1920 he moved to the North Fork where he was one of the earlier homesteaders. He worked for the Forest Service for several years.

He worked in Glacier National

Park where he built log cabins, bridges, ranger stations, and shelter cabins for the park, many of which are still standing. He built log homes throughout the valley for many years. From 1931 to about 1970 he worked for James Sherwood at his summer home on Lake McDonald. He worked for Superior Lumber Co. in the late 1950s.

He entered the Montana Veterans Home in Columbia Falls in 1974.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother, and one sister.

He is survived by his wife, Ruth of Tacoma, Wash.; four daughters,

Barbara Weikert of Tacoma, Wash., Betty Davis of Great Falls, Mildred Connelly of Ridgefield, Wash., and Mary Cay Utterback of Great Falls; one son, James A. Weikert of Bozeman; and 15 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Monday at 10 a.m. at the Van Leuven Funeral Home in Columbia Falls. Rev. Howard Hunter of the United Methodist Church of Columbia Falls will officiate. Burial will follow in Woodlawn Cemetery in Columbia Falls.

The family has suggested that memorials be made to the Montana Veterans Home in Columbia Falls.

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27 May 1982

## Minnie Wendt, 92

Minnie Wendt, 92, died Thursday at the home of her daughter, Patricia Giroux, Santa Clara, Calif. She was born Feb. 19, 1890, the daughter of John and Wilhelmina Isch in West Bend, Iowa.

She moved to the Flathead Valley with her family in the early 1900s. She married Gustav Carl Wendt Jr., Oct. 22, 1913 in Kalispell.

She and her husband made their living in logging and farming in the Lake Blaine area for a number of years. In the early 1920s, they moved to Creston where they farmed until the death of her husband Feb. 20, 1947. She lived in Kalispell and Salt Lake City since that time.

She was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints and served in a number of capacities in the Relief Society organization of the church. She also was a member of the Farmer's Union Grange, Home Demonstration Club and Senior Citizens. She was an accomplished musician able to play the harp, piano and organ.

She is survived by two daughters, Evelyn Hudson of Bowie, Md., and Patricia Giroux of Santa Clara, Calif.; three sons, John V. Wendt of Sunnyvale, Calif., Roy E. Wendt of Columbia Falls, and Roger V. Wendt of Kalispell; one sister, Elinor Lohre of Kalispell; one brother, Henry Isch

of Kalispell; 23 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Vivian M. Grundvig, infant Carl Henry Wendt and Lt. Wayne A. Wendt, a World War II bomber pilot casualty.

Services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints on Buffalo Hill. Bishop James R. Pallo will officiate. Burial will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Relief Society of the Mormon church or to the charity of the donor's choice. Johnson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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24 Dec 1982

## Clinton L. Wenholtz, 78

Clinton L. Wenholtz, 78, 815 Lost Creek Drive, died Friday in the Kalispell Regional Hospital.

He was born Aug. 19, 1904, in Hector, Minn., to Charles and Sophia Wenholtz. The family lived in Minot before moving to Forsyth in 1910 where they homesteaded.

He married Florence Seager on May 18, 1928, in Miles City. He worked in logging and construction work in Washington for about 10 years, then returned to

eastern Montana where he farmed until 1960, when he sold the farm. He did construction work until he retired in 1970 and moved to Kalispell.

He was a member of the Methodist Church, the Operating Engineers Local 400 and had been a 4-H Club leader for 10 years while living at Forsyth.

He is survived by his wife, Florence, at home; two sons, Richard Wenholtz, of Gila Bend, Ariz. and Robert Wenholtz, of Libby; one daughter, Mrs. Robert (Ruth) West of Colorado Springs, Colo.; a sister, Mrs. Beulah Book of Portland, Ore.; 11 grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Johnson Chapel with the Rev. Dale Meilgren, pastor of the Stillwater Lutheran Church, officiating. Burial will be in Glacier Memorial Gardens. The family suggests memorials to the Heart Fund.

