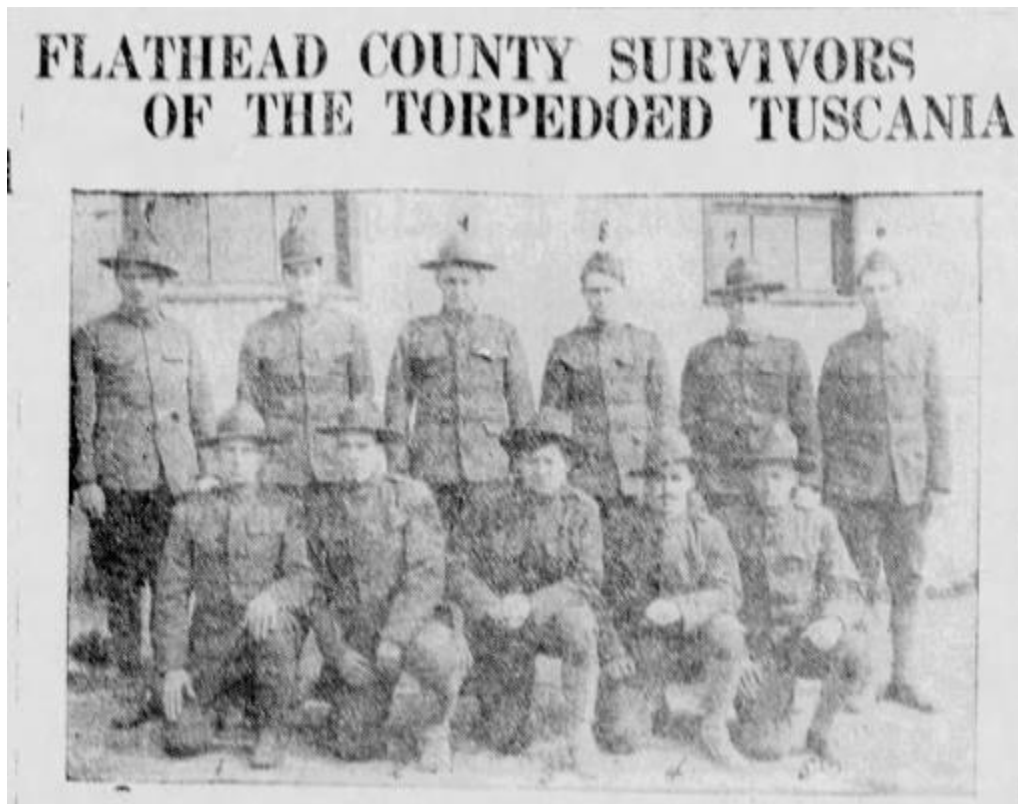


TUSCANIA

Cairncross, Stewart James
1895 ND – 1942 WA





Pictured above are 11 members of the detachment of 13 from Flathead county who were on board the transport "Tuscania" when it was sunk by a German U-boat off the coast of Ireland on February 5, 1918. Two of those from Flathead county, John McMillan and Paul Lawrence, are not shown in the picture but survived the sinking of the ship. Of the 2,179 officers and men aboard the transport, about 200 were lost and the bodies of those recovered were buried on the Isle of Ila, Scotland.

The Tuscania was one of a convoy of 14 troop ships crossing the Atlantic at that time. Survivors of the torpedoed boat were landed at Larne, Ireland, Londonderry, Ireland and the Isle of Ila, Scotland. The scattered troops rejoined each other at Winchester, England later in the month.

Those pictured above are: (1) George Sallee, (2) Peter J. Lavelle, (3) John D. Morrow, (4) S. J. Cairncross, (5) O. Larson, (6) E. A. Anderson, (7) F. F. Metcalf, (8) Walter Damon, (9) Henry Seemater, (10) Joe D. Basey, (11) J. J. Tucker.

Seven survivors of the sunken vessel held an annual reunion last Sunday at the home of Joe Basey. All but three of the Flathead men on board the ship, still live in this section of the state.



Stewart James Cairncross – kneeling, 2nd from right - “Daily Inter Lake” (Kalispell MT) 27 Aug 1973 p – originally 10 Feb 1939 p 4

FLATHEAD COUNTY SURVIVORS OF THE TORPEDOED TUSCANIA



Perhaps one of the most interesting accounts of the Tuscania disaster was contained in a letter written by Stewart Cairncross, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Cairncross of Kalispell, who was with the 20 Engineers, Sixth battalion, Company E.

"We were in the center of a convoy of 12 ships, with eight destroyers around it, and had been in sight of the Ulster coast all afternoon. At about 6 o'clock we were torpedoed and all the lights went out. I was in bed taking a nap at the time, but got on deck with the rest of them. As soon as the ship was hit it took a big list to the starboard and stayed there. I had my belt tied up to be used for a seat and had a hard time with it. When I got on top the rest of the boats had run, except a destroyer, which was snaking all around us with no lights.

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Mr. Cairncross now lives on the coast, but there are still half a dozen or more survivors of the torpedoed ship living here. His letter on the disaster was written to his sister, Miss Marjorie Cairncross, who was living in Spokane at the time, and was published in the Spokesman Review on March 18, 1918.

