

HENRY L. AEVERMANN

Born: January 22, 1878 - Died: June 8, 1966

Liberty County Times

June 16, 1966

Henry Aevermann Funeral Monday

Henry L. Aevermann, 88, retired Rudyard laborer, died at the Liberty County Hospital. Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Monday at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Rudyard.

Survivors include sons, George and Carl, and daughters, Edna and Alice; a brother, Paul; sisters Elizabeth Calsemann, and Mrs. George Meyer, all in Nebraska.

He was born in Allamakee County, Iowa and came to Rudyard in 1939 from Concord, Neb.

The pallbearers were Clarence Aevermann, Frank Aevermann, Leroy Aevermann, Clarence Struck, Kalispell; Melvin Bley, Big Sandy; and Stuart Gustafson, Big Fork.

Fred Elling and Henry Langel were ushers.

Interment was in the Rudyard cemetery.

RAY E. BAIR
Born: February 1, 1887 - Died: January 24, 1966
Liberty County Times
February 10, 1966

**Funeral Services
Held Jan. 28 for
Ray E. Bair,
Rudyard Pioneer**

Funeral services were held in the Retz Funeral Home for Ray E. Bair, a Rudyard pioneer, Jan. 28 with the Rev. Estes, Methodist pastor of Polson, officiating. Interment was at the Lone Pine cemetery.

Ray E. Bair was born at Bear Lake, Mich., Feb. 1, 1887. He came to the Bozeman area in 1908 and to Rudyard in 1911, where he farmed until he retired in 1959 and moved to Hot Springs. The last year and a half he has made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ingraham of Polson where he passed away Jan. 24. He was preceded in death by a brother, Roy in 1936 and is survived by a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Widdis of Chester and several nephews and nieces including Mark Widdis of Rudyard and Mrs. Eugene King of Aden, Alberta, Canada.

Pallbearers were Clarence J. Patrick, Arnold C. Golberg, Lyle Anderson of Rudyard, Oscar Edmunds, Hot Springs, Paul Mertz, Bigfork and Charles Ingraham, Polson.

EMILY BARRETT
Born: ?, 1884 - Died: March ?, 1966
Liberty County Times
March 10, 1966

**Mrs. Emily Barrett,
Mother of Fred
Barrett, Died at
Missoula**

Mrs. Emily Barrett, 82, mother of Fred Barrett, chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee, died at a Missoula convalescent home. Services were Saturday in Missoula. Mrs. Barrett was born in Nottingham, England. At the age of six she came to the United States with her parents who homesteaded near Deadwood, S. D. She married S. A. Barrett Dec. 6, 1903, in Deadwood. The couple moved to Missoula in 1912. Survivors include her husband; four sons, George, Bozeman; Herb and Elmer, Missoula, and Fred, Chester; a daughter, Mrs. Ethel Gropp, Albany, Ore., and a brother in Portland.

—Great Falls Tribune

JOANNE ERICKSON BLACK
Born: ? - Died: January ?, 1966
Liberty County Times
January 13, 1966

**Former Local School Teacher
Dies in Seattle**

Mrs. JoAnne Black, formerly Miss JoAnne Erickson, a former Chester school teacher, died in Seattle recently of cancer. She taught in Chester in the late thirties or early forties. She was born in Voltaire, N. D. She went to Seattle in 1942.

KENNETH BRADY

Born: September 20, 1949 - Died: May 29, 1966

Liberty County Times

June 2, 1966

Kenneth Brady Killed In Spray Accident

Kenneth Brady, 15 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brady of Chester was killed when struck by a spray plane about 6:30 a.m. Sunday. He was flying for spray pilot Dick Hone, who was flying a plane owned by Libco Flying Service. The accident happened on the Allen Kolstad farm southwest of Tiber Dam in Liberty County.

C. A. Scott, owner of Libco Flying Service expressed confidence in his pilot and said he is "as good as any in the business." Scott said Brady was shouting to Mrs. Scott, sitting in a vehicle nearby and apparently did not realize the plane was so close. Hone realized at the last minute that Brady was in danger, but due to "bad air" conditions at the time was unable to lift the plane above the boy.

Kenny, 15, had just finished his sophomore year in high school. He was born at Lewistown and had his elementary schooling at Fairfield. He was a letterman in football, track and basketball and was active in Boy Scouts and in Catholic Youth Organization. Survivors are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Brady; brothers, Michael, Kevin, Patrick, Alan and Mark; sisters, Coleen, Jeanette and Clara, all at home; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Brady, Stanberry, Mo., and grandmother, Mrs. Edna Barber, Denton.

His father, Bill Brady, is the manager of Marias Equipment Company in Chester.

Requiem mass was Wednesday at 11, St. Mary Catholic Church, Chester. Rosary was 7:15 p.m. Tuesday at the church. Burial was in the Chester cemetery with Holland-Bonine

Mortuary in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Mike Laird, Ronnie Groseclose, Larry Hanson, Bobb Rust, Mark Schaefer and Bob Hemmer. Ushers were Dennis Hanson and Rick Dolezal.

JOHN W. CHAPMAN
Born: ?, 1912 - Died: August ?, 1966
Liberty County Times
August 18, 1966

**John Chapman
Died at Kalispell**

John W. Chapman, 54, died at his farm in the Echo Lake community southeast of Kalispell. Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Waggener and Campbell Chapel, with burial in the Lone Pine Cemetery at Bigfork. Born in Canada, he came to Idaho as a small boy and to the Bigfork area in 1936, moved to Chester in 1938 and back to Bigfork in 1943. He worked as a farmer and a logger. In 1941 he married Luella Dunbar in Chester. Survivors include sons, Ronald, Portland; Roger, Wauconda, Wash.; and Russell, Kalispell; two brothers, including Stanley at Bigfork; four sisters, including Mrs. Clarice Rost, Bigfork and Mrs. Martha Schwenke, Kalispell.

ROY EDWARD CHAPMAN
Born: November 1, 1935 - Died: February 3, 1966
Liberty County Times
February 10, 1966

Roy Chapman Dies Of Bullet Wound; Funeral at Joplin

Roy Edward Chapman, 30, Galen tree cutter, died in a Missoula hospital, Thursday, Feb. 3 of a gunshot wound in the head, allegedly received in an argument with his wife.

Heid in the Deer Lodge County jail in Anaconda in lieu of \$5,000 bond was his widow, Jeanine, 33, originally charged with first-degree assault as a result of the shooting. Deputy County Attorney John N. Radonich said a revised charge would be filed within the next day or two.

Mrs. Chapman told authorities her husband poured beer over her head during Tuesday night in their trailer home near Galen before he was shot with a 38 caliber pistol. Mrs. Chapman was charged with second degree murder Tuesday.

He was taken to an Anaconda hospital for treatment then to the Missoula hospital for brain surgery.

Chapman remained in critical condition and unconscious from the time of the shooting until he died.

Born Nov. 1, 1935 in Mena, Ark., he had lived in Idaho before moving to Galen.

Survivors included the widow, two daughters, two brothers, Robert of Fort Benton and Lee of Libby and three sisters, Mrs. M. H. Davis (Violet) of Mena, Ark., Mrs. Dee Broach (Lucille) of West Virginia and Mrs. Devon Cooper (Ruby) of Phoenix, Ariz.

Chapman was a former resident of Joplin.

Funeral services for Roy Chapman were conducted Tuesday at 2 p.m. in the Joplin Lutheran Church. Interment was in the Joplin Cemetery. Pallbearers were Bill McCormick, Donald Pimley, Bert Alley, Frank Richter, Duane Johnson and Richard Hansen.

JOHN K. CLAUSEN
Born: March 1, 1879 - Died: April 22, 1966
Liberty County Times
April 28, 1966

**John Clausen Rites
Here Friday**

The body of John K. Clausen, 87, formerly of Chester, is being sent to Holland and Bonine Funeral Home, Havre, for funeral services and interment. Clausen died at Long Beach, Calif., where he had been making his home.

Funeral services have been scheduled at the Chester Lutheran church Friday at 2 p.m.

He is survived by his sister, Mrs. Tina Boe, Fergus Falls, Minn., and a sister-in-law, Mrs. John Seaburg, Long Beach, Calif. Clausen's wife, Selma, preceded him in death on June 21, 1960.

Clausen was born March 1, 1879 in Minnesota. He was a resident of Chester before moving to California.

—Havre Daily News

**Funeral Services
For John Clausen**

Funeral services for John Clausen were held in Our Savior's Lutheran Church here Friday afternoon, Pastor J. L. Walla officiating. Clausen died April 22 in Long Beach, Calif.

John K. Clausen was born in Ashby, Minn., March 1, 1879 to Karolius and Berit Clausen.

He was united in marriage with Selma Eia in 1915 and she preceded him in death in 1960.

He graduated in 1901 from Moorhead State College, Moorhead, Minn. He taught school in Minnesota three years, then attended college in Minneapolis and received his degree in pharmacy.

His first drug store was in Lamoure, N. D. He came to Chester in 1911 where he homesteaded land and started a drug store which he operated until it was destroyed by fire in 1932.

In 1935 he purchased Strickland Rexall Drug Store in Shelby, which he sold in 1941 to go into retirement.

He was a member of the Blue Lodge, A.F.A.M. at Lamourse, N. D., the Knights of Templar of Havre and the Algeria Shrine of Helena.

His parents, one brother and two sisters preceded him in death. He leaves to mourn him, his foster daughter, Mrs. Donald Eckel, Seattle, Wash., his sister-in-law, Mrs. John Seaburg, Kalispell and nephews Kenmore, Clifford and Vernon Clausen, Alfred and Bennie Boe, nieces Mrs. Carl Peterson and Mrs. Robert Larson, all of Minnesota.

