

TUSCANIA

Welo, Oscar
1895 ND – 1951 ID

**POTLATCH EMPLOYEE
IS CALLED BY DEATH**

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Surviving are two sisters, Clara Welo of Spokane, and Mrs. Nellie Moran of Yakima, and a brother, Paul Welo of Potlatch.

Obituary of Oscar Welo: "Spokane (WA) Semi-Weekly Spokesman-Review" Tuesday 20 Mar 1951 p

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Kimball funeral home, Palouse, is in charge of funeral arrangements.

"Spokane (WA) Chronicle" Tuesday 20 Mar 1951 p 29

WELO RITES SET

PALOUSE, Wash., March 31.—Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday from the Lutheran church at Potlatch for Oscar Welo who died Monday. The Rev. Harold Masted of Moscow will officiate at the services. Robinson post 81 of the American Legion at Potlatch will hold graveside services. Burial will be in Greenwood cemetery, Palouse.

"Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Thursday 22 Mar 1951 p 19

Informant, Funeral Director, Registrar and Medical Attendant. EACH must sign with BLACK INK in OWN handwriting. Each item should be answered as completely as possible. State agent as unknown only after a careful investigation. Use BLACK ink or BLACK record typewriter ribbon in filling out certificate. [ICA 38-206 and 215.] Address correspondence to DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS, BOISE, IDAHO

Certificate of Death				State File No. <u>398</u>	
DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS				Local Reg. No. <u>34</u>	
BIRTH NO. <u>2231951</u>				Reg. Dist. No. <u>200</u>	
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b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give township) <u>Moscow</u>		c. LENGTH OF STAY (If this place) <u>7 days</u>		c. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give township) <u>Potlatch</u>	
d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION <u>Gritman Hospital</u>		d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location)			
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or Print) a. (First) <u>Oscar</u>		b. (Middle)		c. (Last) <u>Welo</u>	
4. DATE OF DEATH (Month) (Day) (Year) <u>March 19, 1951</u>		5. AGE (In years) (Month) (Day) (Min.) <u>36</u>			
6. SEX <u>Male</u>		7. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>		8. DATE OF BIRTH <u>March 4, 1895</u>	
9. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) <u>Single</u>		10. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work during most of working life, even if retired) <u>laborer</u>		11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) <u>Mayville, N. D.</u>	
12. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY <u>Saw Mill</u>		13. FATHER'S NAME <u>Hans Welo</u>		14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME <u>Kristoffi Olson</u>	
15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of service) <u>Yes WWI</u>		16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. <u>518-01-0293</u>		17. DECEASED'S OWN SIGNATURE <u>Paul Welo</u>	
18. CAUSE OF DEATH Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c) <u>Strangulated femoral hernia</u>		19. MEDICAL CERTIFICATION I, DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH (a) <u>Strangulated femoral hernia</u>		INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH <u>9 days</u>	
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			Fødsels Navn.
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O.S. Andrew og Marit Hans Welo og Christoffa Hans Welo og Kristoffa Welo, Anna Welo, Paul Welo O.S. Andrew og Marit Andrew, Severine Haugan, Freda Andrew			

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		Corporal	Engineers 16th Co. 20th Engineers
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March 4, 1895	March 19, 1951	Palouse, Washington	
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Greenwood Cemetery O.K.		Palouse, Washington	
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FOR VERIFICATION	APR 2, 1951	I hereby agree to assume all responsibility for the removal of the stone promptly upon arrival at destination, and properly place it at the decedent's grave at my expense.	
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		Potlatch, Idaho	

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Life:

THREE LOCAL MEN ON TORPEDOED SHIP

The published lists of names of the men on the torpedoed transport Tuscania show at least three men who were listed through the local forestry office for service in the Twentieth Engineers. The name of John C. Robinson of Potlatch is on the list of those missing. Mr. Robinson was listed by the local forestry office on October 1. At the time of his enlistment he was employed by the Potlatch Lumber company at Potlatch as a grader and he had worked for the same company in that capacity and as an edgerman for the past five years. He was assigned to Co. D, 6th Bat. of the Twentieth Engineers.

Oscar C. Munson, who is listed as a survivor, was listed on December 7 and assigned to Co. E, of the 6th Battalion. Prior to his enlistment he was employed by the Potlatch Timber Protective Association as fire warden and he had been assistant warden for the protective association for a number of years. He resided at Potlatch but was well known in this city.

one only.