"Daily Inter Lake" (Kalispell MT) 6 Feb 1941 p 9

CAIRNCROSS STEWART JAMES X C 1 231 237
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 No 250 485 Died 3-17-42 T 507 788
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Cairncross, Stewart J 250,485 White
 (Surname) (Christian name) (Army serial number) (Race: White or colored)

Residence: 292 - 4 Ave East Kalispell MONTANA
 (Street and house number) (Town or city) (County) (State)

* Enlisted in NA at Ft Geo Wright Wash Dec 14/17 -
 † Born in Grafton N Dak -
 Organizations: Co 17 20 Engrs to Disch 22 8/12 yrs -

Grades: Pvt 1cl Aug 22/18 -

Engagements: -

Wounds or other injuries received in action: None. -

‡ Served overseas: Feb 1/18 to May 28/19 -

§ Hon. disch. June 10/19 on demobilization -

Was reported per cent disabled on date of discharge, in view of occupation. -

Remarks: 0 -

Form No. 724-1½, A. G. O. *Insert "R. A.", "N. G.", "E. R. C.", "N. A.", as case may be, followed by place and date of enlistment. † Give place of birth and date of birth, or age at enlistment. ‡ Give dates of departure from and arrival in the United States. § Give date.
 March 12, 1920.
 3-7688

MT, Military record -

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LIST OR MANIFEST OF ALIENS EMPLOYED ON THE VESSEL AS MEMBERS OF CREW

Required under Act of Congress of February 5, 1917, to be delivered to the United States Immigration office by the representatives of any vessel having such aliens on board upon arrival at a port of the United States

Vessel Amer. Oil S. Pearl, arriving at Port Angeles, Aug 10, 1940, from the port of Victoria B.C. Can.

(1) No. on list	(2) Whether member of crew on last voyage to U.S.	(3) NAME IN FULL Family name Given name	(4) Length service at sea	(5) Position is ship's company	(6) SHIPPED OR ENGAGED When Where	(7) Whether able to read and write in English at port of arrival	(8) Whether able to read and write in English at port of arrival	(9) Age	(10) Sex	(11) Race	(12) Nationality	(13) Height	(14) Weight	(15) Physical marks, disabilities, or disease	(16) Remarks Qualifying passport or other documents and if no charter provisions to support (see item 15)	(17) Action of Immigration (This space for Government use only)
1	Yes	Johnson Gray H.	36	Master	1905 Port Angeles, Wash. U.S.	No	Yes	57	Male	Scandinavian	Amer.	5'6"	196			
2	No	Gunnarsson Stuart J.	17	Mate	8-5-1940 Seattle, Wash. U.S.	Yes	Yes	46	Male	Scotch	Amer.	5'8"	173			
3	No	Martin Stuart	19	Deck Hand	8-9-1940 Port Angeles, Wash. U.S.	Yes	Yes	16	Male	English	Amer.	6'2"	150			

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Sig 3/29/42
 CHECK TYPE REQUIRED
 (See instructions attached)

☐ UPRIGHT MARBLE HEADSTONE
☒ FLAT MARBLE MARKER
☐ FLAT GRANITE MARKER
☐ BRONZE MARKER

APPLICATION FOR HEADSTONE OR MARKER
 (PLEASE MAKE OUT AND RETURN IN DUPLICATE)

Enlistment dates December 14, 1917
 Discharge dates June 10, 1919
 Pension number
 Serial number A. S. # 250485

ORIGINAL
 FLAT MARBLE

Name	Rank	Company	U. S. Regiment, State Organization, or Vessel	Date of Death
Cairncross, Stewart J.	Pvt 1st	17th	20th Engineers	Mar 17, 1942

Name of Cemetery	Located in or near— City State	If World War Veteran Division State	EMBLEM Christian X Hebrew None
Mount Angeles	Port Angeles Wash.	none Mont.	

To be shipped to Leonard J. Gear, at Port Angeles, Wash.
 (Name of consignee) (Give R. R., NAME OF TOWN, county, and State)

Whose post-office address is Route # 1, Port Angeles, Wash.

DO NOT WRITE HERE

For verification MAR 20 1942

Ordered MAY 23 1942 COLUMBUS, MISS.

B/L 5547378

Shipped 7/24/42

This application is for a headstone or marker for the UNMARKED grave of a veteran. It is understood the Government STONE will be furnished and shipped freight prepaid at Government expense to you direct, where "Delivery Service" by the railroad is in effect; otherwise to the nearest railroad station or steamboat landing above indicated. The BRONZE marker will be shipped at Government expense by parcel post to consignee direct. I hereby agree to accept promptly the headstone or marker at destination, remove it, and properly place it at decedent's grave at my expense.

Signature Leonard J. Gear Applicant.

Address Rt. #1, Port Angeles, Wash. Date Mar 23, 1942

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Stewart J. Cairncross

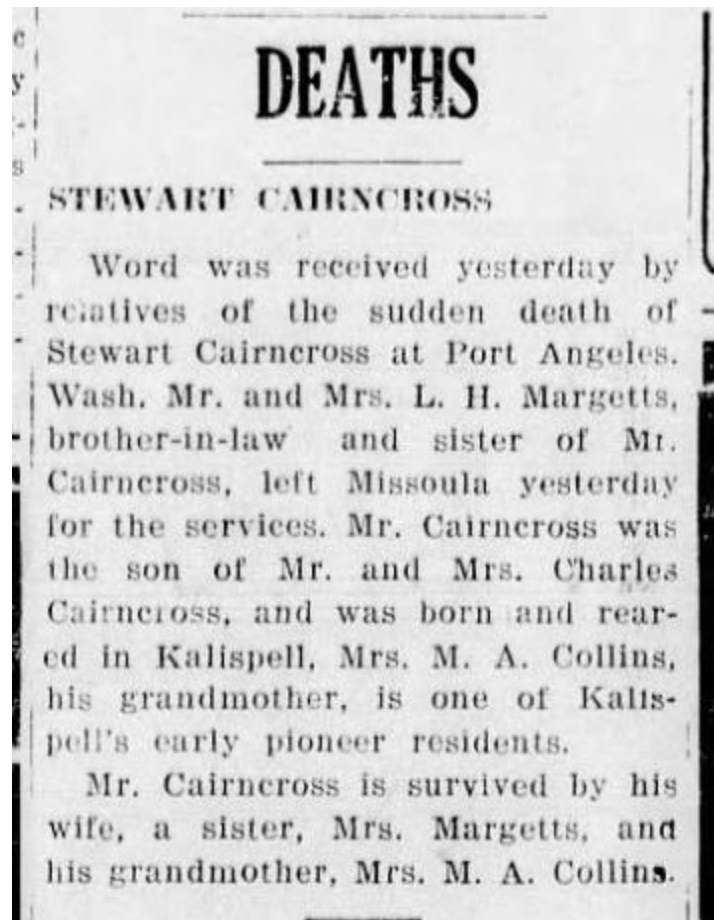
in the Washington, U.S., Select Death Index, 1907-1960