Pallbearers were Leo Jensen, Ole Jensen, Bert Nordstrom, Ralph Shepherd, Elmer Muncy and Joe Burrows. The Lutheran Church Choir, accompanied by Mrs. Robert Remington, sang "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Nearer My God To Thee."

JOHN M. DALIMATA
Born: May 12, 1894 - Died: August 31, 1966
Liberty County Times
September 8, 1966

John Dalimata
Died at Nyack

John M. Dalimata, 72, of Nyack died Aug. 31 at his home with a heart attack. Born in Galacia, Austria (Poland) May 12, 1894, he came to the United States in 1907 to Minneapolis and attended schools there. In 1913 he came to Chester and homesteaded south of here. He served in World War I as a bugler in 1918. On Dec. 28, 1927 he married Aurelia B. Skierka in Holy Names Cathedral of Chicago. To this union one son, John Jr. was born.

In 1942 they sold their farm and moved to Nyack. He was in partnership with his son in the saw mill and cattle raising. In 1923 he was an investigator in the FBI service. He was a member of St. Richards Church, Fourth Degree in Knights of Columbus, and VFW member. His hobbies in later years were taxidermy arts and art crafts.

He leaves to mourn, his wife Aurelia, son John Jr., seven grandchildren, two brothers and three sisters in Poland, several cousins in Chicago and Minneapolis and Mrs. Frances Borys of Chester.

OLGA DENTER
Born: ? - Died: ?, 1966
Liberty County Times
December 8, 1966

Olga Denter Died

Mrs. Olga Denter, 69, former Chester resident, died in a Bozeman hospital one day last week. Services were held in Three Forks, where she had lived since 1962.

JAMES ALBERT EVANS
Born: July 22, 1897 - Died: July 22, 1966
Liberty County Times
August 4, 1966

James Albert Evans
Died July 22

James Albert Evans was born July 22, 1897 in Howard County, Mo. He was the son of James Robison Evans and Emma Edda Peacher Evans. In 1912 he came to Montana.

On Oct. 24, 1920 he was united in marriage to Icy Bell Evans at Havre. He moved to the Chester area in 1931 and moved to the town of Chester in 1936.

He passed away in Shelby, July 22,

1966 at the age of 69.

Those left to mourn his death are his wife, Mrs. Icy Evans of Chester, seven sons: Ross of Milwaukee, Ore., Joe of Browning, Carl of Libby, Perry of Chester, Ray, USAF, Alaska, Garth of Chester, Dal, US Army in Germany. One brother, Robert H. Evans, Fort Benton, three sisters, Mrs. Harold (Leona) Jackson, Hammond, Ind., Mrs. Harold (Dorothy) Bitterman, Libby, Mrs. John (Irene) Kroker, Lebanon, Ore.; 14 grandchildren, several nieces and nephews and many friends.

BERT (BJARNE) EVENSEN

Born: February 18, 1898 - Died: February 10, 1966

Liberty County Times

February 24, 1966

**Funeral Services in
California Feb. 10
For Bert Evensen**

Funeral services were held for Bert (Bjarne) Evensen, 67, who died Feb. 10 in Fontana, Calif.

Bert Evensen was born in Porsgrunn, Denmark, Feb. 18, 1898. He came to Montana in 1917 and stayed in the Rudyard area about three years where he had numerous relatives. From Montana he moved to California where he lived 18 years in Los Angeles and 20 years in Alhambra.

He is survived by his widow, Dorabeth of Alhambra, Calif., a son, Douglas Evensen of Alhambra, a daughter, Mrs. Beverly (Evensen) Ergenbright of Guildford and two brothers in Norway, four grandchildren and numerous cousins in the Rudyard area.

Funeral services were held Feb. 14 in Fontana, Calif. at the Ingold Chapel and burial was at Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Covina Hills, Calif. Rev. Eldon Miller officiated.

ALPHA E. FITZPATRICK
Born: June 12, 1885 - Died: November 21, 1966
Liberty County Times
November 24, 1966

**Mrs. Alpha Fitzpatrick,
Former Chester Teacher
Died at Seattle**

Mrs. Alpha Fitzpatrick, about 80, who taught school in Chester about 50 years ago, died Monday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Eleanor Neupert in Seattle, Wash. Mrs. Fitzpatrick was well known among the old timers, as she taught in Chester, Lothair and other schools of this area. She was county superintendent of schools at one time.

Glen Shepherd of Kalispell stopped in at the Times office Tuesday to tell us about Mrs. Fitzpatrick's death.

Entombment services for Alpha E. Fitzpatrick 81, of 4331 S.W. Brace Point Drive, Seattle, Wash., who died Monday in a nursing home will be at 10 a.m. Friday, Nov. 25, at Acacia Mausoleum. The body will lie in state Wednesday at the Acacia Memorial Funeral Home.

Mrs. Fitzpatrick was born in Menomonie, Wis., June 12, 1885, and at the age of 18 came to Zortman, Mont. a small mining town, where she taught her first school for \$25 a month. She was a retired teacher, having taught school for 35 years in northern Montana. In 1942, she and her husband moved to Seattle, where Mr. Fitzpatrick was employed by Tradewell Stores until his death in 1949. From that time until her death she made her home with her daughter.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Hugo Neupert, Seattle; a brother, Benjamin C. Arndt, Mondamin, Iowa, and seven grandchildren.

HELEN FLINT
Born: August 25, 1886 - Died: March 14, 1966
Liberty County Times
March 17, 1966

Funeral Services Wednesday for Mrs. Helen Flint

Mrs. Helen Flint, 79, retired Hingham postal employee, died early Monday morning in a Havre hospital.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 1 p.m. at the Holland and Bonine chapel.

Mrs. Flint was born Aug. 25, 1886 in Ayr, Scotland. She came to the United States in 1910 and was married to P. T. Hendrickson in 1911. In 1917 she came from Great Falls to Hingham and took a homestead 10 miles north of Hingham. She was married to William Flint in 1917. Both Hendrickson and Flint are deceased.

Mrs. Flint was employed in the Hingham post office from 1934 until 1957 when she retired. She was a member of the Methodist church, the Joplin Chapter Order of Eastern Star, and the Havre Camp Royal Neighbors of America.

Surviving are a son, Ted Hendrickson of Hingham, and a nephew, David Neill, Edmonton, Alta.

BRIAN B. FOX
Born: ? - Died: October 15, 1966
Liberty County Times
November 3, 1966

Brian B. Fox **Funeral in Wyoming**

Brian B. Fox, one time farmer of the north Joplin area and more recently of Sheridan, Wyo., passed away suddenly at his home Oct. 15, death was due to a heart attack.

During the homestead days Brian and his parents lived on one side of the Kennedy coulee and his brother Raymond and sister Josie on the other. Because of this the crossing was named "The Fox Crossing" and the name remains the same today.

Services were held Oct. 19 at the funeral home in Sheridan. The large crowd in attendance and the many floral pieces spoke of the high esteem in which Brian was held. He leaves to mourn his passing his widow, the former Margaret Hall, one daughter, Mrs. Lorene Canfield, Sheridan, one son, Brian Fox of Atwater, Calif., five grand children, Marna, Karen, Darrel and Eliane Canfield and Sean Fox. Two sisters, Mrs. Ada Koddard and Mrs. Josie Lewis, Sheridan, a sister-in-law, Mrs. Elsie Fox and a kind and thoughtful son-in-law, Herbert Canfield; also several nieces and nephews and many friends.

Those attending from out of town were Mrs. Ada Goddard, her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keimig, Master Sergeant Brian Fox, his wife and son, Atwater, Calif., and Mrs. Lillie Hollingshead, Havre.

WALTER C. FRANKS
Born: ? - Died: July 23, 1966
Liberty County Times
August 4, 1966

Walter C. Franks
Died in England

Word has been received that Walter C. Franks, long time Inverness resident, passed away July 23 at his home in England. He came from England as a young man and farmed in the Inverness community until his retirement. He sold his farm and retired to England in 1954.

Anyone caring to write to Mrs. Franks, her address is Vine Cottage, Whoplode Drove, West Spalding Lines, England.

HAROLD ARTHUR FUSK
Born: December 22, 1921 - Died: September 5, 1966
Liberty County Times
September 8, 1966

**Wreck in Idaho
Kills Joplin Man**

Harold Arthur Fusk, 44, of Joplin was killed when his car passed a youngster on a bicycle and collided head-on with a truck on U. S. 95 about three miles north of Bonners Ferry, Idaho.

Fusk was a native of Hill County, being born at Alma on Dec. 22, 1921. Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Peter Fusk of Joplin, three brothers, John, Pagosa Springs, Colo., Donald, Joplin and Clifford, Lancaster, Calif. and a sister, Mrs. Harlan (Alice) Bilden of Joplin. He was never married.

Fusk was a veteran of World War II.

Funeral services will be Friday, Sept. 9 at 10 a.m. in Joplin at the Bethel Lutheran Church with Pastor Gary Clark officiating.

**Fusk Funeral
Services Sept. 9**

Funeral services for Harold Fusk, 44, Joplin man killed in an auto accident in Idaho on Labor day, were held at 10 a.m. Friday at the Joplin Lutheran Church with Rev. Gary Clark officiating.

Mrs. Sanford Anderson accompanied the Bethel Lutheran Choir who sang "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," "My Jesus I Love Thee" and "Thou Art The Way."

Pallbearers were Bert Alley, Norbert Van Dessel, Douglas Gunderson, Ed McClellan, Maynard Johnson and Eugene Bjornstad. Clifford Anderson and Cecil Heydon were ushers.

Military graveside rites were conducted with Elmer Muncy serving as Officer of the Day. The firing squad was composed of Leo Jensen, George Mattson, Emanuel Gabbert and Clint Fraser with Carl Wood in command. The color guard and bearer were Hubert Ellwein, Mickey Smith, Tim Campbell and Dale Muncy.