The name of Oscar Welo of Potlatch also appears as one of the survivors. He enlisted at the local forestry office on December 3 and was assigned to the 6th Battalion of the lumbermen's regiment. He was employed by the Potlatch Lumber company as a sawmill hand.

Early reports were that there was a possibility of several other St. Maries men being on board the sunken ship but their names do not appear in the lists of those on board.

"Saint Maries (ID) Record" Tuesday 12 Feb 1918 p 1

JOHN C. ROBINSON, OF POTLATCH DASHED TO DEATH IN BREAKERS

That John C. Robinson of Potlatch who lost his life when the Tuscania was torpedoed and sunk off the Irish coast, was dashed to death against the rocks and cliffs when the boat in which he left the torpedoed ship was swept into the breakers, is the statement of Oscar Munson, of Moscow, who was in charge of the squad of American soldiers of which those in the ill fated boat were a part. In a letter to his father, Charles J. Munson, Oscar tells of the death of his friend. This is the first information that has been received as to how Robinson, the only north Idaho man lost on the ill fated boat, met his death. Friends of Robinson, whose home was at Potlatch, had

asked Mr. Munson to request Oscar to give any information he might have or be able to obtain as to how the young hero died and this letter is in answer to one written by Charles J. Munson to Oscar, asking for this information.

A high compliment was paid to Oscar Munson by the officer who censored his letter, but did not change a word of it. Instead of that he added the following post script:

"Perhaps it will please you to know that Sergeant Munson is one of our most valued men and a boy to be proud of." This is signed with the initials of the censor, "H. H. E. W.," who wrote in another place on the

(Continued on page two.)

letter, "censored by H. H. E. Walcott, 26th Eng."

Oscar Munsor's letter follows:

April 22.

Dear Folks: Settled and contented. We (five sergeants, Bell, Firth, Jones, Lundell and myself) have an eight-man tent to ourselves. Makes it fine. In the center we have a table 3x5 feet with seats on both sides. Then at one end a stove which requires oodles of wood, sheds little heat but has a pleasant glow and makes things real homelike.

Today I started some log decks down at the mill which we are putting up. As soon as we start logging I go into the woods in charge of the woods end of it. Believe me I was sure glad when I was told that I have already been all over the "coupes" they call them here and have the boundary lines very well in my head.

We are in a very small hamlet here, that is we are about one-half mile from it. Human nature is always the same. Often being in some large French cities and then coming here is just like living in Spokane and then going to Cornwall.

I don't really know what I can write about that is I can't think of anything.

Ed Erickson is still here in the same company as myself. He is from Elk River and worked for me last summer. He is the fellow in the picture with me that you were asking about.

I am sending you the proof check which I got when I had my picture taken. I only had a few dollars so only had a few made (one dozen). Therefore the reason I didn't send any more home. You may be able to get some more there.

John C. Robinson was in the same squad as Oscar Welo from Potlatch and their squad was one that I had

charge of. When our boat came over and landed square I began ordering them over as fast as I could. Robison was lucky enough (that is we thought it lucky then) to get in before the boat was filled by the bunch below. That boat got swept into the breakers six hours later before the men knew they were going in. Everybody shook hands with everybody else and bid them good-bye and then the rocks and the cliff. About sixty men were in the boat and only about five came out and these were in the hospital for a month before they rejoined the company. I was amused at some of the letters published. I hardly recognized some parts myself.

Well by the time this reaches you Carrie will be picking those buttercups she spoke about in her last letter. How's Pom Pom. I'll bet he'd stand out on the porch and bark for a week without stopping if he saw some of these little donkeys over her. A little dog's cart about as high as your waist and a little donkey about the same height and a big man riding.

Well must get this off so will close, with love to all.

OSCAR.

"Moscow (ID) Daily Star-Mirror" Monday 27 May 1918 p 2 -
<https://www.newspapers.com/image/882816608/> and
<https://www.newspapers.com/image/882816612/>

Father:

Land Office at Devils Lake, Dak., Oct 3, 1884—
 Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register or Receiver at Devils Lake, D T on November 15, 1884, viz: **THOMAS H SYMMS, D S 732**, for the n $\frac{1}{2}$ nw $\frac{1}{4}$, sec 16, and s $\frac{1}{2}$ sw $\frac{1}{4}$, sec 9, T 15S, R 6E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land: **Bert Anderson, Hans Welo, Martin Knudson, A Bullock**, all of Church, D T.