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## Harriet Wheeler, 84

13 Aug 1982

Mrs. Harriet P. Wheeler, 84, 506 First Ave. W., died Friday in Kalispell.

She was born Feb. 20, 1898, in Springfield, Mass., a daughter of Thomas and Harriet Gannon. In 1940, she moved to Great Falls.

After the death of her husband, Earle Wheeler, she moved to Kalispell. She was a member of St. Matthew's Catholic Church.

Survivors include a brother, Thomas A. Gannon of Fresno, Calif.; and one sister, Julia G. Landry of Kalispell.

Rosary for Mrs. Wheeler will be recited at 7:30 p.m. Sunday in the Johnson Chapel. Mass of the Resurrection will be held at 10 a.m. Monday in St. Matthew's Catholic Church with Rev. Emmett O'Neill as celebrant. Burial will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

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## Ellen White, 98

6 Oct 1982

Ellen White, 98, past eight years has lived Whitefish, died Wednesday morning in Whitefish.

She was born July 29, 1884, in Minneapolis, Minn., a daughter of Andrew and Carrie Dahl. She was raised and educated in Minneapolis and on Sept. 22, 1914, married William R. White there.

She lived in Havre for about 65 years, and for the

Mrs. White is survived by one daughter, Fern Kennell of Portland, Ore., and three grandsons.

Graveside services will be Monday at 11 a.m. in the Highland Cemetery in Havre. Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish is in charge of local arrangements.

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## Parker White, 76

Parker W. White died in El Sajon, Calif., on Jan. 17.

He was born June 30, 1905, on a ranch north of Kalispell to pioneers, John E. and Mary L. White.

He worked as a merchant in Portland, Ore., where he had his own market. Because of health reasons, he left Portland for a southern climate in California. He managed a Safeway store for a

number of years at a town near San Bernardino. His wife, Imogene, who had always helped him, died during this time.

White then moved to Santee, Calif., where he ran a small store. Parker then retired at El Sajon, Calif., where he died.

Survivors include Howard E. White, Columbia Falls; Bessie A. Pearson, Portland, Ore.; Hattie M. Martin, Polson; Alice G. Bartlett, Canyonville, Ore., and Bertha L. Sperry, Seattle.

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## Estelline A. Wiedman, 84

10 June 1982

Estelline A. Wiedman, 84, 356 4th Ave WN, Kalispell, died Thursday in the Kalispell Regional Hospital.

She was born Feb. 1, 1898 in Estelline, S.D., the daughter of Joseph and Augusta Krause Wiedman.

At the age of three months she traveled with them by covered wagon to the badlands of North Dakota where they operated a cattle ranch. In 1906 she moved with her parents to

the Flathead Valley where she attended the Swan River School and they farmed at Echo Lake.

Following her father's death in 1947, she continued to operate the farm until ill health forced her retirement in 1976, and for the past six years she had made her home with her sister in Kalispell.

She is survived by her sister, Maude, in Kalispell, and by several cousins.

Estelline was a member of the Eastside Grange and a charter member of the Swan River Grange and her local Home Demonstration Club.

Funeral services will be Tuesday, 2 p.m., at the Weatherford Funeral

Home with Rev. Ralph Werner officiating.

Burial will follow in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Visitation for family and friends at the Weatherford Funeral Home is Monday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

The family suggest memorials to the charity of the donor's choice.

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YOUNG, Dan B., 25, formerly of Kalispell, died Monday. Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Monday at the Northridge Lutheran Church with burial at the Conrad Cemetery.

LENOIR, Joseph V., 73, 945 Third Ave. W., Kalispell, died Friday. Funeral will be Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Weatherford Funeral Home with burial at the Valier Cemetery Thursday at 1 p.m.

WHITE, Cynthia Blossom, 68, Kalispell, died Saturday. Services at Weatherford Funeral Home will be Wednesday at 11 a.m. Burial will be in the Tobacco Valley Cemetery, Eureka, at 3 p.m.

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27 Nov 1982

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## Dr. Winfield S. Wilder, 70

Dr. Winfield Scott Wilder, 70, Bigfork, died Saturday evening at home.