Interment was in the Joplin cemetery.

—Havre Daily News

MRS. CORWIN (LUELLA S.) GERINGER

Born: November 18, 1898 - Died: October 8, 1966

Liberty County Times

October 13, 1966

**Mrs. Geringer, Guest
At Rudyard, Died
At Chester Hospital**

Mrs. Corwin (Luella S.) Geringer, 67, retired Lansing, Mich. school-teacher, became ill while visiting in Rudyard and passed away in the Chester hospital.

The body has been forwarded to the Jessen Funeral Home in Lansing for services and burial.

Born on Nov. 18, 1898 in Nebraska, she married Corwin Geringer on Aug. 26, 1953 in Homer, Alaska. She was a missionary with the Christian Church.

Surviving besides her husband are a son David Cone of Tulsa, Okla., a daughter, Mrs. Frank (Carol Jane) Headreck of Houston, Tex., and four grandchildren.

CHARLES PETER GOLBERG
Born: December 9, 1877 - Died: December 31, 1966
Liberty County Times
January 6, 1967

Charles Golberg
Funeral Monday
At Rudyard

Charles Peter Golberg, 88, of Rudyard, a retired carpenter and farmer, died in the Liberty County Hospital Dec. 31. Funeral services were held Monday at 2 p.m. at the Lutheran church in Rudyard.

Charles Peter Golberg was born Dec. 9, 1877, the son of Peder Thorson and Anna J. Golberg, at Westby, Wis. He was baptized and confirmed in the Coon Prairie Lutheran church at Westby. He grew to young manhood there, and on Nov. 2, 1905 he was united in marriage to Katherine Wang, also at the Coon Prairie Church. They celebrated their Golden wedding Nov. 6, 1955 at Our Savior's Lutheran Church at Rudyard. Mrs. Golberg passed away Sept. 19, 1963.

Following their marriage the Golbergs farmed for a short time at Westby, then moved to Minneapolis, Minn., where he worked as a carpenter. In 1910 the Golbergs homesteaded eight miles northwest of Rudyard. They remained on the original homestead until 1947 when they retired and moved to Havre to make their home. Following Mrs. Golberg's death, he made his home with his daughter, and the last year and a half of his life has been spent in the Liberty County Hospital at Chester.

Left to mourn his passing, one daughter, Doris, Mrs. Isaac Rugtvedt of Rudyard, four grandchildren and three great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews in this area and in Wisconsin.

They were members of Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Rudyard until their transfer to Havre, where they were both members of First Lutheran Church.

He was the last surviving member of a family of 14, seven of whom died in infancy, the others growing to manhood and womanhood and all at one time or another migrated to Montana in the early years.

Funeral services were held at Our Savior's Lutheran Church Monday, Jan. 3 with Rev. Joseph Wahlin as pastor. Mrs. Gertrude Aspevig presided at the organ and Walter Woods sang "In the Garden." Pallbearers were: Clarence Patrick, Oscar Goldberg, Arnold Golberg, Harold Goldberg, Leo Sticka, and John Olson. Ushers were Clarence Lynch, Arthur Rugtvedt and Clarence Een. Interment was in Sunset Memorial Garden with Rev. Roald Kindem, Havre, officiating.

MRS. MANLEY GOLDBERG
Born: ? - Died: June 13, 1966
Liberty County Times
June 16, 1966

Funeral Services
June 16 for Mrs.
Manley Goldberg

Funeral services will be held this afternoon, Thursday, June 16, in Helena at 2 p.m. for Mrs. Manley Goldberg, who passed away Monday afternoon, June 13. Details will be published later.

MRS. ETHEL GOOD
Born: November 4, 1883 - Died: December 8, 1966
Liberty County Times
December 15, 1966

Mrs. Ethel Good
Funeral Services
Held Monday

Mrs. Ethel Good, 83 died Thursday, Dec. 8 at a Great Falls hospital, after a short illness. Funeral services for Mrs. Good were at Croxford and Son's, Great Falls, Monday, Dec. 12 at 1:30 p.m. Pallbearers were William Earl, James Pettapiece, Orval Brain, Lawrence Romain, Robert Harwood and Paul Meissner. Interment was in Highland Cemetery, at Great Falls.

Mrs. Good was born Nov. 4, 1883 at Athens, Ind. and married her late husband, Charles Good, in Rochester, Ind., Oct. 30, 1914. They moved to the Chester area in 1916 and homesteaded. They lived there until 1946 when they moved to Great Falls where they lived until 1959. Her husband died in 1959, and since that time she has lived at the home of her son, Charles.

Survivors are a son, Charles O. Good of Chester, four grandchildren and two brothers, Fred Deardorff, Richmond, Ind. and Floyd Deardorff, Athens, Ind.

JANICE & sister SHERRY GOSS
Born: ? - Died: December 24, 1966
Liberty County Times
December 29, 1966

Hamilton Fire Victims Former Residents of Chester Area

Victims of the house fire in Hamilton, where two were killed, and five others burned critically, were former residents of Chester.

Janice Goss, 13, and her sister Sherry were killed in the fire. Janice was born in Chester Sept. 24, 1963.

The pre-dawn fire Saturday morning started in the back porch of the house, when gasoline fumes from two chain saws were ignited by the pilot light of the water heater. The water heater control apparently melted away, allowing natural gas to feed the fire.

Critically burned in the fire were Mrs. Goss, Albert 10, and Anna 5. Mrs. Goss received burns over 90 per cent of her body. A sixth member of the family, Ray 21 was hospitalized in serious condition. His elder brother, Don 23, suffered minor burns, but was not hospitalized.

Their father, Edmund Goss died in June 1965 at Fort Harrison Veterans Hospital.

Friday Charlie Cady received word that his sister, Mrs. Mary Goss had been critically burned when her house at Hamilton exploded early that morning. Two of her daughters, Janice Fay and Sherry died in the fire and everyone was badly burned. After first aid at the local hospital they were transferred to St. Patrick's Hospital in Missoula. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cady, Darell and Stan, Mr. and Mrs. William Cady and family went to the hospital to see the Goss family until Sunday.

Mrs. Goss and her husband Ed lived in Chester at one time and farmed the Cady homestead in the north Joplin community a few years ago.

Sunday morning the hospital reported that Albert Goss was showing some improvement.

GLENN DALE GREENO
Born: June 6, 1959 - Died: November 15, 1966
Liberty County Times
November 17, 1966

**Glenn Greeno, 7,
Killed on Highway
SW of Havre**

A youngster darted in front of a car early this morning on U. S. Highway No. 87 southwest of Havre in Herron's Park and met death when struck by the car. The fatal accident occurred at 7:55 a.m. Tuesday.

The youngster, Glenn Greeno, seven, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Greeno, Herron's Park, was apparently crossing the highway to wait for a school bus at the time of the accident. According to a report by the Montana Highway Patrol, the youngster darted directly in front of a car driven by George M. Torkelson, 63, Edmore, N. D. With Torkelson at the time was his wife. They were headed south toward Great Falls at the time of the accident.

Highway Patrolman Howard Lemm, Havre, who investigated the accident, said the Torkelson car was traveling at approximately 60 miles per hour when the youngster was struck on a recently completed stretch of new paving. The patrolman said the boy was crossing the highway from east to west when he was struck by the car.

Taken to a Havre hospital in the Havre city ambulance, the youngster was pronounced dead on arrival.

Glenn Dale Greeno was born in Havre on June 6, 1959. He was a second grader at Devlin School.

Besides his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale W. Greeno, he is survived by a brother, Terry Lee, five, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Greeno of Rudyard and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Richard of Seattle.

Funeral services have tentatively been set for 2:30 p.m. Thursday at the E. U. B. Church in Rudyard. Burial will be in the Rudyard cemetery.

L. B. HAN
Born: December 28, 1888 - Died: July 31, 1966
Liberty County Times
August 4, 1966

**L. B. Han Funeral
Services Wednesday**

L. B. Han passed away at the Liberty County Hospital July 31, 1966. He was born Dec. 28, 1888 and came to Montana and homesteaded south of Inverness in 1913. He was married to Fanna Reba Luckenbill at Peru, Ind., Jan. 30, 1914. To this union five children were born. Survivors include the widow; three sons, Charles and Kenneth of Inverness and Richard of Las Vegas, Nev.; two daughters, Reba, Mrs. Ken Boucher of Rudyard and Dorothea, Mrs. Roald Haaland of Inverness; one sister, Mrs. Lloyd Buck of Oceanside, Calif.; brother, Hobart of Millroy, Ind.; 18 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren.

He was a member of the Inverness Methodist Church. Funeral services were Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Holland and Bonine Funeral Homes in Havre with Rev. Warren Smith of Fort Benton, formerly of the Hi-Line Methodist Parish, officiating.

A memorial has been established for the Liberty County Hospital, by the family.

**Funeral Held For
L. B. Han**

Funeral services for L. B. Han, 78, Inverness area farmer, were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Holland and Bonine Funeral Home in Havre.

The Rev. Warren Smith of the Fort Benton Methodist Church and the Rev. Lincoln Johnson of Rudyard officiated.

Mrs. Herb White accompanied Barry Kenfield who sang "In the Garden" and "Beneath the Cross of Jesus."

Pallbearers were Lester Kenfield, Orville Lee, Glen Alex, Donald Meyer, Rodney Fraser and Bill Wood.

Kenneth Gutcher and Bob Wood ushered.

Burial was in Highland Cemetery.
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JULIA HANSEN
Born: November 16, 1877 - Died: November 12, 1966
Liberty County Times
November 17, 1966

Julia Hansen
Funeral Services
Held Thursday

Funeral services for Mrs. Julia Hansen of Inverness were at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Holland and Bonine Funeral home in Havre. Mrs. Hansen, 88, passed away Saturday at Thief River Falls, Minn.

