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OBITUARIES

MINNIE SALOMON

Services for Mrs. Minnie Salomon were conducted Friday morning, Jan. 24, 1969 at Alsip chapel in Nampa. Officiating was the Rev. Walter Lang of Our Saviour Lutheran church, McCall. Interment was made at Canyon Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Salomon succumbed on the previous Tuesday at Tacoma, Wash following a brief illness.

She was born May 30, 1894 at Ommel, Denmark and was married to Carl M. Salomon on May 30, 1920 in Denmark.

They came to the United States in 1922, settling in Montana. In 1925 they moved to the Boise Valley and in 1949 moved to Seattle. They then went to Homedale in 1954. Mr. Salomon succumbed in 1960 and the deceased returned in 1966 to Seattle.

Mrs. Salomon was a member of the Lutheran church.

She is survived by a son, Hans Salomon of route 1, Homedale; two daughters, Mrs. Astrid Reimann of Federal Way, Wash., and Mrs. Clara Britt of Seattle.

Other survivors include a brother, Chris Larsen of Sheridan, Mont.; three sisters in Denmark and four grandchildren. One son preceded her in death.

FRANKIE OFT

Funeral rites were conducted Friday afternoon, Jan. 24, 1969 for Mrs. Frankie Folsom Oft at Bethany United Presbyterian church in Ontario. Officiating was the Rev. Wesley Jones. Interment was made in Evergreen cemetery at Ontario, under direction of Bertelson-Lienkaemper Memorial chapel.

Mrs. Oft succumbed on the previous Wednesday at an Ontario hospital.

She was born Oct. 29, 1886 in Nebraska, and was married to Hans Oft in Bennington, Nebr., on Oct. 16, 1909. They moved from the Cornhusker state in 1914 to the present home on route 1, Ontario. Mrs. Oft was a member of Bethany United Presbyterian church.

In addition to Mr. Oft, she is survived by two sons, Eggert Oft of Nyssa and Homer Oft of Roseburg, Ore.; one brother, Ray Fee of Florida; a sister, Mrs. Mary Hoteling of Blair, Nebr.

Also surviving are four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.



MYRON L. ROOT

Evangelist Root will be present for special services Feb. 3-9 at Adrian Free Methodist church, it is announced by Pastor C. H. Wiandt. The evening services will begin at 8 o'clock and a Sunday, Feb. 9 morning service with special music will be at 11 o'clock. The Rev. Root has served as pastor for 18 years, four in Arizona and 14 in the Pacific Northwest conference. He also was evangelist for two camp meetings, is a member of the Christian education conference board; camp ministerial training and guidance boards. In addition he served as Sunday school secretary and ministerial reserve delegate to the general conference.

CB PW Group Announce Plans

The Executive committee of the Treasure Valley Christian Business and Professional Women's Council have announced plans for their annual men's night dinner. It will be held Feb. 8 at 7 p.m. at the La-Paloma cafe in Ontario.

Members of the executive committee are Joretta Norman, Ontario, chairman; Ida Nelson, Payette; Ethelyn Fairchild, New Plymouth; Mildred Williams, Weiser; Lorraine Bauman, Nyssa.

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH NOTES

Hjordis Bjarnason, Vale's foreign exchange student from Iceland, will be featured on the program at the family night session of Faith Lutheran church at 7:30 p. m., Sunday, Feb. 2. Hjordis is attending school under the auspices of the International Christian Youth Exchange program.

Her home is in Keflavik, a small fishing village of 2,000 people in southwest Iceland, not far from Reyjavik, the capital. She will show slides and a native costume, as well as speak of life in Iceland. Members and friends of Faith Lutheran are cordially invited to attend.

COMING EVENTS

TODAY - 4 p.m. Job's Daughters practice.
 Feb. 1 - 8 p.m. TAP Benefit game and dance in NHS gym.
 Feb. 3 - 2:30 p.m. Heart fund torchlighting ceremony at Holy Rosary hospital.
 Feb. 4 - Women's activity club of Oregon Trail grange meet for Valentine party-meeting.
 Feb. 6 - 2 p.m. WSCS meet at the Methodist church.

MAN - HIS ARTS AND IDEAS

BY CLYDE T. SWISHER
 CHAIRMAN, DEPT. OF ENGLISH
 NYSSA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

In our 20th century music literally surrounds us. Phonograph styluses, tape recorder pickups, radio microphones and the photo-electric eyes of film soundtracks conspire to make music as familiar as the ticking of a clock, commonplace as a singing commercial. It blares or whispers from railway terminal public address systems, pedestrians' portable radios, restaurants' music systems, and juke boxes.

The bright side of this situation is that Americans are becoming a race of music-lovers beyond compare. We have more than a thousand symphony orchestras and uncounted amateur choruses and instrumental ensembles, and we pay more cash admissions for music per year than we do for professional baseball. Less bright is the fact that much of the music that surrounds us lurks unobtrusively in the background and tends to become a mere series of sensations without conveying any sense of significance or even of continuity. It is no use to congratulate ourselves on the fact that millions of people are becoming accustomed to music if they get nothing more out of it than sound affects.