Name	Stewart J. Cairncross
Gender	Male
Marital Status	Married
Age	46
Estimated Birth Year	abt 1896
Death Date	17 Mar 1942
Death Place	Port Angeles, Clallam, Washington
Father	Charles Cairncross
Mother	Elida Mae Collins
Spouse	Pearl Cairncross
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE BUREAU OF THE CENSUS		WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		State File No. <u>2458</u> Registrar's No. <u>37</u>	
1. PLACE OF DEATH:		2. USUAL RESIDENCE OF DECEASED:			
(a) County <u>Okanogan</u>		(a) State <u>Washington</u> (b) County <u>Okanogan</u>			
(b) City or town <u>Port Angeles</u> (If outside city or town limits, write RURAL)		(c) City or town <u>Port Angeles</u> (If outside city or town limits, write RURAL)			
(c) Name of hospital or institution: <u>Port Angeles General Hosp.</u>		(d) Street No. <u>114</u> East <u>3rd</u> (If rural give location)			
(d) Length of stay: In hospital or institution <u>2 days</u> (If not in hospital or institution write street number of residence) In this community (years, months or days) <u>10 years</u>		(e) If foreign born, how long in U. S. A.?			
3. (a) FULL NAME <u>James J. Cairncross</u>		3. (c) Social Security Number <u>536-12-1157</u>			
2. (b) Was deceased ever a member of the Armed, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States? <u>No</u> If so, name of organization to which such service was rendered <u>U.S. Navy</u> Period of service <u>1940-1941</u>		MEDICAL CERTIFICATION			
4. Sex <u>Male</u> 5. Color or race <u>White</u> 6(a) Single, widowed, married, divorced <u>Married</u>		10. Date of death: Month <u>March</u> day <u>17</u> year <u>1942</u> hour <u>4</u> minute <u>45</u>			
6. (b) Name of husband or wife <u>Pearl Cairncross</u> 6(c) Age of husband or wife if alive <u>53</u> years		21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from <u>Mar 16</u> , 19 <u>42</u> , to <u>Mar 17</u> , 19 <u>42</u> , and that death occurred on the date and hour stated above.			
7. Birth date of deceased: April <u>10</u> , 19 <u>95</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)		Immediate cause of death: <u>Coronary Thrombosis</u> Duration <u>76 hrs</u>			
8. AGE: Years <u>46</u> Months <u>11</u> Days <u>7</u> If less than one day hr. min.		Due to <u>CHK</u>			
9. Birthplace <u>Grafton</u> <u>North Dakota</u> (City, town or county) (State or foreign country)		Due to			
10. Usual occupation <u>Truck Driver</u>		Other conditions (to state pregnancy within 3 months of death)			
11. Industry or business <u>Johnson Truck & Storage</u>		Major findings: Of operations			
12. Name <u>Charles Cairncross</u>		Of autopsy			
13. Birthplace <u>Litchfield</u> <u>Minnesota</u> (City, town, or county) (State or foreign country)		22. If death was due to external causes, fill in the following:			
14. Maiden name <u>Elida Mae Collins</u>		(a) Accident, suicide, or homicide (specify)			
15. Birthplace <u>St. Augustine</u> <u>Ontario Ca.</u> (City, town, or county) (State or foreign country)		(b) Date of occurrence			
16. (a) Informant's own signature <u>Pearl Cairncross</u>		(c) Where did injury occur? (City or town) (County) (State)			
(b) Address <u>Port Angeles, Wn.</u>		(d) Did injury occur in or about home, on farm, in industrial place, in public place?			
17. (a) <u>Burial</u> (b) Date thereof <u>3/20/42</u> (Method, cremation, or removal) (Month) (Day) (Year)		While at work? <u>No</u> (Specify type of place)			
(c) Place: burial or cremation <u>Port Angeles Ca.</u>		Signature <u>James J. Cairncross</u> (M. D. or other)			
18. (a) Signature of funeral director <u>J.C. McConell</u>		Address <u>Port Angeles</u> Date signed <u>Mar 17, 1942</u>			
(b) Address <u>Port Angeles, Wn.</u>					
19. (a) <u>3-19-42</u> (b) <u>Walter Matheson</u> (Date received local registration) (Attending physician's signature)					

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"Kalispell (MT) Inter Lake" Thursday 19 Mar 1942 p 5

Stuart J Cairncross (b 4/10/1895; d5/___/1942)

⁹ Captain Stuart J. Cairncross, 46, master of the tug Marion and a resident of Port Angeles since 1923, passed away here early today of heart failure after a brief illness. The remains are at the McDonald Funeral Home pending completion of funeral arrangements which will be announced later. Captain Cairncross was born April 10, 1895 at Grafton, ND. He came to Port Angeles from Kalispell, Montana in 1923 and has resided here since. He was employed by the Johnston Tug and Barge Company over 15 years. He was married to Mrs. Pearl Wold June 30, 1929 in Port Angeles. He was a member of the Mates, Mates and Pilots Union and the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Surviving relatives include the widow, Mrs. Pearl Cairncross, Port Angeles; a sister, Mrs. Marjorie Margetts, Missoula, Montana; a brother, Charles Cairncross, Seattle, and grandmother, Mrs. Collins, Missoula. Captain Cairncross was widely known in waterfront circles of Puget Sound and had many friends in Port Angeles.

