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of three touchdowns. A 15-point difference at this time is rated as conservative, indicating that the Sioux are figured to win by something like four or five touchdowns.

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Coach Red Jarrett of the Sioux fears that the Bison may play their top game of the season. This would be no surprise. In contrast, he is worried about his own team. He doubted he would be able to keep a sharp edge for last Friday's game against the Iowa Teachers, a game in which the two North Central conference's only unbeaten teams were matched. To keep the Sioux up for the Bison game would mean doing the same thing for four consecutive weeks. How-



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First Of 800 DPs Destined For N. D. Go To Foster, Griggs

Washington (AP)—Seven of the 800-odd displaced persons arriving from Europe this week will seek new life in North Dakota.

Arriving at New York on the S. S. General Black, which sailed from Bremerhaven Oct. 21, the North Dakota-bound men, women and children come from the war-ravaged countries of Europe.

The newcomers are entering the United States under the displaced persons act of the last congress. This provides for a total of 205,000 displaced persons to enter this country during the next two years.

The official listing of those in the first group who are destined for North Dakota:

Apoloniusz Marcinczyk, 48, married, Polish physician, Catholic; sponsor, National Catholic Welfare conference; destination, Cooperstown.

Galina Marcinczyk, 30, married, Ukraine housewife, Catholic; sponsor, National Catholic Welfare conference; destination,

Cooperstown. Bohdan Ochockyj, 26, married, Polish garment worker, Greek Catholic; sponsor, Lawrence J. Steinbach, National Catholic Welfare conference; destination, Carrington.

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Stanislaw Szczepanik, 29, single, Polish auto-mechanic, Catholic; sponsor, S. L. Lumma, National Catholic Welfare conference; destination, Cooperstown.



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Mrs. McInnes Is Dead At 75

Mrs. A. J. McInnes, 75, of 1364 Fifth st S, died at 12:15 p. m. Wednesday in a Fargo hospital. Mr. McInnes is executive secretary of the Community Welfare association.

Mr. and Mrs. McInnes came to Fargo from Valley City, N. D., in 1928. Before assuming the Community Welfare post in 1939 he was associated with the Northwestern Bell Telephone company.

Mrs. McInnes was a native of Canada. Their daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Stahlem, resides in Los Angeles, and is en route here. A brother, H. E. Stover of Ninga, Man., Canada, and a niece, Mrs. Gordon McKay, Killarney, Man., are in Fargo.

Mrs. A. J. McInnes Rites Not Yet Set

Time for services for Mrs. A. J. McInnes, 1364 Fifth st S, awaits arrival of relatives. Mrs. McInnes died Wednesday.

Her daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Stahlem of Los Angeles, was expected Thursday. A granddaughter, Mrs. Jackson T. Marland, Washington, D. C., has arrived in Fargo. Other survivors, not previously listed, are another granddaughter, Mrs. John Peterson, Buena Park, Calif., and a great-grandson.

Annie Adelaide Stover was born Dec. 15, 1874, at Norwich, Ont., Canada, and was educated there. She was married in Canada in January, 1906, to A. J. McInnes, a native Canadian who had come to Dazey, N. D., and acquired a farm there.

They settled on the farm at Dazey, moving to town in 1910. Mr. McInnes later became associated with an independent telephone company. In 1922, they moved to Valley City, N. D., where Mr. McInnes was district manager for Northwestern Bell Telephone company. He was transferred to Fargo in 1928, and retired from telephone service in 1939, becoming executive secretary of the Community Welfare association the same year.

A member of the Methodist

Mrs. McInnes Services Today

Services for Mrs. A. J. McInnes, 1364 Fifth st S, will be at 2 p.m. today in Ivers chapel, Dr. C. Maxwell Brown, pastor of First Methodist church, officiating.

Mrs. P. E. Mickelson will sing with Clara Pollock organist. Pallbearers will be A. I. Johnson, M. A. Bursack, Norman G. Tenneson, R. R. Bor-

man, Aubrey S. Mrs. McInnes Hook and Emmett Kennedy. Burial will be in Riverside cemetery. A resident of Fargo since 1928, Mrs. McInnes died Wednesday.



Cooperstown Man Gets Williston School Post

Cooperstown, N. D. — Edgar Mark, superintendent of schools here since 1948, has been named principal of the Williston, N. D., high school. Mark, a World war II veteran, has taught school at Neche and Leeds, N. D., Felton, Minn., and McIntosh, S. D. He was graduated from Hatton, N. D., high school and the Mayville, N. D., state teachers college. He received a master's degree from the University of North Dakota.

Griggs 4H Youth Gets Award For Meat Animal Production

A veteran 4H member, Merle E. Michaelson of Dover township in Griggs county was named for the 1951 North Dakota achievement award in meat animal production.

NDAC extension service said the 20-year-old club member has netted \$5,659 in 10 years of sheep, baby beef, swine and beef breeding projects.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Michaelson, he lives on a 1,120 acre farm with his parents. His father is a former 4H champion also.



MICHAELSON

Services Set For Mikel Mikelson

Hannaford, N. D.—Services for Mikel Mikelson, 74, who died in his home here Sunday, will be at 1 today in Hannaford Lutheran church, Rev. Roy W. Gilbertson officiating. Burial will be in St. Olaf cemetery at Walum, N. D., Sinclair funeral home in charge.



Mikelson

Mr. Mikelson, a retired farmer, was born March 14, 1877, in Hedemarken, Norway. He was married in Burlington, W. Va., Jan. 31, 1901, to Sadie Simmons. Mrs. Mikelson died last February.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. John (Faye) Neilson, Hannaford; a brother, John, Hannaford; four sisters, Mrs. Howard Gould, Valley City; Helga Hunter, Windsor, Ont.; Mrs. Ed Dahl, Bengough, Sask., and Mrs. Tina Hankin, Petoskey, Mich., and three grandchildren.

John M. Mark, 69, Fargoan's Father, Dies

John M. Mark, 69, lifelong resident of Steele County, N. D., died Friday at Hatton, N. D. He was the father of Mrs. Obert (Grace) Grindelund, 1315 Tenth Ave. S.

Services will be at 2 Thursday in Goose River Lutheran Church, west of Hatton, of which he was a lifelong member. Olson, Hegg and Pederson Funeral Home is in charge. Mrs. Grindelund will attend.

Born in Steele County, then Dakota Territory, Aug. 23, 1882, Mr. Mark was educated at Hatton and attended NDAC and Carleton College, Northfield, Minn. He married Margit Aasen in Goose River Church in October, 1903. They had farmed in Newburgh Township, Steele County, since.

Besides Mrs. Mark and Mrs. Grindelund he leaves two sons, Edgar of Williston, N. D., and John of Lakota, N. D.; two other daughters, Mrs. Clair (Mayme) Kjorlien, Grand Forks, and Mrs. Engebret (Gertrude) Sondreal, Northwood, N. D.; a sister, Mrs. Beata Johnson, Ames, Ia.; 19 grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

A son, Loren Mark of Fargo, died Jan. 25, 1939.

Mr. Mark had served as Steele County Treasurer, and had been active in township and school



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TO HEAD CAMPAIGN

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Through a special arrangement with University officials, McDermott was able to transfer his credits and complete his work for an A. B. degree at Harvard college while he was attending law school.

In 1920, he received his A. B. degree from the University of North Dakota. In 1922, he was awarded his law degree from Harvard.

After his graduation, he worked for a Boston law firm for two years. In May, 1924, he married a Radcliffe college student in Cambridge, Mass., and he and his wife moved to Chicago the same year.

Called to Washington

From 1924 to the spring of 1927, McDermott worked with the law firm of Hopkins, Starr and Hopkins.

In 1927 he was called to Washington, D. C., to serve as assistant counsel of the joint committee of the house and senate on internal revenue taxation.

Charles D. Hamel, another University graduate, was committee counsel. On his resignation, McDermott became full counsel and served in the nation's capital until 1929, when

he rejoined the Chicago law firm.

January 1, 1934, McDermott started his own law firm, McDermott, Will and Emery. The firm, one of the most prominent in Chicago, is located at 111 W. Monroe St.

During World War II, McDermott served as a consultant in the office of war mobilization. At the same time, John Hancock, another prominent North Dakota alumnus, and the famed Bernard Baruch were working with the OWI to develop procedures for handling the termination of war contracts.

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Active on Campus

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Taught at Early Age

Miss Johnstone was 15 years old when she was drafted to teach a one-room school at Manvel in 1885. In order to teach, she was required to pass an examination provided by the county superintendent of schools.

She taught in the school for six summers, keeping up her high school and University work. Despite the additional load, Miss Johnstone completed high school with a 97.3 average. She also graduated from the University with a rating of Phi Beta Kappa.

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JUNE 30, 1951

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474 Get Degrees

Degrees were conferred on 474 persons in Memorial stadium June 5 as the University graduated the second largest class in its history.

Honorary degrees of doctor of laws were awarded to Edward H. McDermott of Chicago, attorney who was the commencement speaker, and

Chester Fritz of New York, international financier who was revisiting the campus for the first time in 40 years.

An honorary degree of doctor of humanities was conferred on Miss M. Beatrice Johnstone, 1891 graduate, for her many years service as an educator.

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His younger son, John, 20, is a sophomore at Williams college in Williamstown, Mass.

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Graduation Exercises Scheduled

Commencement exercises this year will be held June 4 and 5 and the principal speaker will be Edward McDermott, 1920 University graduate and now a prominent Chicago lawyer.

Class reunions are being planned and letters will be sent to alumni through the Alumni Office giving details. Special programs are being planned for the classes of 1901, 1926 and 1941.

Present plans call for holding the annual alumni meeting and banquet in the Student Union, which is in the final stages of construction.

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SPEAKER PROMINENT CHICAGO ATTORNEY

From a boyhood in Cooperstown, N. D., at the turn of the century, Edward McDermott, the University's 1951 commencement speaker, has risen to an eminent position in Chicago and national legal circles.

The prominent lawyer was born August 17, 1896, in Cooperstown, where his father was a pioneer settler.

After completing his elementary and high school studies in Cooperstown, McDermott enrolled at the University of North Dakota in September, 1915.

Enlists in Army

His campus sojourn was interrupted in May, 1917, when he and two of his best friends enlisted in the army soon after the United States entered World War I.

The three enlistees were destined, in later years to rise to the top of their chosen fields. Besides McDermott, the other two University undergraduates who enlisted were Paul Shorb and Howard Houston.

Shorb, until his recent death, was a partner in the Washington, D. C., law firm of Covington, Rublee, Acheson and

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W. Margach, 50 N. D. Pioneer, Dies At Age 95

William Margach of Hannaford, N. D., died about 5 a. m. Tuesday in a Fargo hospital. He would have been 96 in November.



Born in Scotland Nov. 11, 1854, Mr. Margach came to Dakota Territory in 1881, homesteading in Emmons county. He came to the Hannaford area in 1896.

A retired carpenter and farmer, Mr. Margach had made his home for some years with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sinclair of Hannaford. For a number of years they had observed the custom of holding open house in his honor each Armistice day.