Since music deals with the very fabric of our world, nobody should be surprised to find it a complex subject, all but indescribable, elusive even to the men who create it. Rhythm not only ticks off units of time but seems in some mysterious way actually to control the speed with which time flows. Melody has been peered at, dissected, and even graphed, but to this day nobody has unraveled the secret of its impact on human listeners; all we can say is that melody is a row of notes tautly or loosely related, depending on the width of its intervals and its speed.

Musical intervals are unchanging no matter in what musical context they appear. Of course, the music of the past two centuries or so gains in precision as a direct result of its complexity; the more parts there are to a structure, the fewer there are that are absolutely essential. From one performance to another there can be variations in the fabulous wealth of detail contained in a mere phrase of a symphony, but the essential expression will shine through unchangeably.

In future columns, I hope to explore briefly some very famous pieces of music heard by most everyone, and also to discuss some specific forms of music such as the opera.

SENTIMENTAL VISIT

On Monday, January 13, as he entered the final week of his residence in the White House, President Johnson made what was described as a sentimental visit to the AFL-CIO building just across Lafayette Square from 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue. He did not go empty-handed. He carried with him a polished plaque on which were mounted 100 pens which he had used in signing as many Great Society bills.

"I know of no living single group," said the President, "that I think has been more responsible for the advances that have been made in this field in the last five years than the AFL-CIO headed by George Meany..."

That in itself is a very interesting observation, since it is not a matter of record that any members of the Congress presented themselves to the voters as Labor Party representatives, or candidates of the AFL-CIO.

But even more interesting was President Johnson's observation that he and George Meany, head of AFL-CIO, had met a total of 49 times over the past 62 months, either in the President's office or the family living quarters, and that they had further had telephone conversations an additional 82 times. And some of those telephone conversations were, in the President's words, "rather extended."

One wonders how many Cabinet Officers had as many as 131 intimate discussions with the President in the course of 62 months.

Granted, the Presidency of the United States is the loneliest job in the world, and the Chief Executive has every right to choose his friends and advisers. Still, he is the President of all the people, and there must be some businessmen and farmers--the head of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce, or the National Association of Manufacturers, or the President of the American Farm Bureau Federation--who will notice in passing how their opinions were heard on the affairs of state somewhat less than 131 times in 62 months.

Informed estimates have been made that organized labor spent as much as \$60 million in the campaign last fall to elect Hubert H. Humphrey.

Lyndon Johnson has told us why.

CARMEN FUNK

The Rosary was recited for Mrs. Carmen Astoreca Funk Wednesday morning, Jan. 29 1969 at Gibson chapel in Boise. Funeral rites will be held at 11 o'clock this morning, Jan. 30 at the chapel.

Mrs. Funk succumbed Saturday at Spokane after an extended illness.

She was born July 2, 1916 at Mountain Home, Idaho where she was reared and attended school. During World War II she served five years in the U. S. Navy.

In 1958 the deceased married Dale Funk at Spokane, and they lived in northern Idaho until moving to Spokane a year ago.

In addition to Mr. Funk of the home, she is survived by a sister, Mrs. Harold Lenon of Boise; one brother, Gabriel Astoreca of Nyssa; and a half-brother, Jess Asumendi, also of Nyssa.

Interment will be made in the St. John's section of Morris Hill cemetery at Boise. Pallbearers will be Harold and Steve Lenon, Gabriel Astoreca, Jess Asumendi, Don Linville and Donald Hatch.

OWYHEE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Don Stump of Arctic Missions will be a Feb. 2 guest speaker at the Owyhee Community church. He will speak during the Sunday School hour. All those who are interested in the mission work are invited to attend this session.

Guest speaker Jan. 19 was Miss Shirley Mewhinney of Homedale. She represents Campus Crusades for Christ.

Mr. Rodney Frost was again the guest speaker at the Jan. 26 worship service and will speak and serve Communion on Feb. 2.

ATTENTION NHS GRADUATES OF 1964

Members of the 1964 graduating class of Nyssa high school are asked to forward current addresses to:

Miss Gloria Henderson, c/o Ramco Marketing Corp., 465 California St., #623, San Francisco, Calif., 94104.

This is concerning the fifth-year reunion to be held this summer.

It is better to be bent by hard work than to be crooked in trying to avoid it.

him. This shall be your destiny and your immortality." So spoke the Lord.

And the dog heard and was content.

(Received from Mrs. John Fisch, Humane Society Auxiliary of San Mateo County, California. Author unknown.)

And, The Dog Heard . . .

God summoned a beast from the field and He said, "Behold man, created in my image. Therefore adore him. You shall protect him in the wilderness, shepherd his flocks, watch over his children, accompany him wherever he may go -- even into civilization. You shall be his companion, his ally, his slave.

"To do these things," God said, "I endow you with these instincts uncommon to other beasts: Faithfulness, devotion and understanding surpassing those of man himself. Lest it impair your courage, you shall never foresee your death. Lest it impair your loyalty, you shall be blind to the faults of man. Lest it impair your understanding, you are denied the power of words. Let no fault of language cleave an accord beyond that of man with any other beast -- or even man with man. Speak to your master only with your mind and through your honest eyes.

"Walk by his side; sleep in his doorway; forage for him; ward off his enemies; carry his burden; share his afflictions; love him and comfort him. And in return for this, man will fulfill your needs and wants -- which shall be only food, shelter and affection.

"So be silent, and be a friend to man. Guide him through the perils along the way to this land that I have promised

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