HENRY W. LORD, Register.
John W Maher, Attorney. 28-33

Is this him? "Devils Lake (ND) Inter-Ocean" Saturday 1 Nov 1884 p 3

Hans H Welo

in the U.S., General Land Office Records, 1776-2015

Name	Hans H Welo
Issue Date	19 Dec 1911
Place	Williams, North Dakota, USA
Meridian	5th PM
Township	154n
Range	100W
Aliquots	SE $\frac{1}{4}$
Section	2
Accession Number	239282
Document Number	04527
Original URL	http://glorerecords.blm.gov/details/patent/default.aspx?accession=239282&docClass=SER&sid=pmyi42cm.wlc

Is this him? <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/8946316:1246>

Mother:

FORM V. S. No. 5-25 M. 1-16-18

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH.

State of Idaho
BOARD OF HEALTH
Bureau of Vital Statistics

1. PLACE OF DEATH.
County of Latah
City of Potlatch

Registration District No. 65
Primary Registration District No. 2145
(No. _____ St.)

File No. 27343
Registered No. _____

2. FULL NAME Kristine Welo

3. SEX Female 4. COLOR OR RACE White 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED. Widow
(Write the word.)

6. DATE OF BIRTH. Jan 2 1893
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7. AGE 26 Yrs. 5 Mos. 21 Ds. IF LESS than 1 day how many _____ hrs. or _____ min.

8. OCCUPATION Housewife
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work.
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer).

9. BIRTHPLACE (State or Country) Norway

10. NAME OF FATHER Not Known

11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or Country) Not Known

12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Lovik

13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Lovik

14. THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.
(Informant) Paul Welo
(Address) Potlatch Idaho

15. Filed Apr. 24 1919 D. J. Thompson Local Registrar

16. DATE OF DEATH Sept. 23 1919
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Feb. 23 1919 to Sept. 23 1919 that I last saw her alive on Sept. 23 1919 and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 58 M. The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Carcinoma uteri
(Duration) 1 Yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
Contributory (Secondary) _____
(Signed) J. H. Thompson M. D.
9/23/19 (Address) Potlatch

*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH; or in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL.

18. LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents.)
At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ days In the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ days
Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? _____
Former or usual residence _____

19. PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Palouse DATE OF BURIAL Sept 25 1919

20. UNDERTAKER L. M. Lavin ADDRESS Palouse

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK.—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD.
N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY, PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

1918 - 7000 CO., PHS & BNO, 24055

ID death record of mother - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/31726:60566>

20 th Mart	Hand P. Welo	16 Dec 1857	Jeonaker	"
"	Christophe Olsen	2 Jan 1866	Orskang, Sandvare	"
Paul J. Welo & Karen	Andersd.		Farmer	
Ole Sjekretten &	Karoline Olsen			
"	Mayrile	A. G. Molden	Gran	A. G. Molden Hus
"	Trail & Co.	A. Lysberg		



U.S., Evangelical Lutheran Church in America Church Records, 1781-1969 for Hans P Welo

Congregational Records > North Dakota > Portland > Bruflat Lutheran

Siblings:

Informant, Funeral Director, Registrar and Medical Attendant. EACH must sign with BLACK INK in OWN handwriting. Each item should be answered as completely as possible. State answers as unknown only after a careful investigation. Use BLACK ink or BLACK record typewriter ribbon in filling out certificate. (ICA 35-200 and 215.) Address correspondence to BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS, BOISE, IDAHO