He was born June 12, 1912, in Benchland, a son of Dr. Curtis and Norma Wilder.

He attended school in Lewistown, received his bachelor of science degree from Montana State College in Bozeman in 1934, and his medical degree from Washington University in St. Louis in 1938. He married Blanche Taylor in Cascade Sept. 8, 1935.

Dr. Wilder specialized in psychiatry for nine and a half years in St. Louis, New Orleans, and Washington, D.C. In 1947, he returned to Montana as the first psychiatrist in the state. As director of the Montana Mental Hygiene program he established five clinics. He practiced psychiatry in Great Falls until 1972. He and his wife have lived in Bigfork since 1976.

In 1953, he began service as chairman of the Alcohol and Narcotics Commission of the State Board of Health. He served with the USPHS from 1944 to 1947 and was a member of the Montana Society of Psychiatry, Neurology and Neurosurgery, the Mon-

tana Medical Association, the American Medical Association, the American Psychiatric Association, and was president of the Easter Seal Society.

Among the awards given to him were the National Mental Health Society Award, the College of Great Falls Award for outstanding community service, and the Dr. Louis Allard Award for superior medical services to the handicapped.

He is survived by his wife, Blanche, Bigfork; one son, Dr. Wallace Wilder, Kalispell; two daughters, Mrs. Jon (Dianne) Bridgman of Seattle, and Mrs. Scott (Jennifer) Smith of Denver; eight grandchildren; and two brothers, Newell and Curtis Wilder, both in Oregon.

Services for Dr. Wilder will be Wednesday at 3 p.m. in the Bigfork Methodist Church with the Rev. Joseph Loos officiating. Burial will be in the local cemetery under the direction of Johnson Mortuary.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Methodist Church of Bigfork or the Saint Labre Indian School in Ashland.

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## Ben Williams, 80

David Benjamin "Ben" Williams, 80, died Tuesday afternoon at his home in Lakeside.

He was born Feb. 13, 1902, in Beresford, S.D., a son of Morgan and Minnie Mae Williams. As an infant he moved with his family to the Flathead Valley where he attended the Echo Lake School. He also attended Flathead County High School.

He worked in construction and later was associated with the Peter Kiewit Sons Construction Co. where he attained the position of vice president, a position he held until his retirement in 1965.

Williams was active in community affairs in Lakeside and donated land to the city for a park, known as the Ben Williams Park. The city also named its rescue squad "Uncle Ben" in his honor.

He was a member of Liberal, Kan., Masonic Lodge 300; the Flathead Shrine Club and the Flathead Lake Lions Club.

On Sept. 12, 1936, he married Jennie Lucille Hart in Butte; she died Oct. 14, 1947. He was also

preceded in death by a stepson, Julian Bell, in 1967; a brother in childhood; and two sisters, Alma Paulin and Leona McKee.

He is survived by a daughter, Hazel Nuss of Los Banos, Calif.; two sons, Bill Williams of Fairbanks, Alaska, and Jerry Williams of Havre; 11 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and a sister, Nell Cooper of Kalispell.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in the Lakeside Chapel with the Rev. Torrance Harvey officiating. Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery at noon, where Masonic services will be held.

Friends may call at the Johnson Chapel for visitation until 8 tonight.

## 'Leva' Williams, 82

Mrs. Meleva "Leva" Williams, 82, Kalispell, died Friday.

She was born July 2, 1899. On Nov. 2, 1925, she married Richard Williams in Forsyth. In 1935, the couple moved to the Flathead Valley. During World War II, they lived in Bremerton, Wash., and returned to the Flathead in 1946 and resided at Bigfork.

They farmed near

Bigfork until 1959, and they later moved to Kalispell. Mrs. Williams was preceded in death by her husband, Richard, on Nov. 6, 1966; and two brothers, Bly and Ray Bartholomew.

She is now survived by several nieces and nephews. Funeral arrangements for Mrs. Williams are incomplete and will be announced later by the Johnson Mortuary.