Born Nov. 16, 1877, in Otter Tail County, Minn., she was married in 1898 at Herman, Minn., to Edward Hansen, who passed away Feb. 21, 1945. The couple moved to the Inverness community in 1926 and farmed there until their retirement.

Mrs. Hansen is survived by nine children, Ralph of Seattle; Mrs. Agnes Larson of Thief River Falls, Minn.; Joseph of Cuss Lake, Minn.; Mrs. Ann Smith of Inverness; Mrs. Victori Bronson of Seattle; Henry of Inverness; Russell of Chester; Lester of Helena and Carl of Glasgow. One son, Floyd, preceded his mother in death. A brother, Chris Hoff of Clarkston, Wash., also survives, as do 13 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

She was a member of the Methodist Church and the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

—Havre Daily News

ANNIE HARSTAD
Born: May 12, 1956 - Died: April 3, 1966
Liberty County Times
April 7, 1966

Annie Harstad Funeral Wed.

Annie Harstad, nine, died Sunday at her home in Chester. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey N. Harstad, Chester. Funeral services were Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Chester. Survivors in addition to her parents are a sister, Elaine, Chester, and two brothers, Neil, Stead Air Force Base, Nev., and Marlyn, Chester. She was born May 12, 1956, in Williston, N. D., and came with her family to Chester in 1959 from Alexander, N. D.

RUSSELL HAUGEN
Born: ? - Died: August 17, 1966
Liberty County Times
August 18, 1966

**Russell Haugen
Died Suddenly
Services Saturday**

Russell Haugen, former Liberty County resident, passed away suddenly Wednesday morning of a heart attack. Haugen, believed to be in his early forties, until recently had ranching interests in the Whitlash area and was well known there.

Funeral services will be Saturday afternoon, Aug. 20, at 2:30 in Newport, Wash.

OLAI ERICK HOLUM
Born: April 8, 1879 - Died: October 30, 1966
Liberty County Times
November 3, 1966

Funeral Services for Ole Holum in Joplin Wednesday

Olai Erick Holum, 87, passed away Sunday at the Liberty County Hospital. He was a store clerk in Joplin for many years before his retirement.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Wednesday in the Joplin Lutheran Church.

Holum was born April 8, 1879, in Haston County, Minn. He came to Joplin in 1913 from Twin Valley, Minn., and homesteaded 12 miles south of the town.

Survivors include three brothers, Jens Holum of Scobey, Arthur Holum of Great Falls and Garfield Holum of Livermore, Calif. He was never married.

CLINTON HOWE
Born: January 26, 1909 - Died: May 14, 1966
Liberty County Times
May 26, 1966

Clinton Howe Funeral Services In Wisconsin

Funeral services for Clinton Howe, 57, Galata, were held in Grandview, Wisc., May 21.

Howe passed away at the Liberty County Hospital May 14. He had been elevator manager at Galata. He also worked at a number of other elevators from Glasgow to Lothair previous to moving to Galata.

Clinton Howe was born Jan. 26, 1909 at Grandview, Wisc. He was the son of Julius and Effie G. Howe. His mother is still living in Kalamazoo, Mich. Howe never married.

Also surviving are brothers Malcolm of Grandview and Douglas of Washington, D. C., sisters Mrs. Wilhemina Watterson and Mrs. Josephine Starkweather of Kalamazoo and Mrs. Helen Davis of Bangor, Mich.

KATHERINE (KATIE) JENSEN
Born: November 14, 1883 - Died: August 27, 1966
Liberty County Times
September 1, 1966

**Katherine Jensen of
Inverness Died Aug.
27; Services Tues.**

Katherine "Katie" Jensen, 83, Inverness, passed away at the Liberty County Hospital Saturday, Aug. 27. She was born at St. Cloud, Minn., on Nov. 14, 1883. She was married to Jens Jensen at Kenmore, N. D., Nov. 25, 1908. Her husband preceeded her in death Oct. 29, 1946. They moved to Inverness in 1909 and farmed there. She has resided in Inverness ever since.

Rosary was recited at 7:30 p.m. at the Catholic church in Inverness Monday evening with Father T. J. Vanderloop officiating. Services were held Tuesday morning at 10:30. Burial was in the Highland cemetery.

Survivors include three sons, Elmer, Ernest and Arthur, all of Inverness; two daughters, Mrs. Arnold (Irene) McCann of Osburn, Idaho and Mrs. Wendelin (Pearl) Schweitzer, Havre. One daughter, Helen Adams, died in 1964.

She is also survived by two brothers, John Zeltinger of Tolley, N. D. and Joe Dahinden, Minneapolis, Minn., and two sisters, Mrs. Art Morum, Minot, N. D. and Mrs. Joe Zeltinger, Tolley, N. D. and 11 grandchildren, 25 great grandchildren.

JULIA KNUTSON
Born: ?, 1887 - Died: March ?, 1966
Liberty County Times
March 31, 1966

Mrs. Julia Knutson
Died at Eugene, Ore.

Mrs. Julia Knutson, widow of the deceased Edwin Knutson, died at the age of 78 years at Eugene, Ore.

Mrs. Knutson was born at Gronville, N. D. in 1887.

Funeral services were conducted from the Simon, Loundury Chapel at Eugene. Interment was also in Eugene.

She leaves to mourn her death, Mrs. Olga Nimmons, a sister; a niece Mrs. Ruth Van Richard of Minot, N. D., Mrs. Clarence Cross, a sister, Eugene, and several nieces and nephews of Eugene.

Friends at Hingham, Shelby and Kalispell will remember her as a wonderful friend and church worker while in their midst. She was a member of Shelby Lutheran Church.

CLARENCE (KELLY) KOLSTAD
Born: February 11, 1900 - Died: January 20, 1966
Liberty County Times
January 27, 1966

**Clarence (Kelly)
Kolstad Dies;
Funeral Monday**

Clarence J. Kolstad, 65, 3916 7th Ave. S., Great Falls, died late Thursday night in a Great Falls hospital, shortly after he was stricken with a heart attack. He had previously suffered other attacks. Funeral services were held Monday at 2 p.m. at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Great Falls with Pastor J. David Larsen officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery.

Kelly was born Feb. 11, 1900 in Kenyon, Minn. He moved to Chester in 1929 and farmed here until retiring in 1950. At that time the family moved to Great Falls.

He was a member of Our Savior's Lutheran Church and the Elks Lodge of Great Falls.

Survivors are the widow, Annie; a daughter, Mrs. Ronald (Shirley) Stephens and a son, Dayton Kolstad, all of Great Falls; two grandchildren; sisters Caroline Axtell and Alice Kwitnieski, both of Minneapolis, Julie Heyt, Esther Finnegan, Bertha Caren and Stella Henry, all of Fairbault, Minn., and Mrs. Rawleigh (Helen) Smith, Great Falls and brothers, Palmer of Fairbault and Elvin of Minneapolis.

ELMER L. LABORTA
Born: February 13, 1901 - Died: August 1, 1966
Liberty County Times
August 11, 1966

Funeral Held For Elmer LaBorta

Elmer L. LaBorta, 65, retired Rudyard area farmer, passed away Monday, August 1 at a Havre hospital.

La Borta was born on February 13, 1901, in Barron, Wisconsin. He came to Havre in 1913 from Superior, Wisconsin, and in 1914 went to Rudyard.

He was married on Sept. 15, 1940 in Missoula to Esther Bergstrom who survives. In addition to the widow, LaBorta is survived by his children, Ann Marie, June Beverly, Aileen Lynn, Gerard Thomas and Dale Leonard, all of Rudyard, Mrs. Marcel (Myrl Jean) Solum of Inverness, and a sister, Mrs. Julius Rocks of Kalispell. He had one grandchild.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Friday at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Rudyard with the Rev. Joseph Wahlin officiating.

Miss Iris Rugtvedt, organist, accompanied Mrs. Gertrude Aspevig who sang "Beautiful Savior" and "I Know That My Redeemer Lives."

Pallbearers were Victor Gatzmeier, Charles Mikelecky, Sr., Louis Lambott, Victor Adams, Leo Bialik and James Barenok. Ushers were Moris Smith and Stuart Smith.

Interment was in the Joplin Cemetery.

DANIEL S. J. LEIF
Born: August 14,, 1879 - Died: January 5, 1966
Liberty County Times
January 20, 1966

Daniel S. J. Leif
Died in California

Daniel S. J. Leif, 86, of 2528 Bath Street, Santa Barbara, Calif., died at his home Wednesday, Jan. 5.

Born in Carver, Minn., Aug. 14, 1879, he had lived in Santa Barbara since 1942. He was a retired grain buyer with International Elevator Co. in the Midwest.

He was a veteran of the Spanish American War and was a member of Spanish American War Veterans Post 72, of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1649, of Knights of Columbus Council 1684, and the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus.

He leaves his wife, Dorothy, whom he married in Minnesota in 1909; a son, Gerald, and a daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Herring, both of Santa Barbara; four brothers, Andrew of Pasadena, Frank of Milbank, S. D., Peter of Wilton, N. D., and Leo of Norwood, Minn.; and three grandchildren.

Recitation of the Rosary was held in the chapel of the Haider Mortuary. Requiem Mass was at the Old Mission. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery.

Pallbearers were William Morrissey, Ben Burkart, Gordon Johnson, Frank Boeddeker, Charles Benedetto and Joe Carra.

—Santa Barbara News Press

GUSTAF LINDELAND
Born: ?, 1883 - Died: February 7, 1966
Liberty County Times
February 17, 1966

Gustaf Lindeland
Buried at Chester

Gustaf Lindeland, a former Chester resident, passed away Feb. 7, 1966 in Prineville, Ore., at the age of 83.