RECEIVED				Certificate of Death		State File No. 833	
				Local Reg. No. 12		Reg. Dist. No. 200	
BIRTH NO.				STATE OF IDAHO			
1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY Latah b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give township) Butte c. TOWN Butte d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION 1 mile North of Potlatch				2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: residence before admission). a. STATE Idaho b. COUNTY Latah c. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give township) Rural d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) 1 mile North of Potlatch			
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or Print) a. (First) PAUL b. (Middle) H. c. (Last) WELO				4. DATE OF DEATH (Month) (Day) (Year) February 5, 1969			
5. SEX Male		6. COLOR OR RACE White		7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) Married		8. DATE OF BIRTH June 4, 1889	
9. AGE (In years last birthday) 79		10. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) Sawyer		10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Lumber Mill		11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) North Dakota	
12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? U. S.		13. FATHER'S NAME Hans Welo		14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Kristoffe Sovig		15. BIRTHPLACE Norway	
16. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) Yes		17. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 518-01-0608		18. INFORMANT'S OWN SIGNATURE <i>Mrs. Paul Welo</i>		19. ADDRESS Potlatch, Idaho	
18. CAUSE OF DEATH Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c) 4789 *This does not mean the mode of dying, such as heart failure, suffocation, etc. It means the disease, injury, or complication which caused death.				MEDICAL CERTIFICATION I. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH* (a) and acute myocardial infarction ANTECEDENT CAUSES Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to the above cause (a) stating the underlying cause last. DUE TO (b) Arteriosclerotic Cardiovascular Disease DUE TO (c) II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death.			
19a. DATE OF OPERATION				19b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION			
20. AUTOPSY? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				21. ACCIDENT SUICIDE HOMICIDE (Specify)			
21a. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.)				21b. (CITY, TOWN, OR TOWNSHIP) (COUNTY) (STATE)			
21c. TIME OF INJURY (Month) (Day) (Year) (Hour)				21d. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/> NOT WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/>			
21e. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR?				22. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from 11/23 , 19 69 , to 2-4 , 19 69 , that I last saw the deceased alive on 2-4 , 19 69 , and that death occurred at 5:00 a.m. , from the causes and on the date stated above.			
23a. SIGNATURE <i>Norris A. Bingham, M.D.</i>				23b. ADDRESS 225 Sixth St. Butte, Ida			
23c. DATE SIGNED 2-7-69				24a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) Burial			
24b. DATE 2-8-69				24c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Greenwood Cemetery			
24d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) Palouse, Washington				25. EMBALMED <i>Kimball</i>			
DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REG. Cheryl A. Williams				LICENSE NO. E 269			
FIRM NAME Kimball Funeral Home, Palouse, Wyo.				Form DH-69021			

ID death record of brother Paul H. Welo (1889-1969) - https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/60796226:60566?tid=&pid=&queryId=98cb181cc34e62ca4389a512fad78130&_phsrc=hFB67080&_phstart=successSource

Clara J. Welo

PALOUSE, Wash., Feb. 29.—Funeral services will be held at Potlatch, Idaho, tomorrow for Clara J. Welo, who died at a Spokane hospital Monday.

The Rev. Edwin S. Barsness will conduct services at 1 p. m. from the Grace Lutheran church. Burial will be in Greenwood cemetery.

Born in Mayville, N. D., she moved to Potlatch at an early age. She resided in Spokane the last 30 years.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Nellie Moran, Yakima, and a brother, Paul Welo, Potlatch.

Obituary of **sister Clara Josephine Welo (1893-1956)** - "Spokane (WA) Chronicle" 29 Feb 1956 p 52 –

17495	Dec 8 34	Claude H Moran	54	W.	2nd	Yakima Wash.	Missouri	State Dept of Prob & Ind.
		Nellie Job	36	W.	3rd	Yakima Wash.	North Dakota	
		Hans Welo						
		Hannah Long						
		John W. Potter						
		May Dubson						
	Dec 11 34	Yakima Wash.						
		A.W. Hawkins						
		J.L. Denton						
		Selach Wash.						

WA marriage record of Nellie Welo's 3rd marriage, on 8 Dec 1934 in Yakima Co. WA to Claude H.

Moran - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/142685528:2378>

No. A 15726

The State of Montana, } ss.
County of Silver Bow.

Marriage License

These Presents, Are to authorize any Judge or a Court of Record, any Justice of the Peace within said County, elected, or appointed by the Governor of Montana therefor, any regular ordained Minister, who is in good standing in the religious denomination to which he belongs, or any religious society, according to the usages of said society, to solemnize within said County of Silver Bow, State of Montana, the marriage of John D. Ruff

a White man, aged 28 years, born at Mandan in the County of North Dakota and now residing at Butte in the County of Silver Bow, State of Montana, and

who has not been previously married and is now a Son of Edmund Ruff and Barbara Ruff whose maiden name was Barbara K. Ruff

With Thelma Thel, a White woman, aged 26 years, born at Butte in the County of Butte and now residing at Butte in the County of Silver Bow, and State of Montana, who has been previously married,

and is now a Daughter of Henry Thel and Josephine Thel, whose maiden name was Josephine Samig

Being duly sworn this 9th day of June, 1924, the applicant states the ages given are true and correct.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the State of Montana, this 9th day of June, 1924