There are no immediate survivors. A brother, Peter, died years ago. Services will

Margach Rites Will Be Today

Hannaford, N. D.—Services for William Margach, 95, Dakota Territory pioneer, will be today at 1:30 in the W. D. Sinclair home and at 2 in Hannaford Presbyterian church.

Rev. W. Ray Radliff will officiate. Burial will be in Bartley township, Griggs county.

Pallbearers will be Herbert and Gustav Sonju, Andrew Wahl, Carl Heyerdahl, Kenneth Beattie and Adolph Grover. Honorary pallbearers will be Claus Jackson, C. P. Schmidt, Chris Furaas, Melvin Sonju, Marcus Palm and Thomas Dailey.

An Emmons county homesteader, Mr. Margach married Christine Berge of Wisconsin in 1906. She died in 1910.

A carpenter for a time, Mr. Margach helped build the old Black building in Fargo and some of the business places of Casselton, N. D. He had served as county commissioner of Emmons county and had been clerk of Bartley township.

Samuel McCorvie Rites At Cooperstown Today

Cooperstown, N. D.—Services for Samuel McCorvie, former resident of Blaisdell and Palermo, N. D., will be at 2 today in S. J. Quam funeral home. Rev. C. M. Rasmussen will officiate.

Mr. McCorvie died March 24. Born in Ontario, he moved to Blaisdell and had farmed there 45 years before his retirement. He had resided five years in Palermo.

He leaves a brother, Neil McCorvie, Marysville, Calif.; a sister, Mrs. Nancy Kennedy, Toronto, Can., and several nieces, including Mabel and Pearl Davidson, Cooperstown.

Mrs. Messner Rites Held At Tolna

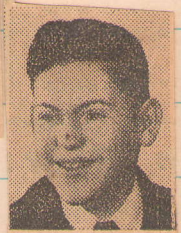
Tolna, N. D.—Services for Mrs. Albert (Agnes) Messner, 57, former resident here, were held Tuesday in Bergen Lutheran church south of Tolna, Rev. T. K. Spande officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery with S. J. Quam funeral home of Cooperstown in charge.

Mrs. Messner died Saturday in a Minneapolis hospital. For the last six years she had resided in Minneapolis.

The former Agnes Stahl, she

was born at Pekin, N. D., Nov. 30, 1892, and was married to Mr. Messner Dec. 18, 1912. They farmed south of Tolna until Mr. Messner's death in 1939.

She leaves three sons, Jacob of Minot, Earl, Minneapolis and Russell, New Brighton, Minn.; a daughter, Mrs. Marian Erlandson, Minneapolis; three brothers, William, Francis and Thomas Stahl, Pekin, and two sisters, Mrs. Frank Mensen, Heron Lake, Minn., and Mrs. Mary McDermott, Seattle, Wash.



Daniel Miller Binford

Mrs. Mortenson 58 Dies Here At 74

Mrs. M. H. Mortenson, 74, of 1517 First av S, formerly of Courtenay, N. D., died about 5 p. m. Thursday in her home. She had resided at Courtenay from 1904 to 1943 and in Fargo since.

Services will be at 2:30 today in Merrill Moore mortuary, Dr. Roland G. Hohn, pastor of First Methodist church, officiating.

The body will be taken to Courtenay for services in the Presbyterian church there at 2:30 Sunday, Rev. W. Ray Radliff officiating. Burial will be at Courtenay.

Born at Helsingborg, Sweden, Aug. 29, 1875, Beata Kristofferson came to New York in 1900 and to North Dakota in 1904. She was married to Theodore Anderson of Courtenay in 1905. They farmed at Courtenay until his death in 1920.

In 1922 she was married to Mr. Mortenson. They continued to reside at Courtenay until 1943 when they came to Fargo. She was a member of the First Methodist church here.

Besides Mr. Mortenson she leaves three sons and two daughters, by her first marriage, Arthur Anderson, at home; Roy of Courtenay; Albin of Britton, S. D.; Mrs. Lillian E. Schoeler, 1524 First av S, and Mrs. Hamlin Saxerud, Cooperstown, N. D. She also leaves 13 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Michaelson 50 Rites At Hannaford

Hannaford, N. D.—Services for Mrs. Ole (Maria) Michaelson, 84, were Thursday in Hannaford Lutheran church, Rev. Roy W. Gilbertson officiating.

Pallbearers were Carl Heyerdahl, Omer Michaelson, Glen Broten, Clarence Evenson, Orville Pederson and Otto Olson. Burial will be at Sutton, N. D., in the spring with W. D. Sinclair funeral home in charge.

A former resident here, Mrs. Michaelson died Monday at Bridger, Mont. For the last 14 years she had been residing there with a son, Elmer. She was born in Norway Sept. 14, 1865.

She leaves three sons, John of Jensen Beach, Fla., here to attend services, Charles W. of Hannaford, and Elmer; a daughter, Mrs. Bessie Halverson, Santa Monica, Calif.; a sister, Mrs. Martha Michaelson, Wolf Point, Mont.; six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Maurer, 86, Dies At Binford 50

Binford, N. D. — Services for Mrs. Elizabeth Maurer, 86, a Barnes county resident for over 77 years, will be at 2 Monday in Trinity Lutheran church here, Rev. A. O. Burlaugh officiating.

Mrs. Maurer, who died Thursday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Alm of Binford, will be interred here.

A native of Scotland where she was born in 1864, Mrs. Maurer came to the United States as a young woman. She was married to Hiram Maurer Dec. 18, 1883 in Barnes county.

Surviving are two children, John Maurer and Mrs. Alm of Binford, and one brother, Thomas Davidson of Portland, Ore. There are five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

S. J. Quam funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

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Miss Myer

Mrs. Lena Myer of Binford, N. D., announces the approaching marriage of her daughter, Ruth Marie, to Herman Urness of Dahlen, N. D. The wedding will be Friday in West Prairie Lutheran church near Binford.

THESE NEW CITIZENS were guests of the Fargo Kiwanis club at a luncheon in the Graver hotel following naturalization ceremonies in federal district court Tuesday. It was the second largest class to be naturalized in Fargo.

Front row, left to right, Ellen N. Carlson, Finley; Christine E. McWethy, Fargo; Eil en M. Larson, Fargo; Agnes M. Haberlach, West Fargo; Bertha S. Ernst, Enderlin; Martha C. Olson, Fargo; Mildred C. Benson, Dazey; Maria Erickson, Forman. Middle row, left to right, Amund Larson, Kathryn;

Helmut F. Westrich, Fargo; Heino F. Behrends, Fargo; Lilly Overbo, Hope; Gwendoline Isakson, Fargo; Doris Glock, Wahpeton; Thelma H. Breiland, Fargo.

Rear row, left to right, Gustav W. Carlson, Finley; Alfred Amundson, Fargo; Edward J. Beetz, Fargo; Hans Pederson, Luverne; Thorvald Hansen, Fargo; and Edwin J. Nyrud, Christine.

Bernard H. Hillyer, Fargo; Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. Hunsicker, Fredonia, and Alice K. Gilmore, Fargo, were absent when the picture was taken. (Fargo Forum photo)

Kiwanis Fetes New Citizens



JOHN B. MCWETHY, Jr.
Sec.-Treas. and Asst. to
the Pres.

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Fargoans In Leading Roles At Convention 58

J. B. McWethy, Sr., president of the Dakota Tractor company, and S. F. Laskey, president of Northwestern Equipment, Inc., will play prominent roles in the annual convention of Associated Equipment Distributors in Chicago Jan. 15-18, inclusive.

Mr. McWethy is a regional director of the group representing North Dakota, South Dakota and Minnesota. Mr. Laskey is a member of the national program committee arranging for the convention.

Representatives of all the heavy equipment firms in Fargo will attend the sessions. They include, besides Dakota Tractor and Northwestern Equipment, the Myhra Equipment company, Midwest Equipment company, Smith, Inc., and Sweeney Brothers, Inc.

Meeting



Funeral Held For Mrs. Mathison

Dies in Fargo Hospital Last Friday; Rites Held In Local Church

Funeral services were held in the Presbyterian church of this city Monday for Mrs. Elmer Mathison, 56, who passed away in a Fargo hospital following a period of poor health dating back to a seige of typhoid last fall. Rev. C. C. Converse officiated.

Well known in this community, Mrs. Mathison was taken to Fargo for treatment about ten days before her death, where physicians declared she was too weak to undergo an operation. Death was attributed to cancer of the liver and resulting complications.

Stricken with typhoid last fall, she spent several weeks in a hospital and never fully regained her health. A son, Jennings, who was taken ill with the disease at the same time, passed away.

Born Caroline Fors February 27, 1883, in Hargedalen, Sweden, she came to the United States at the age of 21, taking residence first in McIntosh, Minn., and removing the same summer to Romness township, Griggs county.

She was married to Elmer Mathison in Binford on February 19, 1907, and to this union six children were born.

Survivors include one son, Raymond of Lompoc, Calif., four daughters, Pearl and Ruth of Cooperstown, Arlene of Minneapolis and Charlotte of Kansas City, Mo.; one brother, Swen Fors of Binford and three sisters who reside in Sweden.

Interment was made in the Cooperstown cemetery.

Rev. L. C. Meyer, 59, Of Sutton Dies

Sutton, N. D. — Rev. L. Clyde Meyer, 59, retired pastor of the Assembly of God church of Binford, N. D., died in his home here Wednesday. He had retired several years ago because of illness.

Born at Jordan, Minn., March 3, 1891, Rev. Mr. Meyer came to North Dakota in May, 1944.

He leaves Mrs. Meyer; three brothers, Maj. G. R. Meyer, in Texas, H. Lisle Meyer, St. Paul, and James C. Meyer, LaCrosse, Wis., and two sisters, Mrs. William McIntosh, Los Angeles, and Mrs. George Heaney, with the army in Bavaria, Germany.

S. J. Quam funeral home of Cooperstown is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Melby, 45 Years In N. D., Dead At 80

Aneta, N. D.—Mrs. Olaf (Serine) Melby, 80, resident of North Dakota 45 years, died Wednesday in the home of a son, Stephen, between Aneta and Cooperstown.

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Born in Benson county, then Dakota Territory, Mr. Messner came to Valley City as a boy and had resided here since.

He leaves Mrs. Messner; a son, Vernon of Hettinger, N. D.; a daughter, Mrs. Robert (Leila) Hillingstad, McClusky, N. D.; his stepmother, Mrs. Rella Messner Cowen, Binford, N. D.; a sister, Mrs. Martin Brock, Valley City, and a half-sister, Mrs. Arthur Rosco, Binford.

Funeral Held For Mrs. Mathison

Dies in Fargo Hospital Last Friday; Rites Held In Local Church

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Albert I. Monson, 80, a prominent resident of Griggs and Steele counties since 1881, died at his home in Cooperstown last Saturday evening, following a short period of illness. Mr. Monson was one of the earliest settlers in the county, coming here with his parents as a young boy from Montevideo, Minn., where the family had lived two years, after making their home in Iowa.