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Life:

THE CHILDREN ARE JOYFUL

(Concluded from page 5.)

First Grade—West.

Sleighting Song

"The Christmas Story".....

Nora Riach, Vera Crisler, Edna
Cothlin, Mabel Lacher, Lela
Grant.

Recitation Myrtle Redmond

Recitation Rosetta Scheibe

Song, "Christmas Night"

Recitation, "Christmas Bells" ..

..... Myrtle Ledgerwood

Recitation Ivan Black

Recitation Philo Gregg

Recitation, Lillie Zook

Recitation, "My Dolly"

..... Gwendolen Steele

Recitation,

Wray McGlaughlin, Harold Smith

Willie Moore, Freddie Cross, An-

thony Therres, Alex Swaney.

Song, "Bethlehem Star"

Recitation Mabelle Snyder

Recitation Effie Hetrick

Recitation Lillie Zook

Santa Claus Exercise

Emitt Bell, Willie Hetrick, Clar-

ence Gilbertson, Hurvey Hetzer,

Royal Hopkins, Edson Kelley,

Charley McCarty, Claud Smith,

Willie Scown, Archie Torkelson.

Song, "A Jolly Old Man,"

John Wilcox, Charles Madsen,

Robbie Higgins, Roy Richards,

Recitation Roy Ogden

Recitation Jessie Howard

Recitation Earl Redmond

Recitation Clarence Kelley

Song, "Christmas Star"

Exercise, "Santa's Letter"

Paul Bachant, Roy Carlston,

Earl Gregg, Earl Miller, Alfred

Schultz, Fay Stott, George Lane-

gan.

Recitation, "Santa's Mistakes" ..

..... Agatha Bachellor

Recitation, "An Oversight"

..... Stuart Cairncross

Song, .. Alma Thurman, Nettie How-

ard, Zora Johnson, Myrtle Gar-

iepy, Margaret Munker, Madge

McGravy, Hazel Darlow, Annie

Woll.

Recitation, "The Lucky Boy," ..

..... Fred Haines

Recitation, "Christmas Secrets".

..... Margie Cairncross

Song, "Manger Hymn."

Song, "Merry Christmas Bells."

A Christmas tree will be arranged

by the pupils for some little ones not

in school.

MORE MEN LEAVING TO JOIN 20TH ENGINEERS

THIRTEEN LEFT LAST NIGHT TO
JOIN FORESTRY REGIMENT—
MORE GO TONIGHT.

Thirteen more men left Kalispell last night for Spokane to enlist in the Twentieth engineers, the forestry regiment, and R. P. McLaughlin, of the Blackfeet forest, who has charge of enlistments here, is busy today taking applications for another contingent who will leave tonight.

The men who left last night are: John J. Lindsey, Lloyd E. Griffith, Ed M. Straka, James J. Tucker, Walter P. Damp, Stewart J. Cairncross, Joseph D. Bayse, John D. Morrow, Henry Jacob Seematter and George F. Lanegan all of Kalispell, Frank A. Lehman of Somers, Leonard Carlson of Ny and Peter J. Lavelle of Polson.

"Daily Inter Lake" (Kalispell MT) Tuesday 11 Dec 1917 p 1

Flathead Enlistments During Closing Days

Special to The Daily Tribune.

Kalispell, Dec. 12.—Many Flathead men of draft age have taken advantage of the final days during which they can enlist, and are leaving on nearly every train for either Spokane or Seattle to take their examinations. H. B. Marques re-enlisted in the marines; Noble Turner, Grant Prestbye and Phil Holzknecht made application in the aviation squadron; John Morrow, Frank Lehman and Joe Bacye of Olney and Stewart Cairncross, F. F. Metcalf, Joe Kennedy, Bon Steel of Kalispell and the two sons of J. C. Cline of Polson enlisted in the forestry regiment. Harry W. Ross, for over five years in the postal service here, enlisted in the aviation section of the signal corps.

“Great Falls (MT) Tribune” Thursday 13 Dec 1917 p 4

S. J. Cairncross, enlisted in Company E. He came from Kalispell, Idaho, December 16 and left here December 17. He went to Washington, D. C., in December. He has a sister, Mrs. C. C. Goodfellow, living at the New Madison hotel, and a sister, Miss Marjorie Cairncross, of the same address.

“Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review” Friday 8 Feb 1918 p 1

MANY FLATHEAD MEN ON BOARD TUSCANIA

An investigation of the records today shows that over 100 men enlisted from Kalispell in the 20th engineers, part of which regiment, the sixth battalion, was on board the ill-fated Tuscania. An effort to determine which of these men were probably on board the transport was made but proved a difficult task for there is no information available as to the company and battalion the men are in except the correspondence received from the men since they entered the army.

Many of the Kalispell men are in the fifth battalion which is supposed to be still in Washington. Among the men who were probably aboard the transport were: Emil A. Anderson, Fred F. Metcalf, Stewart J. Cairncross, Joseph D. Bayse and Joseph J. Tucker.

"Daily Inter Lake" (Kalispell MT) Saturday 9 Feb 1918 p 1

THREE SPOKANE MEN SAFE

Relatives Hear From Men on Board Tuscania.