J. F. Truicoll, Clerk.
By J. F. Truicoll, Deputy Clerk.

The State of Montana, } ss.
County of Silver Bow,

Marriage Certificate

I hereby Certify, That I believe that the facts stated in the foregoing License are true and that upon due inquiry there appears to be no legal impediment to the marriage of said John G. Ruff and Nellie Welo that said parties were joined in marriage by me on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1924, at Butte in the said County and State, in the presence of the undersigned witnesses, and that said John G. Ruff and Nellie Welo solemnly declared in my presence, and in the presence of the said named witnesses, that they took each other as husband and wife.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 10th day of June, A. D. 1924

In presence of

Chas. Burch
Betty Welo
Witnesses.

Louise Burch
Officiating Jessie M. Mac

Filed for record July 2nd, A. D. 1924

Ellis, Clerk.
By J. Sullivan, Deputy Clerk.

MT marriage record of Nellie Welo & John G. Ruff on 11 Jun 1924 in Butte, Silver Bow MT - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/135442082:61578>

Other licenses granted yesterday by J. F. Driscoll, clerk of the district court, were: J. G. Ruff and Nellie Welo, Charles Burch and Frances Helena White, Fred P. Lavin and Frances Webber, Alexander Stevenson and Charlotte Elizabeth Turner, Charles Winch and Sophie Schock, Frank E. Wiley and Stella E. Walker.

Marriage license with John G. Ruff - "Anaconda (MT) Standard" Tuesday 10 Jun 1924 p 5

Woman Asks Divorce.

Divorce from John Ruff is sought in complaint filed in district court yesterday by Mrs. Nellie Ruff, who charges that her husband has deserted her and has failed to provide for her.

Divorce from John Ruff – “Butte (MT) Daily Post” Tuesday 29 Apr 1930 p 13

Marriage Licenses.

Cecil Collins Job, 43, and Nellie Welo, 32, both of Butte, obtained a marriage license in district court today.

Licenses were issued yesterday to: Herbert W. Carver, 28, and Minnie Carregan, 21, both of Butte.

Francis A. McKinney, 23, and Jewel H. Johnson, 18, both of Butte.

Nellie Welo marriage license with Cecil Collins Job – “Butte (MT) Daily Post” Friday 17 Apr 1931 p 17

Cecil Collins Job

in the Montana, U.S., County Marriages, 1865-1987

Name	Cecil Collins Job
Gender	Male
Race	White
Age	43
Birth Date	abt 1888
Birth Place	Downing, Scotland, Missouri
Marriage Date	17 Apr 1931
Marriage Place	Butte, Silver Bow, Montana, USA
Father	Taylor Job
Mother	Martha Job
Spouse	Nellie Welo
Certificate Number	A 20592

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/393667:61578>

Washington State Board of Health Record No. **139**

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS Registered No. **148**

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

1. PLACE OF DEATH: County of **Yakima** City or Town of **Yakima** Registration Dist. No. **M-1** No. **Browns Cafe 6 E Yakima** Ward **100**

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred: **17** yrs. mos. **10** ds. How long in U. S. If of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

2. FULL NAME: **Cecil Collins Job**

(a) Residence: No. **20 No 4 St** St. **Ward** (Usual place of abode) (If occurred give city or town and State)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX: **Male** COLOR OF HAIR: **White** COLOR OF EYES: **Blue** MARRIAGE STATUS: **Married**

4. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year): **15, 1888**

5. AGE: **44** Years **2** Months **20** Days

6. TRADE, PROFESSION, OR PARTICULAR KIND OF WORK DONE, AS EMPLOYER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, ETC.: **Professional Cook**

7. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS IN WHICH WORK WAS DONE, AS SAIL, MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, ETC.: **Browns Cafe**

8. DATE DEPARTED LAST WORKED AT THIS OCCUPATION (month and year): **June 4, 1932** 9. Total time (years) spent in this occupation: **69**

10. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country): **Unknown**

11. NAME: **Unknown**

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country): **Unknown**

13. MAIDEN NAME: **Unknown**

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country): **Unknown**

15. INFORMANT (Address): **Nellie Job**

16. BUREAU OF HEALTH (Address): **Grandview Cemetery June 7, 1932**

17. UNDERTAKER (Address): **Howell & White**

18. FILED: **6/10/32** **Levy Thoffier** Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

19. DATE OF DEATH (month, day, and year): **June 5, 1932**

20. I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from **10** to **10**

I last saw **deceased** on **June 5, 1932** death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at **22** m. **943**

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance in order of causality were as follows:

Coronary Thrombosis **Right** **4/5-32**

Contributory causes of importance not related to principal cause:

Name of operation: **None** Date of: **None**

Was there an autopsy? **Yes**

21. If death was due to external causes (violence) fill in also the following: Accident, suicide, or homicide Date of injury: **None** Where did injury occur: **Yakima Wash.** (Specify city or town, county, and State) Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, or in public place.