He was born in Allamakee county, Iowa, May 6, 1867, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Even Monson, one of five children. They left Iowa in 1879 and made their home two years in Minnesota, then joined the trek toward Dakota territory which was then just opening up for settlement. The family traveled by means of the covered wagon, using six weeks to make the trip here, where the father had filed on a claim that spring.

In June 24, 1890, he married Miss Mathilda Qualey, and alternately followed farming and various business ventures. Included in the latter was ownership of a livery barn in Cooperstown, a machine business in Finley and a meat business also in Finley. He was elected sheriff in 1914 and held the position four years, after which he again returned to the farm. He retired and moved into Cooperstown several years ago.

Funeral services were held from the Cooperstown Lutheran church yesterday, with Rev. H. J. Hansen officiating.

Surviving are Mrs. Monson; two daughters, Myrtle and Mrs. Edwin Bolkan, and a son, Mel-fred, all of this locality.

June 10, 47 **ATTEND MONSON FUNERAL—**

Visitors here last week to attend funeral services for the late Albert I. Monson included Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leach and Janice of Towner; Mr. and Mrs. Ward Nelson, Mrs. Eva Barrett and Ida Serumgard, Devils Lake; Edward Wasness, Aneta; Michael Maurseth, Northwood; Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Stensby, Mrs. Carl Bolkan, Mrs. Clara Windness, Mrs. Anna Jenson and James, Fargo; Elmer and Arthur Hegge, New England; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Austin, Mott; Mrs. Otto Johnson, Alpha; Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Meldahl, Mr. and Mrs. Alph Overby, O. T. Engeness, Mrs. Annie Peterson and Mrs. Valdine Carlson, Finley.

Mrs. Ernest Michaelis left last Friday for Seattle, Wash., for a visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wisdahl, and other relatives and friends.

ELIAS MOAN, PIONEER PASSED AWAY AT HOME SATURDAY

Elias Moan, Griggs county pioneer, passed away at his home in Lenora township Wednesday, July 29th, at the age of 78 years and 5 months. A resident of Griggs county since 1882, Mr. Moan had come to be known to practically everyone as one of the real pioneers of the county. Born in Trondhjem, Norway, in 1847, he came, while still a young man, to America in 1870, going first to Houston county, Minnesota. In the spring of that same year he was married to Gurine Amundson, who came with him to Griggs county in 1882 and established a home on the farm in Lenora which they occupied until their deaths. Mrs. Moan died in 1917. Seven children were born to this union, only two of whom survive. They are Adolph Moan of Lenora township and Mrs. Nels Albin of Spiritwood, this state.

Mr. Moan was one of the real builders of Griggs county. Industrious and interested in the community of his residence he gave himself to many ventures which have aided in its building and its reaching the splendid position it occupies today. He will be very greatly missed by all who knew him.

Capt. Murphy Of Bismarck Killed

Bismarck, N. D.—(P)—Capt. Lloyd G. Murphy, 30, Bismarck, was killed last Dec. 15 in the sinking of a Japanese prison ship, his father, R. B. Murphy, was informed Friday.

Taken prisoner at the fall of Bataan, Captain Murphy survived the "March of Death," and malaria while a prisoner at Cabanatuan.

Captain Murphy was born July 21, 1914, at Michigan, N. D. He came to Bismarck with his parents in 1922 and in 1932 was graduated from Bismarck high school as salutatorian. He was the first Bismarck boy to become an Eagle Scout.

He graduated from North Dakota university in 1937, and he coached athletics at Cooperstown, N. D., and Gillette, Wyo., until going into service Aug. 1, 1940.

In addition to his father, he is survived by a brother, Lt. E. Bruce Murphy, and a sister, Miss Rita Murphy, Bismarck high school instructor.

Memorial services will be held in St. George's Episcopal church today.

His father formerly was chairman of the state board of administration, secretary of the board of higher education and long prominent in state educational circles.



Murphy

Pioneer Resident Of Riverside Dies

Funeral Services Held Last Saturday for Mrs. Andrew Morgan

Mrs. Andrew Morgan, 71, a resident of Riverside township in Steele county for half a century, died Thursday morning of last week at her farm home.

Services were conducted at the farm home last Saturday afternoon by Rev. C. C. Converse, pastor of the Cooperstown Presbyterian church. Interment was made in the Hope cemetery.

Mrs. Morgan was born at Russeldale, Ont., May 7, 1865. She was married in Canada in 1886 and shortly thereafter came to Steele county where she spent the rest of her life.

She had been in ill health for several months. Two weeks ago she took a turn for the worse.

Her widower survives her as does her son, Wilfred J. She has three sisters Minnie Voight, Oakes, N. D.; Clara Shive, Santa Paula, Calif., and Ethel Fletcher, Seattle.

Granddaughter of John Mills
Lucille Mills Is Wed Thursday

Couple Will Make Home in Jamestown; Service Held at Mills Home

Lucille Mills, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Mills, residing south of Cooperstown, became the bride of Franklin G. Erickson of Jamestown in a ceremony performed in the Mills home on Thursday of last week. The double ring ceremony was used and Rev. C. C. Converse of this city read the vows.

Attendants were Jeanette and John Mills, sister and brother of the bride.

A five o'clock wedding dinner was served at which members of the immediate families and close friends were present. Mrs. C. W. Parker of Minneapolis played the wedding march; she also played at the wedding of the bride's parents.

The couple will make their home in Jamestown where Mr. Erickson is employed.

MRS. PETER MICKELS WAS BORN IN GRIGGS COUNTY IN YEAR 1886

Oct 1, 1925
The funeral services last Wednesday over the remains of Mrs. Lizzie Trost Mickels and her infant son, who lived only a few hours after his birth and death of the mother at Elkton, S. D., on September 19th, were attended by scores of old friends. Many had not known of her death until after the funeral, else attendance would have been much larger than it was. The remains were laid at rest in the Cooperstown cemetery.

Mrs. Mickels was born in Griggs county September 16, 1888, being three days over 37 years of age at the time of her death. She was the daughter of Mrs. Augusta Trost, who survives her.

On February 3, 1913, she was united in marriage to Peter Mickels. For two years they resided in Cooperstown and then moved to Elkton, S. D., where they have since made their home. In addition to the husband three daughters and one son survive. These children, ranging in age from three to twelve years, and the husband and mother, have the deep sympathy of the entire community. A sister of the deceased, Mrs. O. B. Barfus, also survives.

Mrs. Mickels was christened and brought up in the Lutheran faith. She was a splendid lady and a wonderfully fine mother and wife, whose untimely death is a terrible blow to the entire family. Cooperstownians who remember Mrs. Mickels all

PVT. WAYNE E. MACK, nephew of Miss Mollie Moe of Cooperstown, was killed in December, 1944, in the European area. He had been missing since Dec. 31. A paratrooper, he served at Tunis, in Africa and the Anzio beach in Italy. He enlisted in Battery F, coast artillery, anti-aircraft, of Moorhead, in January, 1941, and was called to active service the next month. In August, 1943, he transferred to the paratroops and trained at Fort Benning, Ga. He went to England in January, 1944, and served with the 82nd paratrooper division. Besides his aunt, he leaves a father engaged in war work on the west coast, and three brothers, Stanley, a paratrooper, Jerome who is stationed here and Dean attending Cooperstown high school.



Mack

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CONTINUING A TRADITION of several years standing, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sinclair will again hold open house Tuesday, Armistice day, for William Margach, 93. Mr. Margach is Hannaford's oldest citizen. He was born Nov. 11, 1854, in Scotland and came to the United States in 1881. He homesteaded in Emmons county. In 1896 he moved to Griggs county.

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W. A. McCulloch, Cooperstown, Dies

Cooperstown, N. D.—William Albert McCulloch, 73, died Thursday in a Jamestown hospital. Services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Presbyterian church here, Rev. K. P. Wufestad officiating. S. J. Quam funeral home is in charge.

Mr. McCulloch was born Aug. 15, 1873, in St. Mary's, Ont., and came to Sanborn, Dakota territory, in 1881, moving with his family to Jessie in 1883. From 1899 to April, 1946, he farmed near here, retiring and moving into town then.

Survivors are Mrs. McCulloch, the former Mary Tufeland, whom he married June 28, 1905; a daughter, Mrs. Alex (Irene) Clipper, Burbank, Calif.; a son, Leonard, Cooperstown; two sisters, Mrs. Joe Bailey, Bengough, Sask., and Mrs. Elizabeth Pratt, Cooperstown, and a brother, Graham, Cooperstown.

Irene McCulloch Becomes Bride

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Irene McCulloch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCulloch of Cooperstown, to Alex Clipper of Hollywood, Calif., on Tuesday, March 12. The ceremony took place in a Hollywood church.

The bride is well known in the Cooperstown vicinity, having graduated from the local high school in 1926. She attended school in Minneapolis and during the past 11 years has been employed by physicians and dentists in Los Angeles and Hollywood.

The groom is a native of Antwerp, Belgium. He studied music in Europe, and has been employed as an organist and orchestral director in New York. He is now employed in Hollywood as an organist.

Mrs. Edith Miller Dies In Florida

Mrs. Edith E. Miller, 74, former Fargoan, died Saturday in Lakeland, Fla. She was the mother of Aubrey S. Hook, 1329 Broadway.

Born in Ontario Dec. 19, 1872, she was married to John Hook there. They came to the U. S. about 1897, living in Minneapolis for a time. They later lived at Engelvale, Edgeley and Cooperstown, N. D., and Dilworth, Minn., where Mr. Hook died in 1923.

Mrs. Hook came to Fargo in 1926 and in 1927 was married to Clarence A. Miller, chief dispatcher for the Northern Pacific railroad. They moved to Minneapolis about 1933. Mr. Miller died in 1945, and Mrs. Miller had since made her home with her son or her daughter, Mrs. R. W. Baker, Des Moines. She spent the winters in Florida.

Funeral services will be in Des Moines at a time to be set.

Obituary

1922

Another of our pioneers is gone. Grandma Marquardt passed to the Great Beyond on February 24, 1922 at the age of 68 years and 10 days.

Emelie Perchert was born in Germany. There she was married in September, 1877 to Emil Marquardt. In 1880 she emigrated to the United States and in 1883 came to Cooperstown where she had lived until her untimely death. Seven children were born to her. Of these four died in infancy. The three living children are Theodore and Otto of Cooperstown and Mrs. Scott LaMont of Moorhead, Minnesota.

Funeral services were held at the Lutheran church on February 27, and interment made in Riverside cemetery at Fargo.

One more of the pioneers is gone. One more of our kindly friends will greet us no more. Thru all the years of pioneering and its hard work, there was always the same kindness, the same friendliness, the same spirit of helpfulness towards every person who had the privilege of knowing her whether as an acquaintance, a friend or a member of her family.

Such were the every day evidences of her fine Christian character. These are just a few of the things the community is already missing, the things which make such a large part of the joys and duties of life.

To the lonely husband and the grieving children the sorrow is great. A mother has merely gone on before to welcome them when their race is run.

Our friend has finished her allotted task in our midst. Her earthly life is ended, but her many virtues will not be forgotten.