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**Jessie P. Williamson, 93**

30 Apr 1982  
Jessie Pearl Williamson, 93, died Friday in Whitefish.

She was born March 14, 1889, in Ballard, Wash., a daughter of Thomas and Josephine Redmond.

She married Leland V. Williamson on Sept. 14, 1907, in Everett, Wash. He preceded her in death in 1961 when he was 80.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Clarke Forcum of Whitefish; a granddaughter, Susan Lee Perrin of Overland Park, Kan.; and one great-granddaughter, Debra Lee Perrin.

Cremation has taken place and no memorial services are planned.

Friends wishing to contribute memorials may make them to the Extended Care Unit of the North Valley Hospital in Whitefish.

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WILSHIRE, Benjamin F., 68, 1721 S. Woodland Drive, died Monday. No public services will be held.

JORE, S.O. "Sam," 74, died Thursday. Memorial services at 7:30 p.m. at Immanuel Lutheran Home.

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20 Apr 1982  
**Bessie Ralston Wingate, 95**

Bessie Ralston Wingate, 95, formerly of Columbia Falls, died Tuesday evening in the North Valley Hospital Extended Care Unit where she had lived for the past five years.

She was born Feb. 10, 1887, near Choteau in what was later to become Teton County, of pioneer parents, William and Ellen Ralston. Marysville was named for her grandmother, Mary Gregg Ralston. Her father, William Ralston, freighted between Salt Lake City and

Helena and later served in the Territorial Legislature before Montana became a state.

In 1905 her father located a ranch south of the Missouri River on Charlie Creek in what was then Dawson County, now Rich-

land County, and the family moved there in 1906. The first homestead filing in this particular township was made by Bess Ralston.

Mrs. Wingate attended the State Normal College in Dillon in 1907 and 1908, and taught in the Sidney schools. In 1911 she opened the first school on Charlie Creek. She later taught in Poplar and Brockton, and in 1926 was elected county superintendent of schools in Richland County.

On May 28, 1929, she married Arthur C. Wingate in Sidney, where they lived for several years, later moving to Bozeman. They lived in California for a short time, returned to Billings, then to the Flathead Valley where they farmed.

Before her ill health,

Mrs. Wingate was active in church and civic affairs, and was a longtime member of the First Presbyterian Church of Kalispell.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1970, and her son, Arthur Wingate Jr., in 1971. She is survived by three grandchildren, Dick Wingate of Whitefish, Larry Wingate of Oak Harbor, Wash., and Mrs. Dennis (Cathy) Dortch of Oakland, Calif.; six great-grandchildren; and two brothers, J.K. Ralston of Billings and William Ralston of Sidney.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday in the Johnson Chapel with the Rev. Odin A. Baugh, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating. Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

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5 Dec 1982  
**Elsie Mae Winstead, 78**

Elsie Mae Winstead, 78, Happy Valley, died Sunday morning in Kalispell Regional Hospital.

She was born April 9, 1904, in Morristown, Tenn., a daughter of Hubert and Amy Lea Hazelwood. She was raised and educated there and on Feb. 24, 1923, married Roy R. Winstead.

The couple moved to Tarkio, Mo., where they farmed until 1940. They then moved to Lebanon, Ore., where Mr. Winstead was employed in the lumber industry.

In 1966, they moved to Whitefish. Mr. Winstead died in 1967.

She is survived by two sons, William H. Winstead of

Whitefish and Roy R. Winstead Jr. of Corvallis, Ore.; four grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; four sisters, Willie Branton, Annie Myers, Flora Holden, Mildred Hiden; and two brothers, Ralph Hazelwood and Erving Hazelwood. Her sisters and brothers all live in the Morristown area.

Services will be Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. in Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish with the Rev. Jim Holt of the Happy Valley Baptist church of Whitefish officiating. Burial will be in Conrad Cemetery in Kalispell.

14 Oct 1982

## Fred Wise, 88

George F. "Fred" Wise, 88, died Thursday morning near Kalispell.