Lindeland was born in Minnesota and came to the Chester area in 1910 where he homesteaded and farmed south of town until 1913. From here he returned to Minnesota. In 1924 Lindeland went to Oregon where he resided until his death.

He was preceded in death by his

wife, Engeborge, who passed away in Chester on Jan. 15, 1915.

Survivors include two sons; Arnold and George, both of Eugene, Ore. Two daughters, Arline Lindeland of Alaska and Cleo Scott of Prineville, Ore.; a sister, Bertha Nelson of California; three grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Funeral services were Feb. 10 in Prineville. Graveside services were held at the Chester cemetery Feb. 14 at 10 a.m. with Rev. Walla officiating.

THERESA OBERG FAHLGREN LINDSTROM
Born: April 27, 1892 - Died: April ?, 1966

Liberty County Times

April 28, 1966

**Funeral Held in Hinsdale
For Mrs. Theresa Lindstrom
Former County Resident**

Funeral services were held Thursday of last week in the Lutheran church in Hinsdale for Mrs. Theresa Lindstrom, who died in a hospital in Glasgow. Mrs. Lindstrom was a former resident of Liberty County, known here as Mrs. Theresa Fahlgren.

Theresa Oberg was born April 27, 1892, the daughter of Olaf and Anna Oberg, at Washburn, N. D., and spent her early life there. She married Carl Fahlgren in 1912 and they came to Montana, settling south of Joplin in the Black Coulee area. They farmed there for 12 years until Mr. Fahlgren died in 1924. Mrs. Fahlgren and her children then moved back to North Dakota. She married William Lindstrom at Washburn Dec. 16, 1933.

DALE LYBECK
Born: ?, 1956 - Died: August 13, 1966
Liberty County Times
August 18, 1966

Lybeck Boy Killed in Farm Accident

Dale Lybeck, 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lybeck was killed late Saturday when his clothing was caught in the beaters of a self-unloading feed box.

The boy was working with two brothers on the family farm in the Helena Flats community northeast of Kalispell when the accident occurred. Coroner Sol Catron said the boy crawled up the side of the feed box of a truck which was idling and moving slowly. His brother Daryle was in the feed box pushing feed out when Dale's clothing apparently caught in the beaters pulling him into the mechanism, Catron said, adding that death was instantaneous.

Survivors include his parents and three other brothers Duane, Danny and Dirk, and a sister, Monica.

—Great Falls Tribune

WALTER MANGOLD
Born: August 21, 1915 - Died: June 10, 1966
Liberty County Times
June 16, 1966

**Walter Mangold
Services Held in
Inverness Tuesday**

Walter Mangold, 50, Inverness, died Friday at the Liberty County Hospital in Chester. He farmed in the Inverness area.

Rosary was recited Sunday at the Inverness Catholic Church at 7:30 p.m. and Monday at 7:30 p.m. at the Holland and Bonine Funeral Home in Havre. Requiem Mass was at 10 a.m. Tuesday at the Inverness Catholic Church.

Mangold was born at Inverness Aug. 21, 1915 and lived there all his life. He never married.

Survivors include six brothers, Frank, Phoenix, Ariz.; Joe and Leon, Inverness; Mike and Nick, Turner; Andrew, Hingham; three sisters, Mrs. A. P. (Helen) Gangness, Minneapolis; Mrs. Charles (Marie) Cross, Rudyard; and Mrs. Melvin (Barbara) Schaefer, Chester.

—Great Falls Tribune

TEDDY LEE MCFADDEN

Born: February 19, 1941 - Died: March 1, 1966

Liberty County Times

March 3, 1966

Teddy McFadden Dies of Carbon Monoxide in Trailer Home Tuesday

Ted McFadden Funeral Services Friday at Rudyard

Funeral services were held Friday, March 4 at 2 p.m. at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Rudyard for Teddy Lee McFadden, 25, of Inverness.

Survivors besides his widow include his parents, Hill County Commissioner and Mrs. Dean McFadden; two sisters, Betty Rae of Havre and Paulette of Joplin. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Struck of Rudyard.

Ted McFadden was born Feb. 19, 1941. He attended schools at Inverness and NMC. He married Jeanne Maxine Salo.

He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church in Rudyard.

Teddy McFadden, 25, son of Hill County Commissioner and Mrs. Dean McFadden of Inverness was found dead in his trailer home 11 miles north of Inverness Tuesday forenoon. Post mortem examination revealed the cause of death to be carbon monoxide. His wife, Jeanne had been admitted to Liberty County Hospital the previous night, complaining of nausea and headache, and Dr. Buker expressed the opinion that she, too, was suffering from carbon monoxide gas. She had been brought to the hospital by her husband and his mother, Mrs. Dean McFadden.

Leaving Mrs. Jeanne McFadden at the hospital, the victim and his mother went home. After having a cup of cocoa at his mother's home, McFadden departed for his trailer home to retire, about midnight. His mother did not suspect the tragedy until Tuesday forenoon, when she went to arouse him. Dr. Buker and the Chester ambulance were called. Buker pronounced him dead and said he had been dead about five hours.

No explanation has been given as to the source of the carbon monoxide. The trailer house is heated by propane gas.

WILLIAM MCGRATH
Born: July 12, 1875 - Died: October 27, 1966
Liberty County Times
November 3, 1966

**Funeral Services for
William McGrath
Held Monday**

Funeral services for William McGrath, 91, retired Inverness farmer, were conducted at the Holland and Bonine Funeral home Monday.

McGrath died Thursday in the hospital at Chester.

Born July 12, 1875 in Osakis, Minn., McGrath was married in 1902 to Augusta Dow. Mrs. McGrath died in 1942.

McGrath came to Inverness in 1910 and homesteaded north of that place. For the past 16 years he has lived near Troy.

Survivors include a son, Murel, Hope Sound, Fla., and a daughter, Mrs. Esther Cady, Inverness. Also surviving are 11 grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

A daughter Myrtle preceded him in death.

JAMES M. MCQUIGG
Born: ?, 1884 - Died: June 9, 1966
Liberty County Times
June 16, 1966

**J. McQuigg Died
In California**

Funeral services were held Monday at 2 p.m. for former San Pedro resident James M. McQuigg at Temple and LaGorge Mortuary Chapel in Monrovia, Calif.

Mr. McQuigg, 82, died Thursday. He was living at 905 Valley View in Monrovia at the time of his death.

He leaves his wife, Mae, and two sons, Horace of Whittier and Howard of Monrovia, and four grandchildren.

McQuigg was the Pacific Electric agent in San Pedro from 1920 until the 1950's.

He was a past president of the Optimist Club, Chamber of Commerce, a member of First Methodist Church, past master and charter member of AFE Irwin Lodge 645, charter member and past president of Point Irwin OES 512 and a member of Royal Arch Mason, also a member of Jordan Shriners.

McQuigg was agent for the Great Northern at Chester, 1914 to 1920 inclusive when he left with his family for California.

In addition to his wife, two sons and four grandchildren, he leaves his brother John of Seattle, and brothers Harry and Russell of Wooster, Ohio.

He was born in Wooster, Ohio and came west to Montana in 1912. He homesteaded 32 miles north of Chester; many times in the interest of his farm he returned to the Chester area.

He was laid to rest in the beautiful Rose Hills Cemetery of Whittier, Calif., on May 30, 1966.

HAROLD MOORE
Born: September 27, 1916 - Died: November 12, 1966
Liberty County Times
November 17, 1966

Harold Moore
Funeral in Chinook
Thursday

Harold Moore, 50, owner of the Tip Top Cafe and Tavern in Chester passed away last Saturday, Nov. 12 in Rochester, Minn.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in St. Gabriel's Catholic Church in Chinook and rosary will be recited at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Eliason Funeral Home in Chinook.

Harold Moore was born Sept. 27, 1916 in Chinook, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Moore. He attended Chinook schools and was well known in that area.

He is survived by a daughter, Darlene of Spokane, his mother, Mrs. Ole Moore of Chinook; a sister, Mrs. Frank Morelli of Havre, and two brothers, Leo of Chinook and Paul of Lloyd.

THOMAS F. MORGAN, SR.
Born: ?, 1888 - Died: May 11, 1966
Liberty County Times
May 12, 1966

**Tom Morgan Died Wednesday
Funeral Saturday in Deer Lodge**

According to word received here at press time, Tom Morgan died early Wednesday morning at Deer Lodge. Funeral services will be held in Deer Lodge at 8:30 Saturday morning. Further details will be published later.

**T. F. Morgan Sr.
Funeral Services**

Thomas F. Morgan Sr., 78, died in the Powell County Memorial Hospital in Deer Lodge May 11.

A native of Fort Benton, Morgan worked as cowboy for a number of years in the Lewistown area and moved to Deer Lodge in 1941. He was employed as a Montana State Prison guard for 17 years, after which he retired and moved to the Spokane Valley. He returned to Deer Lodge in 1965.

He was a member of the Loyal Order of Moose No. 533 and the Immaculate Conception church.

Survivors include his widow, Frances, of Deer Lodge; son, Thomas F. Morgan Jr. of Lewistown; daughter, Mrs. Mary Mitchell Green of Spokane Valley; sisters, Mrs. Letha Hanson of Chester; Mrs. Mary Carroll of Kevin; Mrs. Alice Burns of Clarion, Pa.; brothers, Matt Morgan, Aravaca, Ariz.; Gordon De Young, Kalispell; and four grandchildren.

Rosary was recited at 8 p.m. Friday night by the Rev. Stephen Tallman at the Immaculate Conception church. Moose services were held at 8:30 p.m. in the Beck funeral home. Requiem mass was held May 14 at 9:30 a.m. at the Catholic church. Burial was at the Hillcrest cemetery in Deer Lodge.