Mrs. Monear, Once Of Cooperstown, Is Dead

Mrs. Lawrence D. Monear, 35, of Livingston, Mont., former resident of Cooperstown, N. D., died Sunday in Livingston after a long illness—according to word received here.

The former Helen Nelson was born at Cooperstown May 25, 1911, and was married to Mr. Monear in October, 1929. She was a member of the Lutheran church and of Order of Eastern Star.

Besides her husband, she leaves a son, Terry; two brothers, Perry of Waterloo, Iowa, and Wallace, Wasseon Mich., and four sisters, Ednah, Ruth and Deborah of Los Angeles and Pearl of Morenci, Mich.

Funeral services will be today in Cooperstown Lutheran church.

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Death Occurs at Badger, Minnesota, October 17, from Heart Attack

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Daisy Belle Merriman, mention of whose death was made in these columns last week, was the 3rd eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams, and was born on the farm in Ball Hill, Griggs county, Nov. 18, 1898. There she grew to young womanhood and there she attended school until moving with her parents to Cooperstown. She was united in marriage to William C. Merriman, assistant cashier of the Galata State Bank, at Galata, Mont., May 1st, 1918, and there the young couple established a home. There they resided until death claimed the young bride, on April 4, 1919, eight days after giving birth to a baby boy.

The funeral was held at Galata, April 6th, and the remains laid to rest in the Galata cemetery.

Mrs. Merriman is survived by her parents, five sisters and six brothers, who together with many friends in Montana and in Griggs county, sincerely mourn her passing.

Anton Mustad Is Buried Tuesday

Was Steele County Pioneer, But Resided In This City Two Years

Funeral services for Anton Mustad, 67, pioneer resident of Steele county, were held from the 11 o'clock funeral home in Finley Tuesday with Rev. V. E. Boe officiating.

Mustad died at Jamestown June 27, which was his birthday. He had been a resident of Cooperstown during the past two years during which time he was in ill health.

He was born in Trempleau court Minnesota, June 27, 1873 and came with his parents and four other children to homestead in what is now Franklin township in the fall of 1887.

Survivors include two brothers, Albert J. and Gilbert Mustad, both in Finley, and two sisters, Mrs. M. Berg of Ketchen, Sash., and Mrs. Belle Sansburn of Cooperstown. His sister, Mrs. O. L. Hillstad, died in 1917, while a brother, Julius, late of this community, passed away in 1918. Interment was made in the Finley cemetery.

Mrs. Marson Dies On Christmas Eve

Funeral Services To Be In Lutheran Church on Saturday

Mrs. Algernon Marson, farmwoman living in Ball Hill township south of Cooperstown, was fatally stricken with a sudden heart attack on Christmas eve and passed away at 9:45 that evening.

Death came following an eight months illness with a chronic heart condition.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Lutheran church in this city, Rev. I. O. Jacobson officiating. Burial will be in the Cooperstown cemetery.

Alice E. Best was born at Devils Lake, N. D., November 14 1889, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Best. In the year 1915 she was married to Mr. Algernon Marson in Los Angeles, Calif., where she then resided. The couple returned to North Dakota to farm near New England and later took up a residence in New Rockford.

Mrs. Marson had been in poor health since her arrival in this community with her family some seven months ago, suffering from an acute heart ailment.

Besides her widower, one child, Ella Vivian, 16, survives.

Former Resident 103, Is Taken

Aged Man Succumbs In Olympia, Wash.; Once Resided in Dover

Andrew Miklethun, 103, one-time resident of Dover township who was born when Andrew Jackson was president of the United States, died recently at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Cecelia Magnuson of Olympia, Wash., according to information received here this week.

Had he lived until Tuesday of this week he would have been 104.

By strange co-incidence, Miklethun split his lifetime in equal parts between his native land, Norway, and his adopted country, the United States. He came to this country at the age of 52 years.

He was born in Eldfjord-Hardanger, Norway, May 14, 1836. He was a gunsmith by trade. Married in Norway, he brought his family to Wisconsin and later to Griggs county.

While residing in Dover township, Mrs. Miklethun passed away at the age of 82.

Since 1922 he had made his home in Washington state, where he lived with grandchildren in Shelton until 1937 when he went to Olympia.

He was the paternal head of five generations. He had four children, 20 grandchildren, 19 great grandchildren, and ten great great grandchildren. He is the grandfather of Mrs. Minnie C. Anderson of Hannaford.

MAGNUSSEN DIES

Was Formerly A Resident of Bartley and Dover Townships

News of the death of Ole Magnusson at Olympia, Wash., October 24, this week reached friends in Bartley and Dover townships where Mr. Magnusson at one time lived. A third stroke caused his death. He leaves his widow. He was 78 years old.

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Born in Sweden Aug. 20, 1882, he came to Griggs county at 16. He leaves Mrs. Magnuson, whom he married here in 1907; four daughters, Mrs. Sivert Bolkan and Mrs. Hartvig Leean of McHenry, N. D.; Mrs. George Christianson, McVile, N. D.; Mrs. Arthur Vrem, Pekin, N. D., and two brothers, Carl and Emil, in Saskatchewan, Canada.

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Was Steele County Pioneer, But Resided In This City Two Years

Funeral services for Anton Mustad, 67, pioneer resident of Steele county, were held from the 11 o'clock funeral home in Finley Tuesday with Rev. V. E. Boe officiating.

Mustad died at Jamestown June 27, which was his birthday. He had been a resident of Cooperstown during the past two years during which time he was in ill health.

He was born in Trempleau county Minnesota, June 27, 1873 and came with his parents and four other children to homestead in what is now Franklin township in the fall of 1887.

Survivors include two brothers, Albert J. and Gilbert Mustad, both in Finley, and two sisters, Mrs. M. Berg of Ketchen, Sask., and Mrs. Belle Sansburn of Cooperstown. His sister, Mrs. O. L. Hilstad, died in 1917, while a brother, Julius, late of this community, passed away in 1918. Interment was made in the Finley cemetery.

Mrs. Marson Dies On Christmas Eve

Funeral Services To Be In Lutheran Church on Saturday

Mrs. Algernon Marson, farmwoman living in Ball Hill township south of Cooperstown, was fatally stricken with a sudden heart attack on Christmas eve and passed away at 9:45 that evening.

Death came following an eight months illness with a chronic heart condition.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Lutheran church in this city, Rev. I. O. Jacobson officiating. Burial will be in the Cooperstown cemetery.

Alice E. Best was born at Devils Lake, N. D., November 14 1889, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Best. In the year 1915 she was married to Mr. Algernon Marson in Los Angeles, Calif., where she then resided. The couple returned to North Dakota to farm near New England and later took up a residence in New Rockford.

Mrs. Marson had been in poor health since her arrival in this community with her family some seven months ago, suffering from an acute heart ailment.

Besides her widower, one child, Ella Vivian, 16, survives.

Former Resident 103, Is Taken

Aged Man Succumbs In Olympia, Wash.; Once Resided in Dover

Andrew Miklethun, 103, one-time resident of Dover township who was born when Andrew Jackson was president of the United States, died recently at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Cecelia Magnuson of Olympia, Wash., according to information received here this week.

Had he lived until Tuesday of this week he would have been 104.

By strange co-incidence, Miklethun split his lifetime in equal parts between his native land, Norway, and his adopted country, the United States. He came to this country at the age of 52 years.

He was born in Eidfjord-Hardanger, Norway, May 14, 1836. He was a gunsmith by trade. Married in Norway, he brought his family to Wisconsin and later to Griggs county.

While residing in Dover township, Mrs. Miklethun passed away at the age of 82.

Since 1922 he had made his home in Washington state, where he lived with grandchildren in Shelton until 1937 when he went to Olympia.

He was the paternal head of five generations. He had four children, 20 grandchildren, 19 great grandchildren, and ten great great grandchildren. He is the grandfather of Mrs. Minnie C. Anderson of Hannaford.

MAGNUSSEN DIES

Was Formerly A Resident of Bartley and Dover Townships

News of the death of Ole Magnusson at Olympia, Wash., October 24, this week reached friends in Bartley and Dover townships where Mr. Magnusson at one time lived.

Victor Magnuson Of Griggs Dies

Cooperstown, N. D.—Victor Magnuson, 65, retired Rosendahl township (Griggs county) farmer, died here Tuesday after a year's illness. He had lived at Cooperstown since 1945.

Born in Sweden Aug. 20, 1882, he came to Griggs county at 16. He leaves Mrs. Magnuson, whom he married here in 1907; four daughters, Mrs. Sivert Bolkan and Mrs. Hartvig Leean of McHenry, N. D.; Mrs. George Christianson, McVillie, N. D.; Mrs. Arthur Vrem, Pekin, N. D., and two brothers, Carl and Emil, in Saskatchewan, Canada.

Funeral services will be at 2 p. m. Saturday in the Lutheran church here, Rev. H. J. Hanson and Rev. A. O. Borlaug officiating. The body is at the S. J. Quam funeral home.

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Griggs County Pioneer Passed On Thursday

Edward O. Michaelis, one of the pioneer residents of Griggs county, and for the past twenty-one years a resident of the city of Cooperstown, passed away at his home Thursday evening, following an illness since last July, the last month being constantly confined to his bed.

Due to an advanced age Mr. Michaelis has not been in good health for several years and an ordinarily strong physique was unable to withstand the inroads which illness made upon him.

Edward Otto Michaelis was born in Germany on September 12, 1842. On October 5, 1868, he was married to Bertha Graff, who preceded him in death in 1914. In 1860 he immigrated to Canada, and made his home in the province of Ontario until 1882 when he and his family came to the United States and settled on a farm near Cooperstown. There he remained until twenty-one years ago when he moved to Cooperstown, where he made his residence until death.

The immediate family surviving him are his second wife, three daughters, Mrs. Wm. Trost of Jessie; Mrs. George Stevens of Cooperstown; and Mrs. R. G. Rawley in Canada; three sons: Herman, Ernest and Paul, all living in the Cooperstown vicinity. One brother and one sister, both living in Germany, also survive.

Funeral services were held at the Bethlehem church on Sunday afternoon, and burial was made in the Cooperstown cemetery. — Sentinel-Courier

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Richard Michaelis Dies Last Friday

Appendicitis Attack Proves Fatal To 14 Year Old Griggs Boy

Following an attack of appendicitis June 12 and the setting in of general peritonitis five days later, Richard Michaelis, 14 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Michaelis, died in a hospital in Valley City last Friday. The Rev. G. O. P. Parish of the First Methodist church in Valley City officiated at services for the boy in the Presbyterian church here Monday afternoon.

He was taken to the Valley City hospital on June 17 after becoming worse after the attack on June 12. An immediate diagnosis showed that peritonitis had developed and that an operation would be fruitless. He lingered on growing gradually weaker until death came Friday evening. Richard Alexander Michaelis was born July 11, 1921, being 14 years 11 months and 22 days old at the time of his death. He was graduated from the eighth grade in 1935.