He was born May 3, 1894, in Demersville to James and Angeline Wise, Flathead Valley pioneers. He was raised in the Kalispell area and attended school here.

He married Mary N. Torgerson Feb. 3, 1913, in Kalispell. She died in 1964, and in 1966 he married Edna Carter of Kalispell.

He was employed as a butcher and cattle buyer for Henry Bierman and Eddy Nordtome in Kalispell. He moved to San Diego, Calif., where he was employed at the North Island Air Station from 1944 to 1945. He retired in 1946 and returned to the Flathead Valley, spending the winter months in San Diego. He was a self-employed woodworker in the Kalispell area.

He is survived by three sons, Douglas, Wallace and Gene Wise, all of Kalispell; five daughters, Rachel Mitton, Marriam Willey, Lorraine Schultz and Gladys Kikendall, all of Kalispell, and Mary Roatch of Seattle, Wash.; 44 grandchildren; 68 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Services will be 3 p.m. Saturday at the Johnson Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Roy Jones of the Church of the Nazarene officiating. Burial will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

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27 Nov 1973

## Mrs. Wohlwend

Funeral services for Mrs. Jennie Wohlwend, 87, Kalispell, were conducted Thursday in the Weatherford Funeral Home. The Rev. Dr. Odin Baugh, First Presbyterian Church, officiated. Interment was in Conrad Memorial Cemetery. Ritualistic rites will be by Adah Chapter No. 17, OES.

Mrs. Wohlwend died Tuesday. She was born Nov. 14, 1885 in Erie, N. Dak. She was married to Ben Wohlwend May 17, 1905 in Bowbells, N. Dak., and they moved to Kalispell in 1928. They resided in Missoula from 1933 until 1937. Mr. Wohlwend has been associated in the automobile business 31 years and is president of Himsl-Wohlwend Motors, Inc. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, Eastern Star, and 25-year member of the Century Club.

Survivors are her husband; one daughter, Mrs. Matt (Lois) Himsl, five grandchildren, Allen and Judy Himsl, Mrs. Bernard (Marilyn) Olson, all of Kalispell; Kathy Himsl, Portland; and Mrs. Robert (Louise) Robinson, Columbia, Mo., and six great-grandchildren.

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## Paul A. Wolk, 80

4 Dec 1982

Paul A. Wolk, 80, died Saturday in Kalispell.

He was born Sept. 25, 1902, in Travers County, Minn., to Frank and Louisa Wolk. He graduated from business school in Great Falls and then worked at a refinery in Sunburst, keeping books. He later moved to Cut Bank where he owned the Texaco bulk plant and an accounting business.

He was mayor of Cut Bank in the late 1950s.

He married Anna Johnson in Conrad in 1937, and the couple lived in Cut

Bank until 1963. They then moved to Whitefish. Since May, the Wolks have lived in Kalispell.

He is survived by his wife, in Kalispell; two brothers, Bernhard Wolk of Washougal, Wash., and Walter Wolk of Spokane; and one sister, Bertha Restelli of Great Falls.

Services will be Wednesday at 2 p.m. in Christ Lutheran Church in Whitefish with the Rev. Harold Peterson and the Rev. Rusty Halaas of the Northridge Lutheran Church officiating. Burial will be in Whitefish Cemetery under the direction of the Austin Funeral Home.



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14 May 1982

## Elden Wood II, 38

Elden Glenn Wood II, 38, 1346 Sixth Ave. E., died Friday afternoon at Kalispell Regional Hospital. He was born Oct. 11, 1943 in Los Angeles, Calif., the son of Elden and Glad-

ys Wood. He was raised and attended schools in Paradise, Calif.

Wood received his bachelor of arts degree at Pacific Union College in Angwin, Calif., after which

he taught school in western Washington for 10 years.

Wood moved to Kalispell in 1978 and for the past four years had taught at the Seventh-day Adventist School. On Dec. 19,

1965, he married Sherry Ringering in Paradise.