22. Manner of injury: **None**

23. Nature of injury: **None**

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? **Yes** If so, specify: **Levy Thoffier** (Signed) **Yakima Wash.** (Address) M. D.

B. P. No. 895-1001. Approved as to Form by Dept. of Efficiency. 12002.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/7072583:6716>

Cecil Collins Job

in the Washington, U.S., Select Death Index, 1907-1960

Name	Cecil Collins Job
Gender	Male
Marital Status	Married
Age	44
Estimated Birth Year	abt 1888
Death Date	05 Jun 1932
Death Place	Yakima, Yakima, Washington
Spouse	Nellie Job
FHL Film Number	2023061
Reference ID	139

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/1290283:60229?ssrc=pt&tid=169381182&pid=262210007630>

Yakima Civic Leader Dies

YAKIMA—(AP)—Claude Harrigan Moran, prominent civic and labor leader who once ran for mayor, died here yesterday after a several months' illness. He was 73.

Moran was a former official in the state department of labor and industries and an administrator for the works progress administration in the 1930s. He served as president of the Yakima Central Labor Council during his 25-year residence here and was a member of the Hotel and Restaurant Workers union for more than 50 years.

He is survived by his widow; by a daughter, Mrs. Mildred Angel of Beaverton, Ore., and a son, Darwin, in Yakima.

Obituary of Claude Harrigan/Harrington Moran – "Kitsap Sun" (Bremerton WA) Thursday 14 Jan 1954 p 2

**WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
PUBLIC HEALTH STATISTICS SECTION
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

REG. DIST. NO. *m1*
REGISTRAR'S NO. *24*

1. PLACE OF DEATH
a. COUNTY **Yakima**
b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give township) **Yakima**
c. LENGTH OF STAY (In this place) **26 years**
d. FULL NAME OF (If not in hospital or institution, give street address or location) **1004 So. 2nd Ave.**

2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived, if institution, residence before admission)
a. STATE **Washington**
b. COUNTY **Yakima**
c. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give township) **Yakima**
d. STREET (If rural, give location) **1004 So. 2nd Ave.**

3. NAME OF a. (First) **Claude** b. (Middle) **Harrington** c. (Last) **Moran**
4. DATE OF DEATH (Month) (Day) (Year) **January 13, 1964**

5. SEX **Male** 6. COLOR OR RACE **White** 7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) **Married** 8. DATE OF BIRTH **April 12, 1880** 9. AGE (In years last birthday) **73** 10. If Under 1 Yr. **9** 11. If Under 24 Hrs. **4**

10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) **retired Labor Commissioner** 11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) **Prineville, Oregon** 12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? **U. S.**

13. FATHER'S NAME **Unknown** 14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME **Unknown**

15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U. S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give year or dates of service) **No** 16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. **345**

17. INFORMANT **Mrs. Nellie Moran**

18. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause for immediate (a), (b), and (c))
*This does not mean the mode of dying, such as heart failure, without, etc. It means the disease, injury, or complication which caused death.
I. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH* (a) **Cerebral Vascular Disease**
ANTECEDENT CAUSES **act. Multiple Sclerosis**
Due to (b) **yes**
Due to (c) **yes**
II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS
Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death.

19a. DATE OF OPERATION **1/6/53** 19b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION

20a. ACCIDENT (Specify) **SUICIDE** 20b. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.) **Yakima** 20c. (CITY, TOWN, OR TOWNSHIP) (COUNTY) (STATE) **Yakima, Washington** 20d. AUTOPSY? Yes ☐ No ☐

21a. TIME OF INJURY (Month) (Day) (Year) (Hour) **1/5, 1954** 21b. INJURY OCCURRED While at work ☐ Not while at work ☐ 21c. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR?

22. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from **1/6/53**, 19**53**, to **1/13**, 19**64**, that I last saw the deceased alive on **1/5**, 19**54**, and that death occurred at **3:10** p.m., from the causes and on the date stated above.