He leaves to survive him his parents and four sisters and two brothers, Mrs. J. L. Kramvik and Mrs. Henry Urness of Cooperstown, Mrs. Melvin Ulstad of Anaconda, Mont., and Grace, Raymond and Harold at home.

MR. MYHRE DIED AT HOME OF DAUGHTER NEAR BINFORD

Funeral services were held at the Lutheran church, Binford, Monday, over the remains of Mr. Myhre, a Griggs county pioneer, who passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Matt Rorvig. Only one child, Mrs. Rorvig, survives. A story of the life of Mr. Myhre will be contained in these columns next week.

Theodore Miller Of Cooperstown Dead

Cooperstown, N. D.—Theodore Miller, 52, bachelor Griggs county farmer, died late Saturday in the McVillie hospital.

He was a native of the county and had resided in the area continuously except for his service in World war I.

The funeral will be at 1 p. m. Wednesday in the Bethany Free Lutheran church north of Binford. The body is at the S. J. Quam funeral home here.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Mary Miller of Aneta; four brothers, Carl and Arthur of Binford, and Henry and Elmer of Aneta, and three sisters, Clara and Marie living with their mother, and Mrs. Hilma Stromme of Minneapolis.

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John G. Mills, 81, Died at Hannaford Last Wednesday

Prominent Farmer and Stockman Dies From Infirmities of Old Age

John G. Mills, pioneer Griggs county farmer and well known over the state for his accomplishments as a livestock breeder, died at his home in Hannaford last Wednesday afternoon. Death came after a prolonged illness due to the infirmities of old age.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2 o'clock from the Presbyterian church in Hannaford, Rev. E. J. Meyer of Pillsbury officiating. Interment was made in the cemetery west of Hannaford. Pall bearers were members of the Workmen lodge of which Mr. Mills was a member of long standing. They were H. H. Swingen, A. C. Brown, Palmer Flesjer, B. M. Lunde, Walter Richardson and Frank Paulson.

Obituary

John Graham Mills was born on May 23, 1854, at South Durham, Quebec, and at the time of his death was 81 years 6 months and 4 days old. His early boyhood was spent at his home in Canada, and when twenty-one years old he moved to Ontario, making his home with an uncle, Wm. Graham. He moved to North Dakota in 1881 and in 1882 returned to Ontario where he was united in marriage to Miss Mary Fletcher. They immediately moved to North Dakota where they made their home on the farm south of Cooperstown, now occupied by his son, George, until 1912, when they moved into Hannaford.

Mr. Mills was prominent in many activities, being well known throughout the state for his success as a breeder of livestock. For his success in this line he was honored a few years ago by having his portrait hung in the hall of fame in the North Dakota Agricultural college. He was active in all civic and community affairs and took a deep interest in church work.

He is survived by his wife, two sons: George of Hannaford and Milton of Mexico, New York; and one daughter, Mabel M. Parker of Minneapolis; five grandchildren: Lucille, Florence, Janette and John Rodney Mills of Hannaford; Jean Parker of Minneapolis and William Mills of New York; three sister and one brother residing in Canada.

Charles Marson Died April 27th

Charles Marson, Griggs county's oldest citizen, passed away last Thursday at his home in Ball Hill township. Funeral services were held at the home Sunday afternoon at one o'clock and at the Presbyterian Church in Cooperstown with a sermon by Rev. Le Roy C. Cooley, D. D., pastor, and interment was in the Cooperstown cemetery.

Charles Marson was born January 11 1841, at Derby, England. He was married April 10, 1864, to Sarah Halford at Barrow Leistershire. They made their home at Quorn, England, where nine children were born and one child was born after their coming to Cooperstown. His wife died thirteen years ago. Of the ten children in the family three have died, Herbert Halford, Edward Samuel, and Samuel Raymond, the only child born in this country. The seven children are Mrs. Fanny Maria Thompson, of Luverne; Mrs. Mary Jane Spencer of Cooperstown; David Henry, Los Angeles, California; George William, of Cooperstown; Mrs. Lily Rachel Lindsey of New Rockford; Algernon Laurance of New Rockford and Mrs. Leone Violet, Lothair, Mont. There are twenty grandchildren and fourteen great grandchildren.

The family came from Quorn, Leistershire, England May 22, 1889, and landed at Philadelphia June 8, 1889, and arrived at Cooperstown June 13, 1889. For three years they made their home on section one, three miles north of Cooperstown and since that time their home has been on the family farmstead south of Cooperstown.

Mr. Marson was connected with the Baptist church. He was well known and very highly esteemed in the community. Mr. Marson was the oldest man in the county in years, but active and energetic, although ailing all winter a little and the end came peacefully Thursday, April 27, 1933. He had reached the good old age of 92 years, three months and sixteen days.

Here has ended a life which has extended for a period of more than ninety years. He lived to see great changes. Coming from England, which is a country about the same

size as North Dakota, he left a land which now has a population of thirty-nine millions and our state has but little more than 600,000 at the present time. He saw the coming of the modern inventions, including means of transportation, electric power, gasoline power, submarines,

airplanes, automobiles, and means of communication by telegraph, telephone and radio. What a contrast it is between the ox teams of the early days on the trails across the prairie and the fast moving powerful tractors and automobiles of the present day. Will his grandchildren, now in infancy, live to see such changes? It may be that greater changes and revolutions will come in the days before them, but these changes are not likely to be so much in the field of invention, although doubtless present inventions will be improved in time to come; but who can tell what kingdoms will rise and fall and what nations will be developed and what social conditions will prevail on the earth one hundred years from the present day?

Be that as it may, there is one who changeth never and that is the Lord Jesus Christ, who is the same yesterday, today and forever. Righteousness and integrity and honor and duty can never change. The voice of conscience does not depend upon a telephone or a radio. It speaks of God and heaven in the human heart.

The race is not to the swift nor the battle to the strong. Mr. Marson was frail in appearance, but he has borne the weight of years. Our times are in God's hands. God who has given us life, will not fail us in the hour of death. I know that my Redeemer liveth, and that he shall stand at the latter day upon the earth: and though after my skin hath been destroyed, yet without my flesh shall I see God, whom I shall see for myself. Job 19:25.

—Contributed.

Knute Monson Is Buried Last Week

Well Known Griggs Farmer Dies Suddenly from Heart Ailment

Funeral services were conducted a week ago Wednesday for Knute J. Monson, well-known farmer in Griggs county for the past 19 years, from the Sheyenne Valley church, Rev. V. E. Boe of Finley conducting the services. Interment was in the cemetery of that church.

He passed away at his farm home eight miles northeast of Cooperstown November 26, at the age of 64 years and one month. Three years ago he had been seriously ill with pneumonia and since that time his health was known to be steadily failing. Death resulted from heart complications.

During his residence in Griggs county he had always been an active member of the community in which he lived and for many years served as a member of the Washburn township school board.

Knute J. Monson was born October 26, 1870 in Alamaki county, Ia., the son of Even and Ingeborg Monson. He came from Iowa with his parents at the age of seven years when they settled in Steele county. On July 28, 1904 he was united in marriage to Hannah Rismon of Tolna, N. D., and to this union six children were born, three boys and three girls. One girl, however, preceded him in death. In 1915 he moved into Griggs county where he has since made his home.

Surviving him are his widow and the five children: Mrs. Albin Arneson, Kenneth, Edna, Raymond and Theodore. Four brothers also survive. They are Henry of Fowler, Mont., Hans of Decorah, Ia., Even of Finley; and Albert of Cooperstown.

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MRS. P. A. MELGARD

Residents of Cooperstown since 1883, in whose honor a large crowd gathered at the Lutheran church Sunday evening, to assist them in celebrating the golden anniversary of their wedding, which took place on October 11, 1880, at Lanesboro, Minn.

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Golden Wedding Observance Held at Lutheran Church Here Sunday

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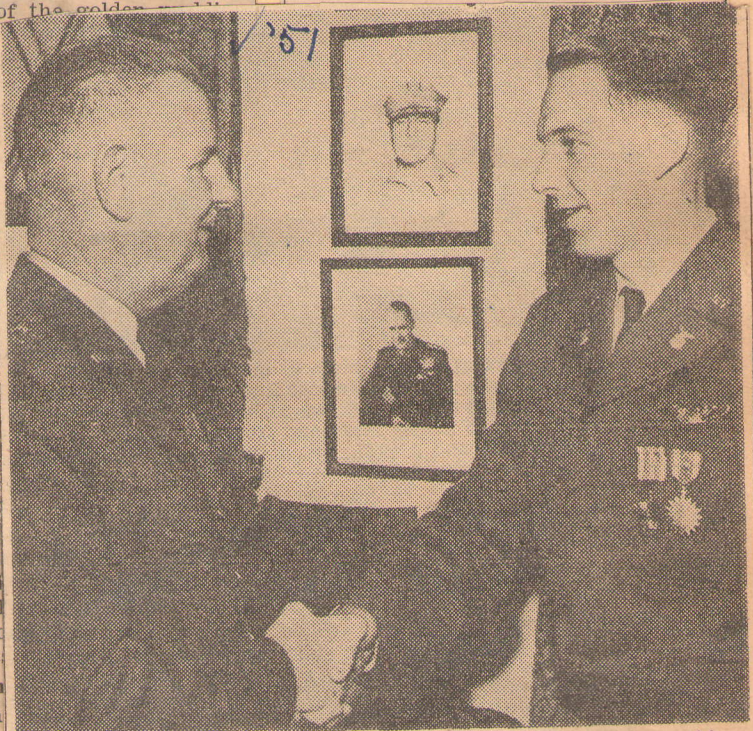
Observance of the golden anniversary of members of held at the church on Sunday. County Auditor Melgard were honored and sponsored by those of which Mrs. Melgard were charter members. A large crowd of guests were present to the honored

Rev. G. R. Estrem, former local pastor, gave the opening prayer. Musical selections were given by the choir, a duet by Herman Bolkan, and Burnette Thomsen, solo by Mrs. Melgard. Both given. Both E. T. Silness, of the congregation, voiced the gathering in relations and well who have so important part.

Following the banquet, guests sat down to a quiet prepared church, at which presided as toastmaster H. P. Hammer. E. Nelson, Lew Young, Mrs. Will H. Carleton, Rev. Estrem, G. R. Estrem, and Mr. Melgard were present. All were happy, followed by a presentation of gold watches to the guests.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Melgard were born in Norway, the former on August 31, 1853. He attended public and high school in the land of his birth and emigrated to this country in the year 1867, going to Coon Prairie, Vernon county, Wisconsin. He was confirmed there in the year 1868 by the Rev. Preus. He left Coon Prairie for Rushford, Minn., that year, and in the fall the journey was further extended to Lanesboro, and the following year to Albert Lea, where he was employed on a farm and taught school for three and one-half years. He then returned to Lanesboro, accepting employment in a general store.