Word telling that three Spokane men who were on board the British transport Tuscania when it was torpedoed off the north Irish coast last Tuesday are safe was received by relatives in this city yesterday.

Percival M. Blake, son-in-law of W. S. McCrea, was accounted for by a telegram received by Mr. McCrea from J. P. Blake of Hampton, N. H., which said: "Cable just received from Percy. Safe and well." Mr. Blake is with company F, Sixth battalion of the 20th engineer regiment.

Joe Lavin received a telegram from Adjutant General McCann which said: "Officially reported that Thomas E. Lavin, on board Tuscania, is saved." He is at Larne, Ireland. T. E. Lavin was formerly deputy city auditor.

S. J. Cairncross, a member of company E, 20th engineers, who enlisted from Kalispell, is also safe. He has two sisters, Mrs. D. C. Goodfellow and Miss Marjorie Cairncross, at the New Madison hotel.

"Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Sunday 10 Feb 1918 p 1

FLATHEAD MEN REPORTED SAFE

Telegrams were received from Adjutant General McCain Saturday and yesterday giving the names of eight Flathead men who were among those rescued from the Tuscania. All were members of the Sixth Battalion of the 20th engineers.

Joseph D. Bayse.
Emil A. Anderson.
Stewart J. Cairncross.
Joseph G. Tucker.
John D. Morrow.
Peter J. Lavelle.
Fred F. Metcalf.
Walter P. Damon.

Several other Flathead men are believed to have been on the Tuscania, but nothing definite will probably be known until the complete list of survivors reaches Washington, and is checked up with the official list of those aboard the ship.

"Daily Inter Lake" (Kalispell MT) Monday 11 Feb 1918 p 1

Eight Flathead Men Rescued on Tuscania

Special to The Daily Tribune.

Kalispell, Feb. 13.—The names of eight Flathead men appear among those rescued from the Tuscania. All were members of the sixth battalion of the 20th engineers. It was believed that more Flathead men were on board but definite information has not as yet been received. Relatives have received telegrams from Adjutant General McCain announcing the safety of the eight men who are Joseph D. Bayse, Emil A. Anderson, Fred F. Metcalf, Walter P. Damon, Peter J. Lavelle, Stewart J. Cairncross, John D. Morrow and Joseph J. Tucker.

"Great Falls (MT) Tribune" Thursday 14 Feb 1918 p 4

TUSCANIA SURVIVOR WRITES TO PARENTS HERE.

The first letters from Flathead boys who were on board the Tuscania were received by relatives here yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. David Morrow received a letter from their son John, who was with the 20th Engineers. The letter has been cut in ribbons by the censor and very little left. A newspaper clipping which had been enclosed had been taken out. After being picked up young Morrow landed on the coast of Ireland and he enclosed in his letter a sprig of shamrock from the Emerald Isle. His letter in part is as follows:

"Just a few lines to let you know that I am all right, but not got to our destination yet. I am sending you a clipping from a newspaper of a little trouble in which we had a part. Was in a life boat for five hours, but got picked up all O. K. Stewart Cairncross, Joe Tucker, Fred Metcalf and I were all landed together. The bunch is pretty well scattered but I think all were saved. We had a good time on our trip, and where we are now the people treat us fine."

"Daily Inter Lake" (Kalispell MT) Tuesday 5 Mar 1918 p 1

EIGHT DESTROYERS GUARDED TUSCANIA

S. Cairncross, in Letter, Describes
Scenes on the Torpedoed
Boat.

KEPT AFLOAT THREE HOURS

Had Strong Convoy From Halifax—
Men Got Warm Welcome
in Ireland.

The first letter from Stewart Cairncross, survivor of the Tuscania disaster, has been received by Miss Marjorie Cairncross, his sister, who resides at the New Madigon hotel. Mr. Cairncross enlisted December 10 from Spokane with the 20th engineers, Sixth battalion, Company E.

The letter describing his experiences follows:

"We left camp and went to New York; went right on the ship, which was a dandy big liner, and stayed over night and left the next day. Went to Halifax and saw the place where the big explosion came off. It was sure some sight. Left there with a convoy of 12, one a cruiser. We were out 12 days when it happened.

Were in Center of Convoy.

"We were in the center of the convoy, with eight destroyers around it, and had been in sight of the Ulster coast all afternoon. At about 6 we were torpedoed and all the lights went out. I was in bed taking a nap at the time, but got on deck with the rest of them. As soon as we were hit the ship took a big list to starboard and stayed there. I had my belt tied up to be used for a seat and had a hard time with it. When I got on top the rest of the boats had run, except the destroyer, which was sneaking all around us with no lights. I helped to get No. 14 away, with John Morrow, Joe Tucker and Fred Metcalf in it, and went to work on my boat, No. 14A.

Ship Floated Three Hours.

"The forward fall broke and it dropped and plowed for a while until we let the other go by the run. It filled, but we went down the falls and baled it out and got away all right. The ship stayed up for a little better than three hours, which was lucky for the rest of the boys. They didn't all have as good luck as we.

"We were out six hours and were picked up by a British trawler and taken to an Irish port. Say, we were the first American troops ever seen in Erin and you ought to have seen our welcome. They treated us like little tin gods for the two days and a half that we were there. Best rooms, best grub, and the girls filled up the rest of our time with shows, eats, tobacco, dances, concerts, and we had a parade with the naval band. Lots of the boys had temporary homes with private families and the town was open for us. The mayor told us that if we wanted anything we only had to ask for it or hint at it and it was ours.

"We are in a convalescent camp now and it is full of Scots and they are doing everything for us. When we got off the train a bunch of them were at the tracks in their kilts and we marched here to the music (?) of the bagpipes.

"We were all lucky, but our Company E has had nothing but praise for the way we worked and helped get away. Some even went back to the canteen and got candy for the bunch and passed it around."

"Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Friday 8 Mar 1918 p 6

FROM STEWART J. CAIRNCROSS.

Captieux de Gironde, Jan. 2.
Mr. Joe Mobline Kahn, Kalispell,
Mont.

Dear Friend Joe:—I have been going to write, but have not had time until tonight. Have not got much to say but will write what I can. John Morrow, Joe Bayse, Fred Metcalf and Joe Tucker are in the same company that I am. You know Frank Lehman left Kalispell with us, but he got left at Spokane. I have not seen him over here, but he has written to us several times. I went to another town last summer and while there I saw Sid Franklin. I was very much surprised to see him, because we did not know that he was near our town. He is going to sail for home the first part of this month. We think that we will start for home in about two months. I think we will be in America again by the 15th of March. You can ask Charlie when we will be there and when that time comes you must have a big lunch of tamales cooked for us. We have not had any now for over a year. Don't forget, you still owe me one. We have got one big saw mill here now and we are building another one so we can get through quick. We are building a railroad about eight miles long to haul the logs on. I am working on

the railroad now, but when it is finished I think I will work in the mill. I have worked at the mill at the other towns we were in. We have been at three different places working on big logging jobs and we were at Verdun for two weeks, but we had to come back here because there was no work for us. I saw some of the front but it was after the war was over.

Well, I know that there are no saloons in Kalispell now and I guess I will have to drink what beer I will want while I am over here. How does prohibition affect your business? If you are still in the new place it ought not to hurt you any. Father sent me a camera for Christmas and I am going to get a lot of pictures of this country before I go home. If I get any good ones I will show them to you. I have been in several of the large cities and have got a lot of postcard pictures of the cities. Everything here is much different than at home and the French people are not the same as our people. I can talk a little French, but not much. I wish you would write me a letter if you have time. I will close for this time, with best wishes
PVT. STEWART J. CAIRNCROSS.
17th Co., 20th Engineers, American E. F., France.

"Daily Inter Lake" (Kalispell MT) Saturday 8 Feb 1919 p 4

MONTANA SOLDIERS ARRIVE IN NEW YORK CITY FROM OVERSEAS

The state headquarters of the United States employment service has received advice of the return from overseas duty of the following Montana soldiers:

Excerpt:

From U. S. S. Santa Paula: Jesse S. Nelson, Alma; Paul C. Rasmussen, Anaconda; Wilbur E. Lancaster, Arlee; Charles G. Bennett, Ashley; Goalman White, Augusta; Carl Vinqvist, Beckert; Guy N. Scholten, Big Timber; Edward C. Green, Billings; Grover J. Rademaker, Billings; Geo. H. Hay, Butte; Clarence W. McCollum, Cascade; James Ferris, Great Falls; Peter H. Stewart, Great Falls; Clifford M. Fletcher, Hamilton; Andrew L. Knudson, Hinsdale; Stewart J. Cairncross, Kalispell; Walter P. Damon, Kalispell; John D. Manon, Kalispell; Frederick F. Metcalf, Kalispell; Peter T. Saville, Kalispell; James J. Tucker, Kalispell; Howard N. Edwards, Missoula; Thomas Grover Means, Cascade; Edward T.

"Great Falls (MT) Leader" Saturday 14 Jun 1919 p 6

STEWART CAIRNCROSS HOME.

Stewart Cairncross, member of the Twentieth Engineers, and one of the Kalispell boys to get a cold bath a year ago last March when the kaiser's submarines sunk the Tuscania, was with the contingent which arrived here yesterday morning. Inadvertently his name was omitted from the list published yesterday.

"Daily Inter Lake" (Kalispell MT) Saturday 14 Jun 1919 p 1

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Collins entertained at dinner last evening in honor of Mrs. W. Graham and Mrs. M. Smith, both of Minnesota, who are visiting their brother, C. F. Cairncross. Covers were laid for eight, and the following were present: Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cairncross, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Cairncross, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Collins.

Stewart had married Jessie Pierce Norris on 7 Jun 1920 – "Daily Inter Lake" (Kalispell MT) Wednesday 1 Sep 1920 p 5

Charles and Stuart Cairncross, sons of Charles Cairncross and a

daughter from Spokane arrived here last week to be with their father during his illness. Mr. Cairncross is improving slowly.

"Daily Inter Lake" (Kalispell MT) Friday 12 Nov 1926 p9

S. J. Cairncross of Kila registered today at the Montana hotel.

"Daily Inter Lake" (Kalispell MT) Wednesday 22 Dec 1926 p 5

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Cairncross of Port Angeles, Wash., visited Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Collins.

"Missoula (MT) Times" Friday 15 Nov 1935 p 8

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Cairncross of Port Angeles, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Collins, Mrs. Haviland Jensen, Mrs. Carl Jones and L. F. Margetts were callers Monday at the G. H. Collins home.

Stewart, wife & sister Marjorie Margetts – "Missoula (MT) Times" Friday 15 Oct 1937 p 7

Plans Complete For Reunion of Leviathan Vets

Local World War veterans, who will be host to the reunion of those who crossed the Atlantic on the first trip of the troop ship Leviathan in December, 1917, have completed details of their program and are in readiness to make this reunion, the second of its kind held in Western Montana, the biggest and best ever staged.

With the assurance from many veterans over the entire northwest that they will attend the reunion, a crowd of several hundred is expected to register for the celebration, according to A. A. O'Claire, general chairman. Western Montana alone is expected to be represented by 200 or more. In addition, Washington, Idaho, North Dakota and Minnesota will also send delegations.

The program, as drawn up by General Chairman O'Claire and T. C. Spaulding, president of the group, features Sunday's activities, with registration opening at the American Legion hall, over the Palm, early Sunday forenoon.