Surviving him are his wife, a son Elden Wood III and a daughter Jana Wood. He is also survived by his mother, Gladys Wood of Paradise; a brother, Brent of Los Angeles; and four sister, Carolyn Lovell of Riverside, Calif., Jeanne Legernes of Montara, Calif., Sylvia Huff of Loma Linda, Calif., and Lititia Tomasco of Carson City, Nev.

Memorial services will be Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Kalispell Seventh-day Adventist Church with the Pastor Verlyn Retzer officiating. Arrangements and cremation are being handled by Weatherford Funeral Home.

## Margaret R. Wood, 87

educated at Medicine Lake.

In 1912, she married Fred R. Wood. She lived in the Flathead Valley for 63 years and worked at the Whitefish hospital for many years.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Fred, March 25, 1963, and two sons, Walter and Jacques.

Survivors include three sons, Harold F., Howard J. and Wayne C., all of Whitefish; three daughters, Elaine Westman of Winthrop, Wash., June Munski and Wini Brown, both of Whitefish; four sisters, Irene Dimke, Ella Yuhas and Isabelle Decker of Great Falls, and Adeline McCormick of Shelby; 16 grandchildren and 30 great-grandchildren.

Rosary will be recited Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the Austin Funeral Home. Services will be 10 a.m. Tuesday in the Austin Funeral Home with Stan Popowski, deacon of St. Charles Catholic Church of Whitefish, officiating.

Burial will be at Whitefish Cemetery. The casket will not be open for viewing.

Margaret R. Wood, 87, Whitefish, died Friday at North Valley Hospital.

She was born July 25, 1895, in Wisconsin, a daughter of Henry and Rose Leiffring. She was raised and

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## Robert Thomas Wood, 50

Robert Thomas "Bob" "Woody" Wood, 50, died Thursday morning at his home in Somers.

He was born March 3, 1931, in Turner Valley, Canada, a son of James and Marie Wood. As an infant he moved to the Flathead Valley with his family where he attended Kalispell schools, including Flathead County High School.

He was a driver for the Bon-Ton Bakery for 11 years, then was employed by Anaconda Aluminum Co.,

from which he retired after 18 years due to ill health.

He married Alice Jeanne Wolfe in Columbia Falls. She died on March 14, 1962. He was also preceded in death by his mother and two brothers, Kenneth and Freddie. He is survived by three sons, Robert "Thomas" Jr. of Portland, Ore., Paul and Kenneth, both of Somers; six daughters, Catherine Kelley of Billings, Theresa Wang, Patricia Baker and Julie Wood, all of Kalispell, Linda Dale of Whitefish

and Barbara Dougherty of Columbia Falls; his father, in Kalispell; three brothers, Clifford and James of Seattle, Wash., and Jack of Kalispell; two sisters, Hazel Brown of Seattle and Helen Major of Kalispell; and 14 grandchildren.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in the Johnson Funeral Home with the Rev. Morley of St. Anne's Catholic Church officiating. Burial will be in Glacier Memorial Gardens.

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## Dona Jean Wright, 57

Dona Jean Wright, 57, Columbia Falls, died Saturday at the University Hospital in Seattle.

She was born Feb. 5, 1925, in Atkin, Minn., a daughter of Oscar and Peggy Lidberg. She was raised and educated in Montana. She married Glen Ditton who preceded her in death in 1953. On April 24, 1954, she married Virgil O. Wright in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. Since 1966 the couple has resided in Columbia Falls.

She was a member of the Lady Moose or wnterish.

She is survived by her husband, at home; three sons, Glen Ditton of Everett, Wash., Dave Ditton and Casey Wright, both of Texarkana, Ark.; one daughter, Judy Wright of Middleton, Idaho; her father, in New Mexico; her mother, Mrs. Elmer Sangray of Vaughn; and two brothers and three sisters, all living out of state.

Services will be Thursday at 2 p.m. in the Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish with Lady Moose ritualistic rites. Graveside services and burial will be Friday at 2 p.m. in the Highland Cemetery in Great Falls.

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