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CAPT. ROBERT B. MELGARD of Grace City, N. D., receives the congratulations of Lt. Gen. George E. Stratemeyer (left), who decorated the Foster county youth with the Distinguished Flying Cross and a fifth Oak Leaf cluster to the Air Medal. Capt. Melgard, aide de camp to Gen. Stratemeyer, received the medals from the general during a ceremony in Tokyo. After the presentation Gen. Stratemeyer said, "Capt. Melgard, as my aide de camp, on several occasions begged permission to go to Korea to fly combat missions. Finally, with my reluctant consent, he departed and over a 90-day period flew 63 combat missions against the enemy in F-80 Shooting Star jets. I am proud to have him back at his old position as my aide de camp and pilot."

ership and extraordinary achievement while leading an exceptionally successful armed reconnaissance mission in the area of Taejon, Korea. Though subjected to intense and increasingly accurate ground fire, Captain Melgard led his flight in on repeated attacks against the enemy, resulting in the destruction of two supply trucks, three warehouses containing supplies, two other buildings housing fuel, and a large number of personnel."

Capt. Melgard was graduated from advanced pilot school at Aloc air force base, Texas, in March, 1944 as a rated pilot, and during World war II spent 18 months in China, where he flew 40 combat missions in F-51 and F-40 type aircraft.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Melgard of Grace City. He attended Jamestown college at Jamestown.

The citation says Capt. Melgard "exhibited outstanding lead-

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Mr. Melgard In Service of County Great Part of Residence Here

Observance of the golden wedding anniversary of two of the charter members of the congregation was held at the Cooperstown Lutheran church on Sunday, October 12, when County Auditor and Mrs. P. A. Melgard were honor guests at an affair sponsored by the Ladies' Aid society, of which Mrs. Melgard is one of the charter members and organizers. A large crowd of friends and relatives were present to extend felicitations to the honored couple

Rev. G. R. Estrem of Maddock, former local pastor, presided. Musical selections were rendered by the choir, a duet by Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Bolkan, a piano solo by Miss Burnette Thompson and a vocal solo by Mrs. Monroe Berg were also given. Both Rev. Estrem and Rev. E. T. Silness, first pastor of the congregation, voiced the sentiments of the gathering in extending congratulations and well wishes to the couple who have so long been intimate and important parts of the community.

Banquet at Six

Following the formal program the guests sat down to an excellent banquet prepared by the ladies of the church, at which Benj. Tufte ably presided as toastmaster, calling on H. P. Hammer, John Syverson, Peter E. Nelson, Lewis Berg, Mrs. Chas. Young, Mrs. P. C. Paulson, Judge Will H. Carleton, Supt. A. M. Paulson, Rev. Estrem, Rev. Silness, Mrs. G. R. Estrem, G. A. Renden of Mandan and Mr Melgard. All responded happily, following which the honor guests were presented with a purse of gold appropriate to the occasion.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Melgard were born in Norway, the former on August 31, 1853. He attended public and high school in the land of his birth and emigrated to this country in the year 1867, going to Coon Prairie, Vernon county, Wisconsin. He was confirmed there in the year 1868 by the Rev. Preus. He left Coon Prairie for Rushford, Minn., that year, and in the fall the journey was further extended to Lanesboro, and the following year to Albert Lea, where he was employed on a farm and taught school for three and one-half years. He then returned to Lanesboro, accepting employment in a general store.

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Came Here in 1883

In 1883 they joined the large number of people moving westward and landed at Cooperstown, D. T., where they have resided ever since. His first employment was as bookkeeper with the Stevens & Enger hardware store, and during the latter's first term as county treasurer was his deputy. In 1888 he was elected auditor, serving in that capacity most of the time since then, either as auditor or deputy, his last tenure of office extending since 1918 when he succeeded H. S. Rearick after serving several years as his deputy. He has been a member of the Cooperstown school board for a period of thirty years.

The Melgards are charter members of the Norwegian Lutheran church, Mr. Melgard being its first secretary. He is a member of the Masonic bodies in Cooperstown and of the Fargo Scottish Rite and Shrine bodies.

Four sons have been born to the union, three living: O. J., of Grand Forks; A. J., of Aneta and Fred of Grace City.

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Nels Markuson Dead At Montana Home

The news of the death of Nels K. Markuson on Wednesday, April 21, came as a shock to his many Hannaford friends and acquaintances. Mr. Markuson, for many years a grain buyer, made many friends here who mourn his passing. The following is an article which appeared in the Plentywood Herald.

Death Wednesday claimed Nels K. Markuson, since 1919 a prominent Medicine Lake business man and one of Sheridan county's most highly respected citizens.

His death occurred shortly before 7 o'clock last night here after a two week's illness of pneumonia. He was 68 years old.

Taken ill while at his desk serving as under-sheriff of Sheridan county, an appointment he received a year ago, his condition became critical. A heart weakened by the ravaging illness made recovery doubtful and for more than a week hung to a bare thread of life with oxygen administered with hope that recovery would be possible.

Members of his devoted family, were constantly at his bedside during his illness.

This morning funeral arrangements had not been completed.

Nels K. Markuson was born in Goodhue County, Minnesota, Dec. 14, 1869, a son of a farmer, Knute Markuson.

When Nels was a youth of fourteen, the family moved to Fertile, Minn. From Fertile he went to Hannaford, N. D., where for 22 years he was engaged in the grain business as the manager of an elevator.

In August, 1915, Mr. Markuson came to Montana, where he continued in the grain business at Dooley, succeeding Anderson Brothers in that enterprise but after three years he sold the business to become the manager of the Farmers Elevator at Dooley.

During his residence in Dooley, Mr. Markuson was one of the promoters of the Citizens State Bank, becoming one of its original stockholders.

At the close of another two years, he entered the automobile business in association with George Epler, of Dooley and Ray Lang, then a resident of Plentywood, Mr. Markuson taking charge of the Medicine Lake business firm.

From May 1, 1919 to December 1936 he managed the Markuson-Epler garage at Medicine Lake. In December, 1936 he accepted the appointment of under-sheriff of this county, and since that time successfully served in that capacity.

During his long residence in Medicine Lake, Mr. Markuson was an active civic worker. He served as Mayor for a number of years.

Like others, he invested heavily in land and during the depression years was one of many to suffer reverses.

Nels Markuson was known as a man of sterling character, honest, and fair to his fellowmen.

He cast his first presidential vote as a republican, when he supported Benjamin Harrison, in 1892, and since that time upheld the principles and traditions of that party. In Sheridan county he was a leader in republican circles and he served as county chairman.

His family was one of his first concerns. His sons and daughters were given opportunities of splendid educations and for that he could be justly proud.

His wife, two sons and two daughters survive. The sons and daughters are Willard, Mrs. Willard French, Lucille, all of Medicine Lake, and Dr. Kenneth Markuson, of St. Louis, Mo.

Today Sheridan county pays humble homage to the departed citizen.

P. C. Miller of Binford Vicinity Died Jan. 25

Peter C. Miller, 63, a resident of the Binford community since 1885, died suddenly at his home last Wednesday morning from heart failure. Mr. Miller had been in apparent good health the evening previous. On arising the next morning Mrs. Miller noticed unusually hard breathing which caused her to return to the room some time later to see about his condition, and found him dead.

Mr. Miller was born in Fron, Gullbrandsdalen, Norway, and came to this country in 1885 and has lived here ever since.

Funeral services were held from the Red Willow church on Saturday, Rev. L. M. Halling officiating, and burial was made in the church cemetery.

Besides his wife Mr. Miller leaves to mourn his death the following children: Theodore, Clara, Mary, Hilma, Elmer and Arthur at home, and Carl, who is farming west of Binford. Two brothers, Emil and Anton, also live in that vicinity, and a sister, Mrs. Hans Helland, lives west of Binford.

Former Resident Of City Is Dead

Emil Marquardt Funeral Is Set For Saturday At Fargo

Emil Marquardt, for years one of Cooperstown's business men, died at his home in Fargo at 9 a. m. Wednesday morning, after suffering from a stroke. Funeral services will be held at Fargo Saturday and burial will be made in the Riverside cemetery there.

Mr. Marquardt was 81 years old. He came to America from Germany in 1881 and two years later settled in Cooperstown. He had been here but a few years when he founded the Marquardt Restaurant, which is still one of the city's business places.

He left here about eight years ago and moved to Fargo, where he lived until his death.

He had three children, all of whom are living. They are T. A. Marquardt and Otto H. Marquardt, both of Cooperstown, and Mrs. Scott LaMont, Moorhead, Minn.

He was born in Stettin, Germany, September 29, 1851. He was married and his first wife died in 1921. He remarried in 1926. His widow survives.

Mrs. Olga Moen Dies on Tuesday

Mrs. Olga Moen, widow of Hans Moen, former resident of Jessie, died in a Jamestown hospital on Thursday, July 9, at 10 o'clock in the morning following her removal from the San Haven tuberculosis sanatorium two years ago.

Funeral services were conducted in the West Prairie church on Saturday, July 11, with Rev. M. Tufteland officiating. Pall bearers were Louis Trostad, Emil Amundson, Lars Anderson, Ole Ellefson, Tollef Ellefson and Alfred Johnson.

Olga Anderson was born on January 16, 1892 in Oslo, Norway and came to this country in 1914. In June of the following year she married Hans Moen in Minneapolis and came to Griggs to make her home on their farm in Pilot Mound township. In 1921 they moved to Jessie where Mr. Moen operated a dray line. Mr. Moen passed away on December 31, 1931. Two sons, Hans and Oscar, both living in the county, survive her.

Funeral Services Are Held For John Mustad

Binford Man Came To Griggs County In 1888; Settled in Willow Township

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John Mustad was born on June 30, 1867, at Vardal, Norway, and was baptized and confirmed in a Lutheran church at that place. He emigrated to America and came to Beloit, Wis., in the spring of 1884. In the year 1888 he came to Willow township, Griggs county, where he has since made his home. Mr. Mustad never married, and a nephew, Lars Steensveen, has made his home with him for the past twenty years. His death occurred on Thursday, December 6, 1934, at about 8 o'clock a. m., his age being 67 years, 5 months and six days. His health began to fail about four months ago and after seeking medical aid at Fargo he returned home, but his condition did not improve and he again sought hospital care at the Community hospital at McVille, to no avail, and so passed away another of our pioneers.

Deceased leaves to mourn his passing a nephew, Lars Stensveen, who lives on the home farm; Magnus Stensveen, a nephew, who resides at Londonville, Alberta; Soren Brendbakken, a half-brother, who lives in Norway; Sophia Lee, Florida; Signe and Elizabeth Jenson, Beloit, Wis.; Mrs. Sina Magnuson, Mrs. Anna Sletmoen, Anton Tobro, Martin Frydenlund and Maret Frydenlund, all of whom are in Norway.

Mr. Mustad took an active part in local activities, was a director of the First National Bank of Binford, and of the Greenland, Prtiz Hardware Co. of Binford. He had been a member of the Sheyenne Lutheran church since he settled in the community. He wrestled with the problems of farm life on the old homestead in which he was substantially successful. He had the reputation of dealing fairly and squarely with his fellowmen, and of being just and upright and kind. He will be sorely missed both in town and on the farm but in his passing a good man goes to his reward, to enjoy the peace and joy of that eternal home.