CARL OSCAR NESS
Born: August 13, 1891 - Died: April 2, 1966
Liberty County Times
April 7, 1966

Funeral Services
March 30 for
Oscar Ness, Shelby

Funeral services for Carl Oscar Ness were conducted by Rev. John Pugh in Burns Funeral Chapel Wednesday at 2 p.m.

Pallbearers were Cliff Coover, Donald Schenck, Harry Benjamin, Fernald Landeen, Amos LaFrance and Benj Zell.

Ness passed away in the Toole County Hospital Saturday following a lengthy illness.

Carl Oscar Ness, son of Olaf and Kristi Ness, was born Aug. 13, 1891, in Lake Preston, S. D. He moved with his parents to Canada and from there to Chester where he worked in the bank for several years. He then moved to Browning where he worked in a garage and then to Shelby where he bought the Chevrolet Garage and operated it until 1942 when he sold it and worked on the ration board until 1944.

He then worked in the Toole County court house as auditor in the clerk and recorder's office and for the fair board until his retirement in 1955.

He married Mary V. Telstad at Valier Feb. 7, 1928. They were members of the Methodist Church in Shelby. Ness also was a member of the Masonic Lodge and the Order of Eastern Star.

Survivors besides his wife include two brothers, James of Kalispell and George of Falconer, N. Y.; two sisters, Dora Ross of Great Falls and Harriet Pitts of Hot Springs, and several nieces and nephews.

—Shelby Promoter

PEDER OLSON
Born: January 28, 1880 - Died: July 6, 1966
Liberty County Times
July 14, 1966

Funeral Services for Peder Olson July 9 At Shelby

Funeral services for Peder Olson, who passed away at the Liberty County Hospital July 6, were held at St. Luke's Lutheran Church in Shelby July 9. Pastor Earl Ericksen from Galata officiated at the services.

Peder Olson was born in Oslo, Norway Jan. 28, 1880. He came to Kindred, N. D. at the age of 21 years. On Oct. 24, 1909, he was united in marriage to Julia Sagvold at Minot, N. D. Then in 1910 he homesteaded 10 miles north of Lothair where he spent his entire life. He retired from farming about 14 years ago due to poor health. The last three years of his life were spent in the Liberty County Nursing Home at Chester.

Those surviving Peder are his widow, Mrs. Julia Olson; four children, Mrs. Ovedia Rishoff of Shelby; Adolph, Edwin and Alvin of

Galata; seven grandchildren; eight great grandchildren; two sisters in Norway; and several nieces and nephews. Several brothers and sisters have preceded him in death.

Pallbearers were Lyle Glee, Henry Hawks, Arnold Jeppeson, Harold Markuson, Marvin Rishoff and Sid Rockman. Honorary pallbearers were Fred Fenger, Sigurd Forseth, Ingolf Jeppeson, Hilmer Johnson, Malvin Matteson and Edward Rockman. Mrs. George McGuire sang a Norwegian song and Dr. Lyle Iverson sang an English song. Mrs. Lyle Iverson was the organist. Leo Hawks and Marvin Jeppeson served as ushers. Burial was in Sunset Memorial Gardens in Shelby.

OLAF OPPENBOEN
Born: July 3, 1876 - Died: May 31, 1966
Liberty County Times
June 9, 1966

**Funeral Services in
N. D. for Olaf
Oppenboen June 4**

Olaf Oppeboen, 89, of Joplin passed away Tuesday, May 31, at the Liberty County Hospital in Chester. Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Saturday, June 4 at the Bethlehem Lutheran Church in New Town, N. D.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Emmanuel (Mabel) Keck of Bismarck, N. D., and Mrs. Clara Martinson of Joplin, two brothers, Andrew, Stanley, N. D., and Osmond, Viceroy, Sask., six grandchildren 12 great grandchildren.

Oppeboen, a retired farmer, was born July 3, 1876 in Norway. He came to the United States in 1900 and homesteaded at Van Hook, N. D.

In 1961 he came to Joplin from New Town, N. D. to make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Martinson.

He was married in 1903 at Pidgeon Falls, Wisc., to Miss Anna Dalene, who passed away in 1962.

He was a member of the Lutheran church.

CECIL PATRICK
Born: ?, 1908 - Died: November 12, 1966
Liberty County Times
November 17, 1966

Cecil Patrick
Services Wednesday

Cecil Patrick, 58, died of an apparent heart attack Saturday. Services were set for Wednesday, Nov. 16.

Patrick was born at Rudyard. He married Elizabeth Schaller at Goldstone in 1940. Patrick farmed in the Hingham area for many years. Survivors include the widow; sons Gary and Dennis, Billings, Vernon, Cleveland, Ohio, and Keith, at home; daughters Lynette and Shirley, both at home; brothers Ralph, Malta, Clarence, Donald, Clifford and Wayne at Rudyard, Lloyd and Raymond, Havre and Bernard, Box Elder; sisters Mrs. Gladys Smith, Havre, Mrs. Phyllis Good, Chester and Mrs. Ruth Meredith, Malta.

Requiem Mass for
C. Patrick Wed.

Requiem Mass for Cecil Patrick was said at 10 a.m. Wednesday in Our Lady of Ransom Catholic Church in Hingham. Rosary was recited at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Holland and Bonine Funeral Home in Havre. Fr. Theo. J. Vanderloop, O. Praem., officiated at the services.

Patrick, who was 48, passed away the previous Saturday of an apparent heart attack.

The pallbearers, all brothers of the deceased, were Ralph Patrick, Clarence Patrick, Raymond Patrick and Wayne Patrick. Honorary pallbearers were Bernard and Donald Patrick, John Schaller and Charles Carbone. Ushers were Virgil Jurenka and James Chvilicek.

Interment was in Calvary Cemetery.

GENE EDWIN PIERSON

Born: ?, 1934 - Died: July 11, 1966

Liberty County Times

July 14, 1966

**G. E. Pierson Died
Monday Night**

Gene Edwin Pierson, 32, sheriff of Toole County, died at Shelby Monday night, apparently of a heart attack. Funeral services are set for 2 p.m. Thursday (today) at the Shelby Methodist Church.

Pierson was born at Raymond, Alberta and came to Shelby in 1949. He served four years in the U. S. Marines before joining the Shelby police force in 1954. He later became a sheriff's deputy and served as such until election as sheriff in 1962.

Survivors include his widow, the former Michele Hall, whom he married in 1959; children, Jay 3, Jody 4, and Cory 5; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gib Robarge, Shelby; two brothers and three sisters, all residing outside Montana.

JOSEPH C. POETZL

Born: January 11, 1877 - Died: March 25, 1966

Liberty County Times

March 31, 1966

**Joseph C. Poetzl
Funeral Services
Held Tuesday**

Joseph C. Poetzl, 89, Joplin, died in Liberty County Hospital March 25. Services were held Tuesday, March 29 at 2 p.m. at the Holland-Bonine Funeral Home in Havre with Pastor Gary Clark of Joplin officiating. Burial was in Havre.

Born in Appleton, Wis., he married Bertha Kellermann in 1905 at Winona, Minn. They came to Joplin in December 1912 from Springdale, Wash.

Survivors in addition to the widow are sons Franklin and Herbert, both of Joplin; a sister, Mrs. Hilda Brooks, Duluth, Minn.

He was a member of the Modern Woodsmen of America and the Chester. VFW He was reported as the last surviving Spanish American War veteran along the Hi-Line.

PRESTON W. POLK
Born: ? - Died: November 19, 1966
Liberty County Times
November 24, 1966

**Son of Whitlash
Man Killed In
Viet Nam**

Word was received here Monday that Preston W. Polk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion (Tex) Polk of Whitlash was killed in action in Viet Nam Nov. 19. An army official was said to have been in the Chester area Monday forenoon to deliver the message. Sheriff Bob Remington received the official telegram Monday afternoon. Details are lacking at press time.

HENRY M. POLLOCK
Born: ? - Died: September ?, 1966
Liberty County Times
October 13, 1966

Ex-Hingham Man Dies

Henry M. Pollock, a resident of the Hingham area for 25 years, died at Salem, Oregon.

Burial was October 1 in Salem.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Keith (Ivah) Harris and Mrs. Murtle Link, both of Salem, and Mrs. Hazel Stimmell of California. A sister, Mrs. Charlotte Birchard of Bend, Oregon, four grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren also survive.

—Havre Daily News

WILLIAM LAWRENCE PREESHL
Born: February 28, 1902 - Died: October ?, 1966
Liberty County Times
October 13, 1966

W. Preeshl Rites

William Lawrence Preeshl, 64, Gildford area farmer, passed away at a Havre hospital.

Rosary was recited at 8:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Holland and Bonine Funeral Home in Havre and Requiem Mass was celebrated at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Our Lady of Ransom Catholic Church in Hingham.

Preeshl was born on Feb. 28, 1902 in Glenwood City, Wis. He came to Montana in 1919 and worked as an operator on the Great Northern Railroad until 1924 when he began to farm.

He was married on Nov. 26, 1932 at Hingham to the former Hortense Stephenson, who survives, as do four children, Robert of Chinook, Mrs. Marcus (Joanne) Warren, Hingham, Paul of Hot Springs and Noel of Gildford.

Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. John Goodman of Great Falls and Mrs. Tom Brennan of Wenatchee, Wash., and three brothers, Frank of New Richmond, Wis., Charles of Eau Claire, Wis., and Max of Florida.

He had ten grandchildren.

Preeshl was a member of St. Jude's Catholic Church in Havre and was affiliated with the Havre Elks Lodge No. 1201.

DR. JULIUS RAYMOND REHAL
Born: November 21, 1912 - Died: August 23, 1966

Liberty County Times
September 15, 1966

**Requiem Mass for
Dr. J. R. Rehal in
Washington Aug. 26**

Requiem Mass was held at St. Rita's Catholic Church in Portland Friday, Aug. 26 for Dr. Julius Raymond Rehal, 53, of Stevenson, Wash., who died in Providence Hospital at Portland early Tuesday, Aug. 23. Burial followed at Mount Calvary Cemetery, Portland.