The program is as follows:

Headquarters 1917 Leviathan Vets.

Kalispell, Montana, October 14, 1939.

Special Orders No. 1.

Subject: 1939 Reunion.

To: All 1917 Leviathan Veterans.

1. Registration, Legion hall.
2. Chow—6 p. m., Legion hall, Gene Foot, mess sergeant.
3. Meeting—6:45 p. m., A. A. O'Claire, acting adjutant.
4. Address of Welcome—Mayor F. O. Williams.
5. Response — Captain T. C. Spaulding, Missoula.
6. Introduction of distinguished guests and survivors of torpedoed troop ship Tuscania.
7. Business meeting — Walter Charnholm, adjutant; election of permanent officers for 1940.
9. Selection 1940 meeting place.
10. Meeting of special committees —10 p. m. to 12 p. b.; Al Schak, Missoula, chairman.

"Daily Inter Lake" Friday 13 Oct 1939 p 5

Spaulding Is Head Of Leviathan Vets

Dean T. C. Spaulding of Missoula was elected commander of the First Leviathan Veterans of 1917 for the coming year at the second annual get-together of the organization held here Saturday and Sunday. Other officers named were A. A. O'Claire, Kalispell, first vice commander; A. C. Hanson, Kalispell, adjutant, and Walt Charnholm, Missoula, finance officer.

Mayor F. O. Williams opened the meeting Saturday night at American Legion hall with an address of welcome. Response to his remarks was made by Dean Spaulding. An address was given by Admond McElliott, department adjutant of the Disabled American Veterans, who was paying a visit to the Kalispell chapter of the D. A. V.

It was decided the official name of the group would be First Leviathan Veterans of 1917. Membership would include all soldiers, sailors and nurses who sailed on the troopship's first voyage, leaving this country December 14, 1917.

Survivors of the torpedoed troopship, Tuscania, were guests of the group and were presented with the German flag of the submarine which sunk the Tuscania.

Commander Spaulding appointed committees on constitution, purpose and by-laws. Further committees are to be appointed later.

Sunday was devoted to informal reunions of the 150 veterans from all over Montana, Idaho and Washington who attended the highly successful meeting.

A committee appointed by the commander selected Hot Springs for the get-together in 1940.

"Kalispell (MT) Times-Monitor" Thursday 19 Oct 1939 p 1 -
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Veterans attending the reunion of Tuscania survivors at Joe Basye's home Sunday night, were John Morrow, Joe Tucker, Pete Lavelle, John McMillan, S. J. Cairncross, Fred Metcalf and the host.

"Kalispell (MT) Times-Monitor" Thursday 9 Feb 1939 p 8

SURVIVORS OF THE TUSCANIA SINKING TO HAVE REUNION

Yesterday was the twenty-third anniversary of the sinking of the American troopship Tuscania off the west coast of Ireland and local survivors, of which there were 12 from Kalispell, are planning some kind of a reunion as has been their custom for the past score of years.

Perhaps one of the most interesting accounts of the Tuscania disaster was contained in a letter written by Stewart Cairncross, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Cairncross of Kalispell, who was with the 20 Engineers, Sixth battalion, Company E.

"We were in the center of a convoy of 12 ships, with eight destroyers around it, and had been in sight of the Ulster coast all afternoon. At about 6 o'clock we were torpedoed and all the lights went out. I was in bed taking a nap at the time, but got on deck with the rest of them. As soon as the ship was hit it took a big list to the starboard and stayed there. I had my belt tied up to be used for a seat and had a hard time with it. When I got on top the rest of the boats had run, except a destroyer, which was snaking all around us with no lights.

"I helped get No. 14 away, with John Morrow, Joe Tucker and Fred Metcalf in it, and went to work on my boat, No. 14-A.

"The forward fall broke and it dropped and plowed for a while but we went down the falls and bailed out and got away all right. The ship stayed up for a little better than three hours, which was lucky for the rest of the boys. They didn't all have as good luck as we..

"We were out six hours and were picked up by a British trawler and taken to an Irish port. Say, we were the first American troops ever seen in Erin and you ought to have seen our welcome. They treated us like little tin gods for the two days and a half we were there. Best rooms, best grub and the girls filled up the rest of our time with shows, eats, tobacco, dances, concerts, and we had a parade with the naval band. Lots of boys had temporary homes with private families and the town was open for us. The mayor told us if we wanted anything we only had to ask for it or hint it and it was ours."

Mr. Cairncross now lives on the coast, but there are still half a dozen or more survivors of the torpedoed ship living here. His letter on the disaster was written to his sister, Miss Marjorie Cairncross, who was living in Spokane at the time, and was published in the Spokesman Review on March 18, 1918.

Left on lifeboat 14A, after the forward fall (rope) had broken & they bailed it out - "Daily Inter Lake" (Kalispell MT) Thursday 6 Feb 1941 p 9

Editor, Inter Lake:

WHY I LIKE KALISPELL

Coming here 42 years ago, I was a tenderfoot unaccustomed to western ways. I had lived in Philadelphia. In those days Kalispell was a small town. I have traded horses on the Main street. Several days after a horse trade, the conversation was like this:

"Hey John! You doggone horse thief. You beat me on that hoss."

"Sure! you little black-whiskered billy goat. I'll beat you again if you trade."

"No you won't. I'll get you the next time. Ha! Ha! Ha!"

There never was any animosity in trading horses or anything else. Everybody was your friend. It is this feeling of friendship that makes this place outstanding.

"Bill, lend me \$10 for a few days." Bill pulls a wad of money out of his hip pocket. "Here it is." No questions asked.