Funeral services were held from the Sheyenne Lutheran church Sunday forenoon, and the edifice was crowded with friends who came to attest their love and esteem for the deceased. Rev. S. Wold preached an impressive sermon, and was assisted by Rev. Wangen, who also spoke a few words in tribute. The church choir sang beautiful numbers, and Miss Clara Larson rendered a fine solo. The casket was covered with beautiful floral wreaths and bouquets. The remains of the deceased were borne to their final resting place in the cemetery adjoining the church, by Adolph Lysne, Ole Lysne, Hans Hanstad, Paul Rorvig, Ivan Almklov, and Arthur Svaren.

JACOB MYHRE PASSES AWAY

Jacob Myhre, who has been confined to his bed for several weeks, and who has been poorly for some time, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Matt Rorvig, on Friday morning, Jan. 16, at nine o'clock at the age of 81 years, 10 months and nine days.

Mr. Jacob Myhre was born in Ringebo, Guldbrandsdalen, Norway, on March 7, 1843. In the spring of 1867 he was married to Miss Matha Berg and that same spring they emigrated to America. They came across on a sail boat and it took them thirteen weeks to cross the ocean. They first settled in Fillmore county, Minn. To this union were born seven children, of which four died while they resided in Minnesota. He also lost his beloved wife in Minnesota on the 19th day of August, 1876.

Leaving Minnesota in the spring of 1882, Mr. Myhre came overland with his three remaining children. They made the trip in a covered wagon and it took them three weeks and four days to complete the journey to Griggs county. The family made their home in this covered wagon for about two months. The three children contracted diphtheria, of which the two boys, Kindor, 11 years old, and Ole, 8 years old, died, leaving Mr. Myhre with only one remaining child, Janna, who was seven years old at the time. This daughter, Janna, married Mathias Rorvig on Nov. 5th, 1896, and since that time he has made his home with them.

An impressive funeral service was held Monday afternoon from the Trinity Lutheran church, of which he was a faithful and honored member. The service was conducted by Rev. E. C. Tollefson, and the large gathering of people present, and the profusion of flowers attested the love and esteem in which the deceased was held. A mixed quartet sang and solos were rendered by Miss Florence Greenland and L. P. Larson.

The remains were interred in the cemetery west of Binford. Thus is laid to rest a fine Christian, a good father and kind neighbor, one whom everybody esteemed for his splendid character and worth.

MRS. PETER MICKELS FUNERAL HELD YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

1925

Funeral services were held at the Bethlehem church here yesterday over the remains of Mrs. Peter Mickels of Elkton, S. D. The remains were brought here from Elkton, where Mrs. Mickels had died Sunday.

Mrs. Mickels was formerly Miss Lizzie Trost, a sister of Mrs. O. B. Barfus of this place, Charles, Rudolph and William Trost of the Jesse and Binford community.

An obituary will appear in these columns next week.

Funeral Is Held Sunday For Aged Griggs Resident

Service held May 4/33

Charles Marson Passed Away Last Thursday at Age of 92 Years

Charles Marson, a resident of the Cooperstown vicinity since 1889 and one of the oldest citizens in Griggs county, passed away at his home south of there 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon of last week. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the Cooperstown Presbyterian church with Dr. LeRoy C. Cooley officiating.

Was 92 Years Old

Mr. Marson was 92 years, three months and sixteen days at the time of his death. He was born on January 11, 1841, at Derby, England. On April 10, 1864 he was united in marriage to Sarah Halford at Barrow Leicestershire.

The couple made their home in Quorn, England, and at that place nine children were born. One child was born after their arrival in Cooperstown.

The family came from England in May, 1889 and landed at Philadelphia, Pa., June 5, 1889. They arrived in Cooperstown on June 13 of the same year. For a period of three years after their arrival here, they made their home on section one, three miles north of Cooperstown. They then moved to the location of the present Marson farm and that has been their home since that time.

Despite his advanced years, Mr. Marson had been exceptionally active and energetic. Through the last winter, however, he had been in ailing health until death came peacefully last Thursday.

Seven Children Survive

His wife died 13 years ago. Of the 10 children in the family three have died. The seven who survived their father are Mrs. Fanny Maria Thompson, Luverne, N. D., Mrs. Mary Jane Spencer, Cooperstown; David Henry, Los Angeles, Calif.; George William, Cooperstown; Mrs. Lily Rachel Lindsey, New Rockford, N. D.; Algernon Lawrance, New Rockford; and Mrs. Ione Violet of Lothair, Mont.

There are 20 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

Interment was in the Cooperstown cemetery.

WHAT'S YOUR GUESS?



Rev. Chas. Morrison

This is your last chance to win a year's subscription to the Sentinel-Courier, in the Guess Who contest. If you can identify the above picture and also state his profession at the time the picture was taken, simply write the same on a card or in a letter and send it to this paper. For the first reply from the city of Cooperstown, one subscription, and to the first correct answer from out of town, a duplicate award. Don't pass up this last opportunity.

Last week's picture: Rev. Chas. Morrison, pastor of the M. E. churches at Hannaford and Cooperstown.

Last week's winners: In Coopers-town, Mrs. Lewis Berg; out-of-town, James Hazard, rural route.

'Not So Different' Says British Bride Of America



—Fargo Forum Photo

MRS. McWETHY

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"It isn't as different as I thought it was going to be. People have been so kind and everyone is so friendly." Voicing her approval of her adopted land, Mrs. J. B. McWethy, jr., formerly of Chichester, Sussex, England, arrived in Fargo with Mr. McWethy for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McWethy, 808 Tenth st N.

Stationed as a technical sergeant with the Fourth cavalry in England, McWethy met his wife, the former Christine Blaber, at an English soldier's wedding dance on New Years night. They were married Feb. 22, 1945 in St. Andrews church, West Dean, Chichester. Having come from Germany for his wedding, McWethy returned to his outfit after a week's honeymoon. He returned to this country last November.

Mrs. McWethy arrived with a contingent of GI brides on March 11 in New York. She joined Mr. McWethy in Jamestown and together they arrived in Fargo on March 15. Before her marriage Mrs. McWethy was secretary to legal editors in Sussex.

Mr. and Mrs. McWethy left last Sunday for Carrington, N. D., where he has returned to his posi-

tion with the Foster County State bank. Enlisting in the army in March, 1941, Mr. McWethy trained at Camp Maxey, Texas, Fort Meade, S. D., and Nashville, Tenn., before going overseas. He was stationed in England for six months.

Rites At Hannaford For Mrs. Mikkelson

Hannaford, N. D.—Services for Mrs. Michael Mikkelson of Hannaford will be at 2 today in the Lutheran church here, Rev. R. W. Gilbertson officiating.

Pallbearers will be Carl O. Johnson, Otto Olson, Kermit Olsen, Marvin Ouren, Clinton Brown and Thomas Dailey. Sinclair funeral home is in charge.

Mrs. Mikkelson died Thursday, two days after her 50th birthday. Twin granddaughters were born on the day of her death.

Born at Keyser, W. Va., Jan. 30, 1901, Sadie Simmons was married to Mr. Mikkelson at Waynesboro, Va., July 5, 1925. They came to Hannaford the same year.

Besides her husband she leaves a daughter, Mrs. John Neilson, Hannaford; two brothers and a sister in Virginia, and three grandchildren.



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Eugene Naylor, Prominent In Masonry, Dead

Eugene Naylor, 66, of 409 Fourth av N, native of Otter Tail county, Minnesota, and prominent in North Dakota masonry, died yesterday in a Fargo hospital after an illness of six weeks.

He was grand master of the North Dakota grand lodge in 1940-41, and since last June had been Masonic service hospital visitor at the Veterans hospital here.

Born at Wrightstown, Otter Tail county, Jan. 5, 1883, Mr. Naylor was educated there and moved to Cooperstown, N. D., in 1907.

Three years later he established a men and boys' clothing store at Oakes, N. D., remaining in business there 25 years. Coming to Fargo in 1935, he operated the newsstand at the Union bus depot until 1943, when he became field agent for the Masonic lodge, serving at Madison, Wis., and Augusta, Ga., until 1948 when he returned to Fargo.

Mr. Naylor joined the Masonic lodge at Cooperstown and transferred his membership to the Oakes lodge when he moved to that city. There he held many offices, and in 1930 was elected to office in the grand lodge of North Dakota, finally becoming grand master.

He also was a member of Royal Arch Masons, Knights Templar of Fargo, Scottish Rite bodies and of El Zagal temple of the Shrine, and played many years with the El Zagal band.

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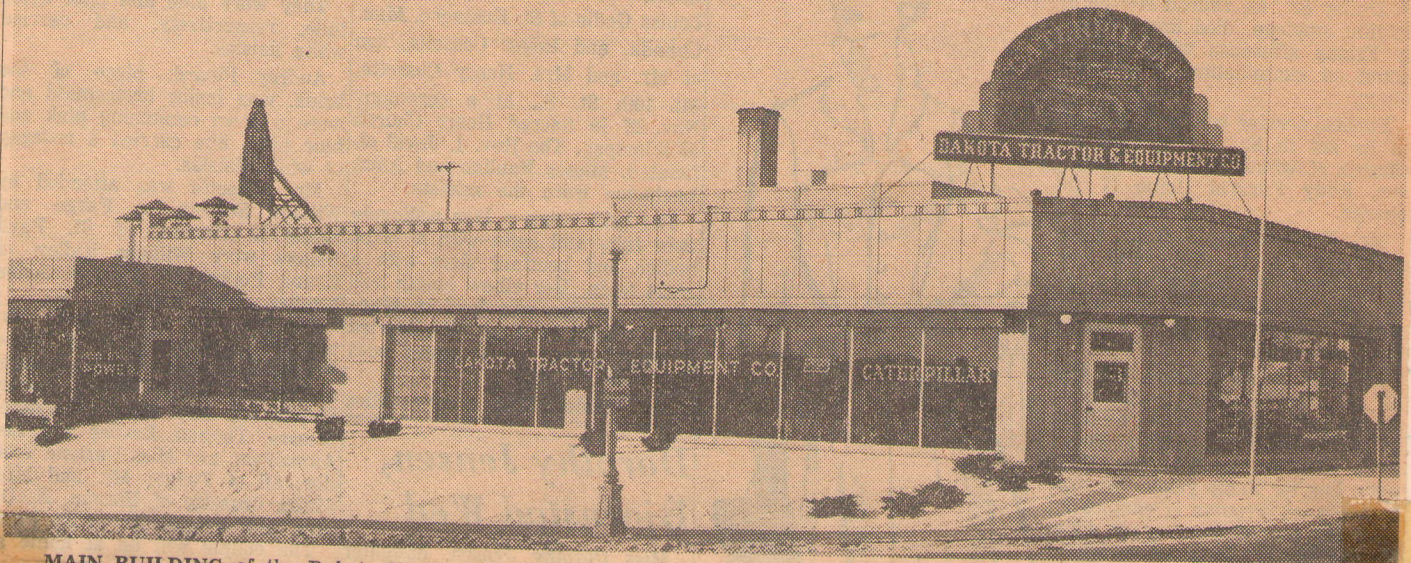
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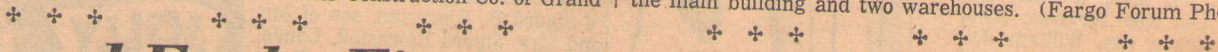
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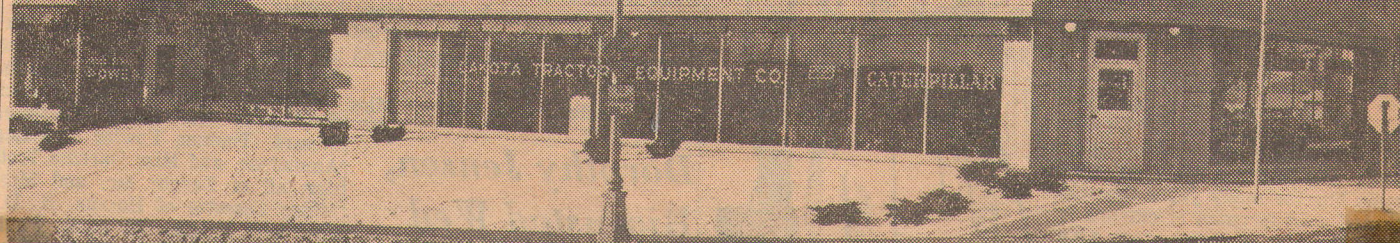
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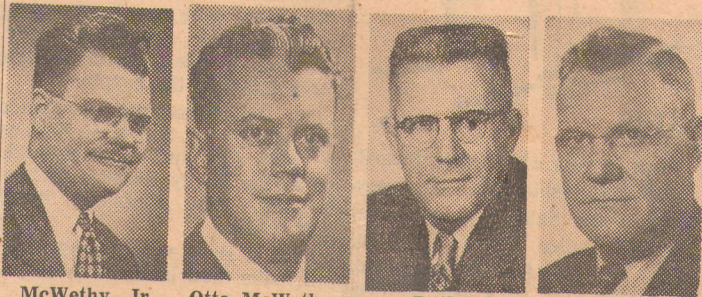
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Mrs. McWethy Funeral Set At 2 Thursday