23a. SIGNATURE **J. L. W. Allen** (Deputy or title) 23b. ADDRESS **Yakima** 23c. DATE SIGNED **1/14/54**

24a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL, or other disposition **Burial** 24b. DATE **Jan. 18, 1954** 24c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY **Calvary** 24d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) **Yakima, Washington**

25. FUNERAL DIRECTOR **Langevin Funeral Home, Yakima, Wn.**

DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REG. **1-15-54**

WA death record of Claude Harrington Moran - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/7447366:6716>

Nellie Moran

in the U.S., Social Security Death Index, 1935-2014

Name	Nellie Moran
Social Security Number	538-24-7447
Birth Date	20 Apr 1898
Issue year	Before 1951
Issue State	Washington
Last Residence	98902, Yakima, Yakima, Washington, USA
Death Date	15 Sep 1968

https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/43539430:3693?tid=169381182&pid=262202146679&queryId=18264c68b02fbf2b6e5a3f212e41cdf5&_phsrc=hFB67043&_phstart=successSource

Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

F: = Find A Grave (www.findagrave.org)

NOK = next-of-kin

Name: Oscar Welo

Name variations:

Military:

On Tuscania: 20th Eng. 16th/Co. D - private

Serial number: 250,432

Entered service from: Potlatch, Latah ID

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Oscar Welo

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": brother Paul H. Welo, Potlatch ID

Returned from war on: "Santa Paula" May 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Oscar Welo

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: mother Mrs. Christofee Welo, Potlatch ID (cpl, 16th Co., 20th Engrs, Forestry)

World War I draft registration (1917): as Oscar Welo - b. 4 Mar 1895 Mayville ND; res: Potlatch, Latah ID. Single. Laborer, not employed. In response to question "Married or single" replied no. Medium height & build. Card not dated.

National Tuscania Survivors Association (1939): Potlatch ID

World War II draft registration (1942): as Oscar Welo - b. 4 Mar 1895 Maryville ND; res: Potlatch ID. NOK Paul Welo, Potlatch ID. Employed by Potlatch Forests Inc., Potlatch, Latah ID. "scar - right cheek" - Height: 5'8 ½" - 145 lbs.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted: 12 Dec 1917

Discharged: 12 Jun 1919

Address: Potlatch ID

Rank/unit: corporal, 16th Co., 20th Engineers

Birth & death:

Born: 4 Mar 1895 Mayville, Traill ND

Died: 19 Mar 1951 Moscow, Latah ID (Veterans Administration Master Index: 19 Jan 1951)
(Gritman Hospital, after short illness)

Find A Grave record: 78603474 – presence on Tuscania indicated in text & flower

Burial location: Palouse, Whitman WA

Cemetery: Greenwood

Tombstone: veteran flat: Washington Cpl 20 Engineers WWI

Father: Hans P. Welo, 16 Dec 1857 Jevnaker, Jevnaker commune, Oppland fylke, Norway [according to ND naturalization papers] – apparently dead by the time of the 1900 census, when Kristofe says she is a widow. Listed as Hans on Oscar's Idaho death certificate & as Henry on one of Nellie's marriage licenses. Kristofe's Find A Grave record speculates he might have been James Welo, who might have died ca. 1898/1900 in North Dakota.

Find A Grave:

Mother: Kristofe Sovig Welo, 2 Jan 1863 Sjøholt, Ørskog commune, Møre og Romsdal fylke, Norway – 23 Sep 1919 Potlatch, Latah ID. Buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Palouse, Whitman WA.

Find A Grave: 78603786

Parents' marriage: 20 Mar 1889 in Bruffet Lutheran Church, Portland, Traill ND. The wedding record gives Christoph Olsen's birthdate as 2 Jan 1863 & her parents as Ole Ingebretsen & Karoline Olsd. [Olsdatter]. The parents of Hans P. Welo are listed as Paul J. Welo & Karen Anderd. He is a farmer in Mayville, Traill ND; she is also a resident of Mayville, Traill ND.