Dr. Rehal had established the Rehal Clinic in Stevenson in 1954, following a period of general practice there. He had been practicing in Stevenson for 22 years.

He opened the public market in Stevenson at the age of 21 between the time of his graduation from the University of Oregon and resumption of medical training, and operated the market for several years. Dr. Rehal also was a founder of the Hegewald Timber Co., one of Skamania County's leading industries. He gave up his interest in that firm two years ago.

He was born in Joplin, Mont. Nov. 21, 1912, and resided in Portland during his early life. He was graduated from Grant High School in Portland in 1930 and from the University of Oregon in pre-medicine in 1934.

Later he attended Reed College and was graduated from the University of Marquette School of Medicine in Milwaukee, Wis. He received his internship at Sacred Heart Hospital, Spokane, and took post-graduate work and general medicine training at several schools and at Polyclinic Hospital in New York City.

In 1945 Dr. Rehal established practice in Stevenson.

He was a member of the Knights of Columbus of Camas and the Elks Lodge at Hood River, Ore., as well as various professional groups including the American Medical Association, the American Academy of General Practice, The Klickitat-Skamania Medical Society and his medical fraternity, Phi Chi.

Surviving are his widow, Hazel, whom he married July 7, 1937; a daughter, Julie Ann; son, Thomas Joseph; three sisters, Mrs. Olga Young of Washougal, Mrs. Gertrude Adkins of Portland, and Mrs. Mickey (Hazel) Schwary of Camas, also numerous nieces and nephews.

OVE MADSEN SATHER
Born: December 14, 1882 - Died: June 27, 1966
Liberty County Times
June 30, 1966

**Funeral Services
Wednesday for
Ove M. Sather**

Ove Madsen Sather, 83, of 409 First Ave. in Havre, passed away Monday in a Havre hospital. Funeral services were 2 p.m. Wednesday at the First Lutheran Church in Havre.

A retired Great Northern carman, Sather was born Dec. 14, 1882 in Lillehammer, Norway, and came to this country in 1918, settling first south of Kremlin and soon afterward moving to Havre. He retired in 1955.

Surviving are five children, Mrs. Emil (Helen) Klies, Anacortes, Wash.; Melvin, Bismarck, N. D.; Arnold, Klamath Falls, Ore.; Orville and James, both of Havre. His wife Oline, passed away Jan. 14, 1955. He had 12 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Also surviving are three sisters, Mrs. Oline Johnson, Fergus Falls, Minn. and Caroline and Elise, both in Norway.

—Havre Daily News

RALPH HENRY SHEPHERD
Born: April 28, 1914 - Died: December 26, 1966
Liberty County Times
December 29, 1966

Ralph Shepherd
Died Monday
Services Wed.

Funeral services for Ralph Henry Shepherd, 52, were held in the Chester Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon with Rev. George York officiating. There was a capacity crowd. Shepherd died in the early morning of Dec. 26 in Chester.

Shepherd was one of the more prominent citizens of Chester, having lived here all his life. He was at one time mayor, and a member of the city council. He had been fire chief, and was a member of the fire department for many years. He was chairman of the board of trustees of the Chester Methodist Church at the time of his death, and all of his life was active in Methodist Church activities. He was a past president of the Chester Parent Teachers Association. He was a Worthy Master of the Joplin Lodge, AF & AM. He was appointed Honorary Dad of the Joplin Assembly No. 63 of the Order of the Rainbow for Girls. He was also very active in other civic, church and community affairs.

Survivors include his widow, Nina, five sons, Gary of Norfolk, Va., Rodney, Douglas, Donald and Danny, all of Chester; his father, Glen of Kalispell; one sister, Mrs. Robert (Carrie) Backen of Lake Oswego, Ore.; three brothers, Neil and Harold of

Chester and Leo of Kalispell and one grandchild, Jeffrey.

Pallbearers were Bill Yackley, Don Gummer, Arlo Graham, Ben Oraw, C. L. Booth and Frank A. Shaw. Ushers were Duane Backen, Boyd Nealy and Monty Nealy.

Ralph Henry Shepherd was born Aug. 28, 1914 in Chester. He was married Aug. 15, 1938 in Chinook to Nina Carol Henderson, who survives.

The Methodist Church choir sang four selections, accompanied by Mrs. Robert Dolderer on the piano and Gayle York on the organ. Interment was in the local cemetery.

Shepherd was manager of the Standard Oil Co. bulk plant in Chester.

ERMA ELEANOR (ERICKSON) SMITH
Born: October 15, 1910 - Died: April 26, 1966
Liberty County Times
April 28, 1966

**Funeral Services
For Erma Smith
Held Monday**

Funeral services for Erma Smith, 56, were held Monday afternoon at 2 p.m. at Our Savior's Lutheran Church with Pastor Joseph Walla officiating. Burial was in the Chester cemetery.

Erma Eleanor Smith was born Oct. 15, 1910 at Fairdale, N. D., to Frederick and Anna Erickson. The family moved to Chester in 1913, where Mrs. Smith had made her home ever since. She was married to Joel Smith Jr., Dec. 5, 1920, he preceded her in death in 1958.

She is survived by three children, Bret Hart (Mickey) of Chester, Betty Lou (Mrs. Allan Standiford) of Lothair and Barbara (Mrs. Frank Dolan) of Gresham, Ore. Sisters, Mrs. Cliff Hanson Sr. of Chester and Mrs. Frederick Ouren of Richland, Wash. Three brothers, Howard, Donald and Oscar, all of Chester and 16 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Bob Matkin, Darby O'Brien, Les Albright, Ralph Shepherd, John Askvold and Willard Rockman. Ushers were Clifford Leighton and Alfred Hanson. Organist was Mrs. Blanche Remington. The Lutheran choir sang three numbers, "In Heaven Above," "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Nearer My God To Thee."

**Funeral Monday
For Erma Smith**

At press time it was learned here that Mrs. Erma Smith died Tuesday afternoon at the state hospital in Galen. No details are available at this time. The funeral will be held in the Lutheran church in Chester, at 2 p.m. Monday.

ARTHUR J. SOLBERG
Born: February 21, 1908 - Died: November 28, 1966
Liberty County Times
December 1, 1966

Art Solberg Died Suddenly Tuesday

The unexpected death of Arthur J. Solberg, 58, administrator for the new Lutheran Home of the Good Shepherd, in a Havre hospital Tuesday morning came as a shock to this community.

Funeral services will be conducted at 10 a.m. Friday at First Lutheran Church. A memorial to the Home of the Good Shepherd has been established.

Solberg began his work as administrator on June 1, 1964.

He is survived by his wife.

Solberg was born Feb. 21, 1908 and reared in northwestern Minnesota. He attended grade school in Winger and was graduated from high school at McIntosh, Minn. He subsequently enrolled at Concordia College, Moorhead, Minn. and was awarded a Bachelor of Arts degree in 1934.

Mr. Solberg was engaged in various enterprises including hardware, appliance and food stores. He also taught and coached in schools at Epping, N. D. prior to becoming a local representative for Lutheran Brotherhood Life Insurance Co.

Solberg moved to Havre in 1955 and was active in First Lutheran as a church school teacher and superintendent.

Under his supervision the new Lutheran Home of the Good Shepherd has been under construction and is slated to open its doors in the near future. Solberg was a dedicated worker in the project and he was highly regarded by officers and trustees of the home.

—Havre Daily News

JOHN STAUDACHER
Born: ? - Died: May 13, 1966
Liberty County Times
May 19, 1966

**John Staudacher
Funeral Services**

Funeral services for John Staudacher of Spokane, Washington were held Friday, May 20 at 8 a.m. from Our Lady of Lourdes Cathedral. Burial was at Holy Cross Cemetery, Spokane.

Staudacher came to Montana with his parents at the age of seven and resided in the Chester and Lothair community until 1946 when he moved to Spokane.

He was married to Ethel Greiner of Lothair on November 1, 1927, and to this union three children were born. She preceded him in death in July 1945.

He is survived by his wife Ruth of Spokane, one son Raymond Staudacher, Belview, Washington, one daughter Mrs. Dick (Mary Evelyn) Wyman of Kalispell and six grandchildren; four sisters, Hazel Keith of Chester; Orpha Bolt of Mesa, Arizona; Esther Williams of Seattle and Nettie Folgers of Duluth, Minnesota and one brother Ray of Seattle.

He was preceded in death by one daughter Margaret Ann and two brothers Leonard and George.

**Funeral For John
Staudacher In
Spokane Friday**

Funeral services for John Staudacher will be held in a Catholic church in Spokane Friday morning, May 20, it was learned here Tuesday. Staudacher died Monday in Spokane following a lengthy illness.

He was well known in this community, as he lived here for many years. He left Chester about 20 years ago.

CARL OLOF SWENSON
Born: June 5, 1893 - Died: July 17, 1966
Liberty County Times
July 21, 1966

**Carl O. Swenson,
Hingham, Dies;
Services in Illinois**

Carl Olof Swenson, 73, Hingham, passed away Sunday at the hospital in Chester.

Funeral services will be held in Lake Zurich, Ill., with burial in the Ridgewood Cemetery, Lake City, Ill.

Swenson was born in Marrom, Bleking, Sweden on June 5, 1893. He came to Hingham in 1917 from Sandwick, Ill. and served in the Army in World War I. Upon his return from the service, he worked at the smelter in Great Falls for five years before returning to Hingham to take up farming. In 1930 he went to Chicago where he was employed as a stationary engineer at Wyes, Inc. until his retirement on June 5, 1958. Following his retirement he returned to Hingham to make his home.