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The Rev. Dr. C. Maxwell Brown will officiate. Mrs. Walter Anderson will sing with Miss Clara Pollock organist. **Mrs. McWethy** bearers will be Vernon Voelker of Moorhead; F. A. Sommars, Jamestown, N. D., and Otto McWethy, John B. McWethy Jr., George White and J. H. Bakewell, Fargo.

Burial will be at Sutton, N. D. Friends may call at Hanson-Runsvold Funeral Home from noon today until time for the funeral.

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Fund Appeal Opens Today

A campaign to raise approximately \$500,000 for the construction of a nursing home for aged persons in Fargo gets under way today under the sponsorship of the Lutheran Hospital and Homes Society.



McWethy

J. B. McWethy is chairman of the campaign committee, A. I. Johnson is secretary and H. B. Bonde is treasurer.

Fund solicitation by members of

Mr. and Mrs. John B. McWethy, 808 10th St. N., will be hosts at a family dinner in the East Room of the Gardner Hotel. With them will be Mr. and Mrs. John B. McWethy Jr., Patrick and Susan; Mr. and Mrs. Otto McWethy, Otto Jr., Mary Ann and Debra; Miss Edith Petterson and Axel Petterson.

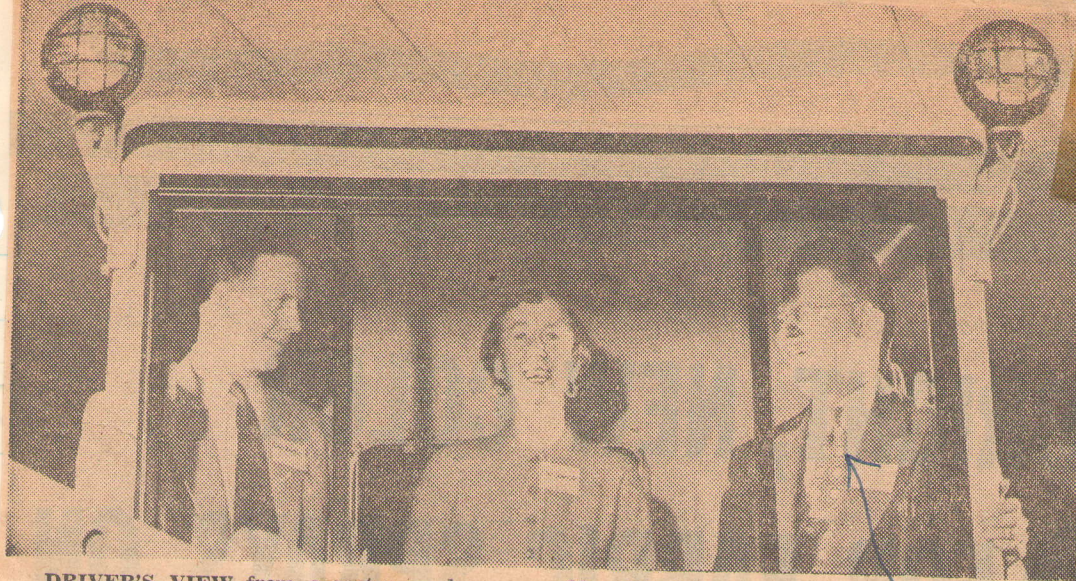
McWethy Elected By Safety Council

John B. McWethy Jr., was elected president of the Fargo Safety Council at the group's regular monthly meeting held Friday. McWethy succeeds James Connolly

and will take office on May 7, the next meeting of the council.

Other officers elected were Dell Porter, vice president; and Jerome Wanzek, secretary-treasurer, and 259 a year earlier.

Capt. Edwin Anderson of the Fargo Police Department spoke to the group on "Child, Pedestrian, and Bicycle Safety."



DRIVER'S VIEW from a motor grader was seen by teachers at the Dakota Tractor and Equipment Co., 610 13th St. N. Left to right, Glen Bartle, Agassiz; Ethel Domesle, Horace Mann, and John McWethy Jr., vice president of the firm.

C. M. Monson Funeral Set At 2 Friday

Funeral service for Calmer M. Monson, 46, of 1537 2nd Ave. S., vice president of Hoberg Insurance Agency Inc., will be at 2 Friday in First Lutheran Church, the Rev. J. N. Quello officiating.



Mrs. Lee Holland will sing with Mrs. Quello organist. Pallbearers will be D. E. McCullagh, James Monson Dixon, Gerald Dentz, Leland Fladland, Julian Blocker and Robert Crippen.

Honorary pallbearers will be William Toussaint, Henry Gilbertson, H. O. Anderson, Gust Hoberg, John Hoganson, O. W. Johnsgard, and William E., William M. and J. W. Strehlow.

Burial will be in Riverside Cemetery with Hanson-Runsvold Funeral Home in charge. Mr. Monson died Monday.

Born March 30, 1910, at Elbow Lake, Minn., Mr. Monson attended schools there and Dunwoody Institute, Minneapolis. He also attended business school in Aberdeen, S. D.

Afterwards, he was employed in Minneapolis until entering service in World War II. He served in the European Theater with the Eighth Air Force. After his discharge in 1945 he came to Fargo.

He married Marian Lewis at Lawton, Okla., in July, 1942. Besides his wife he leaves a son, Terry, at home.

Mr. Monson was a member of First Lutheran Church; The American Legion; Veterans of Foreign Wars and Elks Lodge.

C. M. Monson Dies In Fargo

Calmer M. Monson, 56, of 1537 2nd Ave. S., vice president of Hoberg Insurance Agency Inc., was dead on arrival at a Fargo hospital in an ambulance about 12:30 p.m. Monday.

Mr. Monson, who had spent the forenoon at his work, had gone home for lunch and was stricken there. A physician said preliminary reports indicated death was due to a heart ailment.

Mr. Monson was an only son. His mother, Mrs. Carl Monson, died last Aug. 18. Besides his wife he leaves a son.

Hanson-Runsvold Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Dying Binford Boy, 7, Realizes Ambition; Has Chance To See First--And Last--Circus

Special to The Fargo Forum
HANNAFORD, N. D.—A 7-year-old Binford, N. D., boy who is dying of cancer mustered the strength and courage to remain active until he realized the ambition of every boy in America.

Arnold Michaelis, adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Michaelis, who farm near Binford, 40 miles northwest of Vally City, N. D., saw "The Greatest Show on Earth," the Ringling Bros. & Barnum and Bailey Circus in Moorhead Aug. 12 before he became bedridden from cancer of the neck glands.

It was the only circus Arnold has seen—and doctors say it will be the last. The boy was stricken in April while a first-grader at a country school near his home. By May, when school closed for the summer, swelling was beginning to show in his neck.

He was taken to Rochester, Minn., in June and stayed there three weeks. But doctors told his parents the X-ray treatments he received there could not cure the cancer.

Arnold has been unable to be up the past week. A doctor who examined him this week at the farm home of his parents' brother and sister told the parents again what they know:

There's no chance for Arnold.



ARNOLD MICHAELIS

The Michaelis family, which includes another adopted child, Linda, 5, is staying with Michaelis' brother and his wife's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Michaelis for help and company during Arnold's illness.

Arnold's mother showed him a circus program before the circus showed in Moorhead.

"Mom," said the plucky boy, "We've got to go. We've got to go!" They did go, and Arnold was almost speechless with wonder.

The spunky cancer victim knows he is dying, his mother says. Once he said:

"Mom, this sickness, I don't think I will get over. I think I will die."

His parents, his mother said have never told him that. Mrs. Michaelis says she believes Arnold "just feels it."

Arnold is a brave little fellow. Neighbors say he always has a smile and never says a complaining word. But lately he has been listless and eats, if at all, in spells. He no longer sleeps well, despite regular drug applications. The pain is increasing.

The Harold Michaelis have been married 10 years. They have only the two adopted children. Their 10th wedding anniversary was spent at Rochester.

They have ceased giving Arnold X-ray treatments. Doctors told them to "leave it up to Arnold, if he doesn't want them, don't make him take them."

Arnold doesn't like the treatments; they apparently make him feel worse.

But despite his pain and knowing he will die, although he cannot yet understand what death means, Arnold still thinks of "his wonderful day," when he saw his first—and last—circus.

Binford Boy Stricken With Cancer Dies

BINFORD, N. D. — Arnold Michaelis, 7-year-old Binford boy whose request that he see the circus before he died was granted, died Friday while visiting an uncle with his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Michaelis.

The child, who was stricken by cancer of the neck glands last April, and whose parents were told there was no hope of re-

covery, expressed the wish to see the circus when his mother showed him a circus program.

He was taken to Moorhead Aug. 12, when the circus played there. Soon afterwards he became too ill to be up. He had been treated at Rochester, Minn., last June.

Mr. and Mrs. Michaelis have an adopted daughter, Linda, 5.

Quam Funeral Home of Coop-

erstown, N. D., is in charge of arrangements.