Spouse:

Spouse Find A Grave:

Marriage:

Children:

Siblings:

- Paul H. Welo, 4 Jun 1889 Mayville, Traill ND – 5 Feb 1969 Potlatch, Latah ID. Married in 1925 to Esther Matilda Berglund (1899 Sweden – 1973 ID, F: 105971052). Buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Palouse, Whitman WA. F: 78603786
- Clara Josephine Welo, 10 Jan 1893 ND – 27 Feb 1956 Spokane, Spokane WA. Baptized as Klara Josefina Welo on 26 Feb 1893 in Traill Co. ND in the Lutheran church. Buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Palouse, Whitman WA. F: 111246613
- Nellie Welo Ruff Job Moran, 20 Apr 1898 ND [census] or Duluth, St. Louis Co. MN [marriage license] - 15 Sep 1968 Yakima, Yakima WA. Nellie Welo married John Gabriel Ruff (28 Mar

1896 Mandan, Morton ND – 28 Mar 1975 Eugene, Lane OR, F: 125553552) on 11 Jun 1924 in Butte, Silver Bow MT. He was the son of Gabriel Stephen Ruff & Barbara Knoll, age 28, b. Mandan ND. She was age 26, born Duluth MN. Nellie & John had a son, Darwin Earl Ruff (1921-1989, F: 113626680). Nellie sues for divorce in Apr 1930 in Butte, Silver Bow MT on grounds of desertion & failure to support. - As Nellie Welo, married Cecil Collins Job in April 1931 in Butte, Silver Bow MT. Cecil, the son of Zachariah Taylor Job, was born 1888 & died 1932, buried in Grandview Cemetery, Grandview, Yakima WA, F: 61176644). – Now widowed, Nellie Job, age 36, b. ND, indicating it was her 3rd marriage, married on 8 Dec 1934 in Yakima Co. WA to Claude Harrington Moran, 54 MO, his 2nd marriage, employed by the State Department of Labor & Industry. Charles Harrington (“Harry”) Moran was born 12 Apr 1880 in Mound City, Holt MO & died 13 Jan 1954 in Yakima, Yakima WA. He is buried in Calvary Cemetery, Yakima, Yakima WA, F: 186903979.

Notes:

Pre-war:

Baptized 28 Apr 1895 in Gran Lutheran Church, Traill Co. ND, the son of Hans Welo & Christoffa.

Wartime:

Post-war:

Obituary:

Social Security number:

Censuses:

1900 Norway township, Traill Co. ND – listed as VELO

Found at: <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/38551008:7602?tid=&pid=&queryId=175e088c00adb3c153c0031552c88574&phsrc=hFB67050&phstart=successSource>

Christian F. VELO, 34 Norway, Jan 1866, parents b. Norway, widow, emigrated 1882, in US for 18 years, house keeper

Paul, 10 ND, Jun 1889, farm laborer

Clara, 7 ND, Jan 1893, at school

Oscar, 5 ND, Mar 1895

Nellie, 2 ND, Apr 1898

[for the children: both parents b. Norway]

1910 Potlatch, Latah ID – indexed as WELS but is spelled WELO on form

Christoppe Welo, Norway, male (misidentified), emigrated 1889, naturalized, boardinghouse keeper

Paul, 20 ND, laborer sawmill

Clara, 17 ND

Oscar, 15 ND

Nellie, 12 ND

[for the children: both parents b. Norway]

1920 Potlatch, Latah ID – the 3 siblings

Listed as lodgers with Charles & Anna White, hotel proprietors:

Oscar Welo, 23 ND, parents b. Norway, laborer, saw mill [on line 56]

Paul Welo, 30 ND, parents b. Norway, laborer, sawmill [on line 57]

Nellie Welo, 21 ND, parents b. Norway, servant, hotel [line 73]

1930 Potlatch, Latah ID

Paul Welo, 40 ND, parents b. Norway, age 34 at 1st marriage, sawyer, lumber mill, WWI veteran
[head of household]

Esther Welo, 30 Sweden, parents b. Sweden, age 24 at 1st marriage [wife]

Oscar Welo, 36 ND, parents b. Norway, single, laborer, lumber mill, WWI veteran [brother]

1940 Potlatch, Latah ID – line 11

Found at: <https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3QS7-L9M1-9X2N?view=index&personArk=%2Fark%3A%2F61903%2F1%3A1%3AVY45-PZQ&action=view&groupId=TH-1971-27871-4070-18>

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Oscar Welo, 45 ND, single, car loading, lumbering, in same house in 1935

Lodger with Nels & Ada Jensen, hotel proprietors

1950 Potlatch, Latah ID – line 22

Oscar Welo, 55 SD [South Dakota, in error], never married, works in sheds, lumber mill

Resides with Dean J. & Muriel G. Curtis