He was married July 25, 1919, in Great Falls, to the former Jennie Lindgren, who survives. Other survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Walter (Florence) Olsen, Lake Zurich, Ill., and Mrs. Fred (Myrtle) Carlson, Rockford, Ill., three grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

He was a member of the Odd Fellows Lodge of Hingham and Aaron Post 788, American Legion in Chicago. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

MRS. GUST (ANNA ARLENE) SYLTE
Born: May 16, 1902 - Died: November 22, 1966
Liberty County Times
November 24, 1966

**Funeral Services for
Mrs. Gust Sylte at
Hingham Friday**

Funeral services for Mrs. Gust (Anna Arlene) Sylte, 64, were conducted at 2 p.m. Friday at the Hingham Lutheran Church.

The well-known Hingham area woman died in a Havre hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Sylte was born May 16, 1902, in Racine, Wis. and came to Montana in 1912 with her parents who homesteaded southwest of Hingham.

She was married June 8, 1925 in Havre to Gust Sylte who survives her.

She is also survived by a son, Ralph, Hingham; two brothers, Charles Mikulecky, Rudyard and James Mikulecky, Great Falls, and four sisters, Mrs. Mary Bonham, Oakland, Calif.; Mrs. Louise Lustgraaf, Great Falls; Mrs. Francis Habeck, Rudyard and Mrs. Alice Brennan, Hingham.

ARCHIE B. TERNSTROM
Born: December 30, 1902 - Died: February 13, 1966
Liberty County Times
February 17, 1966

**Funeral Services for
Archie Ternstrom
Feb. 17 at Joplin**

Funeral services were held for Archie Ternstrom, age 64, Thursday, Feb. 17 at 2 p.m. at the Bethel Lutheran Church in Joplin with Pastor Gary Clark officiating.

Interment was in the family plot in the Joplin cemetery.

Pallbearers were Albert Lincoln, Raymond Lincoln, Vernon Dahinden, John Olson, Frank Moore and Enoch Anderson. Cliff Anderson and Cecil Heydon were ushers. The Joplin Lutheran choir sang several numbers accompanied by Mrs. Sanford Anderson.

Out of town relatives attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Polanchek and family of Darby; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sponheim and family of Great Falls; Mrs. Harold Olson, Benson, Minn.; Marvin Sevalson, New Town, N. D.; Mrs. Nellie Sevalson, New Town, N. D.; Mrs. Erwin Ventch, New Town, N. D.; Mrs. Beuford Berglund, New Town, N. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Anderson, Almont, N. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson, Miss Clara Seim, Clayton Anderson, all of Almont, N. D.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Palmer Lalum, Ande and Diane, Whitefish; Leonard Anderson and Mrs. Henry Lagrou, both of Richland, Wash.

**Ternstrom Rites
Today**

Funeral services for Archie B. Ternstrom, 63, who died Sunday in Spokane, will be held at the Bethel Lutheran Church, Joplin at 2 p.m. on Thursday.

Ternstrom came to Montana at the age of nine from Cyrus, Minn., where he was born Dec. 30, 1902. He attended Joplin schools and farmed south of Joplin for many years.

On June 13, 1931, he married Alice H. Anderson at Bonners Ferry, Idaho. She survives.

Also surviving are a son Louis of Havre; one sister, Mrs. Peter Spoonheim of Joplin and three grandchildren.

MARGARET TOLLEFSON
Born: ?, 1882 - Died: August ?, 1966
Liberty County Times
August 25, 1966

**Mrs. Margaret
Tollefson Died at
Kalispell, Services in
Havre Wednesday**

Mrs. Margaret Tollefson, 84, passed away in Kalispell. Services were in Havre Wednesday at 2 p.m. with burial in Sunset Memorial Gardens.

She was born in Norway and in 1909 was married to Hans Tollefson at Vinje, Norway. Shortly thereafter they moved to North Dakota, then came to Rudyard in 1911 and to Havre in 1947. They have been in Kalispell since 1950.

Survivors include the widower: sons, Alfred, Rudyard and Harold, Santa Barbara, Calif; daughters, Mrs. Clifford Zentzis, Inverness, Mrs. Oscar Johnson, Rudyard and Mrs. Henry Miller, Havre.

—Great Falls Tribune

THERESA JOSEPHINE TROMMER
Born: ?, 1879 - Died: July ?, 1966
Liberty County Times
July 14, 1966

**Mrs. Theresa
Trommer Died
At Kalispell**

Mrs. Theresa Josephine Trommer, 87, Columbia Falls, died in Kalispell. She was born in Truachu, Austria-Germany, coming to the United States as a girl. She married Charles W. Hall in New York, and they homesteaded in the Sweetgrass Hills in 1901. He died in 1907. In 1909 she married Edward Trommer at Fort Benton. She ran the Lothair Hotel at Lothair from 1917 to 1933, when she moved to Chester. She operated the Golden West Hotel until moving to Kalispell in 1945. She moved to Columbia Falls in 1964. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Harry Vahl, Columbia Falls, and a sister in New Jersey.

FATHER THEODORE J. VANDERLOOP
Born: April 8, 1903 - Died: December 16, 1966
Liberty County Times
December 22, 1966

**Father Theo. J.
Vanderloop Died
In Wisconsin**

Rev. Theodore J. Vanderloop, O. Praem. died in St. Vincent Hospital, Green Bay, Wis. Dec. 16, where he was taken after a heart attack. Funeral was Wednesday, Dec. 21 at 4:30 p.m. at St. Norbert Abbey, De Pere, Wis. and burial in the Abbey Cemetery. A Funeral Mass was celebrated in Hingham at 11 a.m. Monday, Dec. 19 for his former parishioners and friends. Rosary was recited Sunday evening, Dec. 18 at 7:30 at Our Lady of Ransom, Hingham.

He was born April 8, 1903 in Little Chute, Wis. He entered St. Norbert College in September 1924. He entered the Norbertine Order the following year. He received his BA from St. Norbert in 1927 and was ordained to the priesthood on Dec. 26, 1930. After ordination he taught at the college until his assignment as assistant pastor of St. John's Church, Essexville, Mich. On July 16, 1937, he was appointed to Sunburst, Mont. and also to its mission, Kevin. January of 1955 he was made pastor of St. Margaret's Church, Cut Bank, where he remained until Dec. 19, 1959 when he came to Hingham. Illness forced his retirement from Our Lady of Ransom Church, Hingham, about a month ago.

CANDYCE ROSS WATSON

Born: May 22, 1945 - Died: June 29, 1966

Liberty County Times

July 7, 1966

Candy Watson Killed When Dozer Falls On Car

MISSOULA—A bulldozer struck a bridge, tumbled off a low truck trailer and landed on an oncoming car Wednesday, killing one woman and critically injuring another.

Killed was Candy Watson, 21, of Hamilton. Injured and unconscious several hours after the accident was Carol Mings, 19, of Missoula. She suffered head injuries and multiple fractures.

Both reportedly were employed at a Salmon, Idaho, night club, managed by Jerry R. Becker, 23, of Salmon, driver of the car.

Highway patrolmen said the bulldozer blade struck the super structure of the Buckhouse Bridge, on U. S. Highway 93, south of Missoula. The impact tipped the huge tractor off the trailer. It had been purchased earlier in the day by Milo Wilson, a Conner logging contractor. The truck driver escaped injury.

Becker suffered fractures of the leg and ankle and cuts.

Funeral services for Candyce Ross Watson were held at the Dowling Chapel in Hamilton Saturday. Rev. Willard Leisy of Havre officiated. Interment was in Riverview Cemetery, Hamilton. Pallbearers were Richard Brown, Bruce Kidder, Gary Moen, Steve Moen, Robert Mathews and Eddie Mathews, cousins of the deceased and Bert Solle, cousin-in-law.

She was born May 22, 1945 in Chester.

EDITOR'S NOTE—Candy Watson was the daughter of former Liberty County Treasurer and Mrs. Ed. Ross. The Times erroneously printed her name as Candy Rogers last week.

MATTHEW WEHR
Born: ?, 1887 - Died: May 31, 1966
Liberty County Times
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Matthew Wehr Funeral at Havre

Matthew Wehr, 79, retired Rudyard area farmer died at a Big Sandy nursing home. Services were held at 2 p.m. at the Holland and Bonine Funeral Home in Havre with Rev. Joseph Wahlin officiating. He died Tuesday, May 31.

Survivors include the widow, Louise; son Clarence, Rudyard; daughters Mrs. Lester (Ruth) Van Wechel, Rudyard; Mrs. Chapman, Helena; Mrs. Kenneth (Elaine) Miller, Joplin; brother Emmanuel, Ft. William, Ont.; sisters Mrs. Nick Lauer, Sand Point, Idaho; Mrs. Amelia Berard, Kirkland, Wash.; six grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

He was born in North Dakota and married in 1908 in Anamoose, N. D. In 1910 they homesteaded seven miles south of Inverness. He entered the automotive business in 1919. He sold this business in 1947 and continued farming until 1955.

LESTER ELLIS WYNN
Born: ?, 1938 - Died: April 12, 1966
Liberty County Times
April 14, 1966

Louisiana Man Killed in Fall From Train

Lester Ellis Wynn, 28, from Louisiana, was killed in a fall from a freight train sometime early Tuesday morning, about 200 yards east of the Buelow siding about six miles east of Chester. The accident happened about one-quarter of a mile east of the site of the head-on collision of the Empire Builder and Western Star March 7.

According to Sheriff Bob Remington there were no indications of foul play. The man was last seen in Shelby Monday. He was a transient laborer. Death was attributed to severe skull and rib cage fractures and abrasions.

The engineer of the Empire Builder noticed the body lying on the north side of the right of way. He notified the depot in Chester and the depot agent called the sheriff's office. Remington and Fire Chief Howard Eveland recovered the body. It was taken to Havre for identification.