When I pay it back a few days later, he says, "Hell, John, keep it. I don't need it. I have over \$700 in the bank, and I get nearly \$300 a month from rentals."

Incidents of this kind are an every day occurrence in Kalispell. You go down to the court house to pay your taxes on the last day and find you haven't quite enough money. Cal will say, "Bring it in tomorrow, and I will fix so you won't have any penalty to pay." He probably paid it out of his pocket.

"I hear you are doing a little logging, John."

"Yes, I am, George."

"How are you fixed for money?"

"Well, George, I am going to the bank and try to borrow \$150."

"No need to do that, John. I have \$400 in the First National bank. It is not drawing any interest. Come on over and I'll fix you up."

George says, "Let this man have \$250 on a checking account."

"We should have a note made."

"No," he says, "you can pay me when you get your money from the Kalispell Lumber Co."

I was the owner of the logs. These are the things which make me like Kalispell. It is the people that make a town, not the buildings and lawns, although they are beautiful. We are not behind

in culture either. We have an author who writes good mystery stories, a student in Europe studying music, a man with a Carnegie medal, and many other notable people. We have nine survivors of the Lusitania which was sunk in the first World war. It was sunk off the coast of Ireland in the North Sea. Some of them landed in Scotland on a rocky shore after a perilous night on a small boat. In fact, all who were saved landed in boats. There were ships close by. They had orders to stay as they were afraid the sub would get more of them.

Here are the names of the survivors: Emil Anderson, Joe Basye, Walter Dayman, Fred Metcalf, Pete Lavelle, Stewart Cairncross, John Morrow, Joe Tucker.

I am particularly interested in this because my boy was on the ship just ahead of it and saw the Lusitania go down.

JOHN KERN.

John Kern states his son was on the ship ahead of the "Lusitania" (sunk in 1915, a passenger ship, not a troopship, not the troopship "Tuscania" sunk Feb 1918) – "Daily Inter Lake" (Kalispell MT) Tuesday 27 Sep 1949 p 4

Wife Jessie:

V. S. No. 8 15M
DEPT. OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

Original Record for State Registrar
CERTIFICATE OF DELAYED BIRTH REGISTRATION

State File No. **3687**
Bureau of V. S.

Registrar's No. **146** STATE OF MONTANA

Name at Birth **Jessie Oral Clothier** Date of Birth **July 19, 1896**
Birthplace **Lakeside, near Somers, Flathead** (City or Town) (County) (State) Sex **Female**

FATHER
Full Name **George Washington Clothier**
Color or race **White** Birth year **1852**
Birthplace **Adams County, Illinois** (City or Town) (State or Country)

MOTHER
Maiden Name **Amelia Ann Stevens**
Color or race **White** Birth year **1858**
Birthplace **Tazewell County, Illinois** (City or Town) (State or Country)

SIGNATURE OF PERSON REGISTERED
Jessie Pierce Antenen
(Exactly as used at present time)
Jessie Oral Clothier

*If married woman sign maiden name here also

STATE OF **Montana**
COUNTY OF **Flathead**

ABSTRACT OF EVIDENCE
(If additional space is needed, use reverse side)

Letterhead County Superintendent of Schools, Flathead County, Montana signed and sealed Jan. 30, 1942, Lilian L. Peterson, Supt., records of school census for year 1907 shows Jessie Clothier born July 19, 1896.

Affidavit of Ann Clothier of Kalispell, Montana that she is the mother of Jessie Clothier, now Jessie Antenen of Port Angeles, Washington, who was born on July 19th, 1896, at Lakeside, near Somers, Montana.

Letterhead Clerk of Court, Flathead County, Montana signed and sealed Oliver F. Vose, Clerk of the District Court, by Amanda Nelson, Deputy, marriage license issued on Oct. 13, 1915 to James R. Pierce, Sr. and Jessie O. Clothier, record shows that Jessie Clothier was born July 19th, 1896 at Somers, Montana.

I, *Oliver F. Vose*, Clerk of the District Court, have examined THREE documents of different origins, which I have abstracted herein, and to my best knowledge and belief the evidence submitted above is true.

Subscribed and sworn to by me this **9** day of **February**, 19**42**
County Clerk (Title) *Y. Recorder* (Signature)

(SEAL) (Signature)

This certificate of delayed birth registration is not valid until approved by the Montana State Registrar of Vital Statistics or his designated agent.

Date received by Local Registrar **2-20-42** Approved **W. F. Cogswell**
Local Registrar's Signature *J. P. Lamb* Date **2-14-42** by *W. F. Cogswell*

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

Name	Stewart James Carrincross
Gender	Male
Race	White
Age	25
Birth Date	abt 1895
Birth Place	Park River, N. Dakota
Marriage Date	7 Jun 1920
Marriage Place	Shelby, Toole, Montana, USA
Father	C. S. Carrincross
Mother	Elydia Carrincross
Spouse	Jessie Norris
Certificate Number	385

No. 385

State of Montana } ss.
County of Toole

Stewart James Carrico

being duly sworn, says that the following named applicants for Marriage License, to-wit:

Stewart James Carrico

Resides at

Helispell, Montana

Aged *25* years months days

Born at *Dark River, N. Dakota*

Color White not previously married

Son

C. S. Carricross

His Mother's Maiden Name was

Elydia Collins

and

Jessie Norris

Resides at

1 Palisade, Mont.

Aged 23 years months days

Born at

Summit, Montana

Color

White has previously married

Husband deceased

Daughter of

George Collins

Her Mother's Maiden Name was

Anna Stevens

That they are not nearer of kin than second cousins,
and that there is no legal impediment known to said
parties entering into the marriage contract.

Stewart J. Cairncross

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this *7th*

day of *June*, A. D., 19*20*

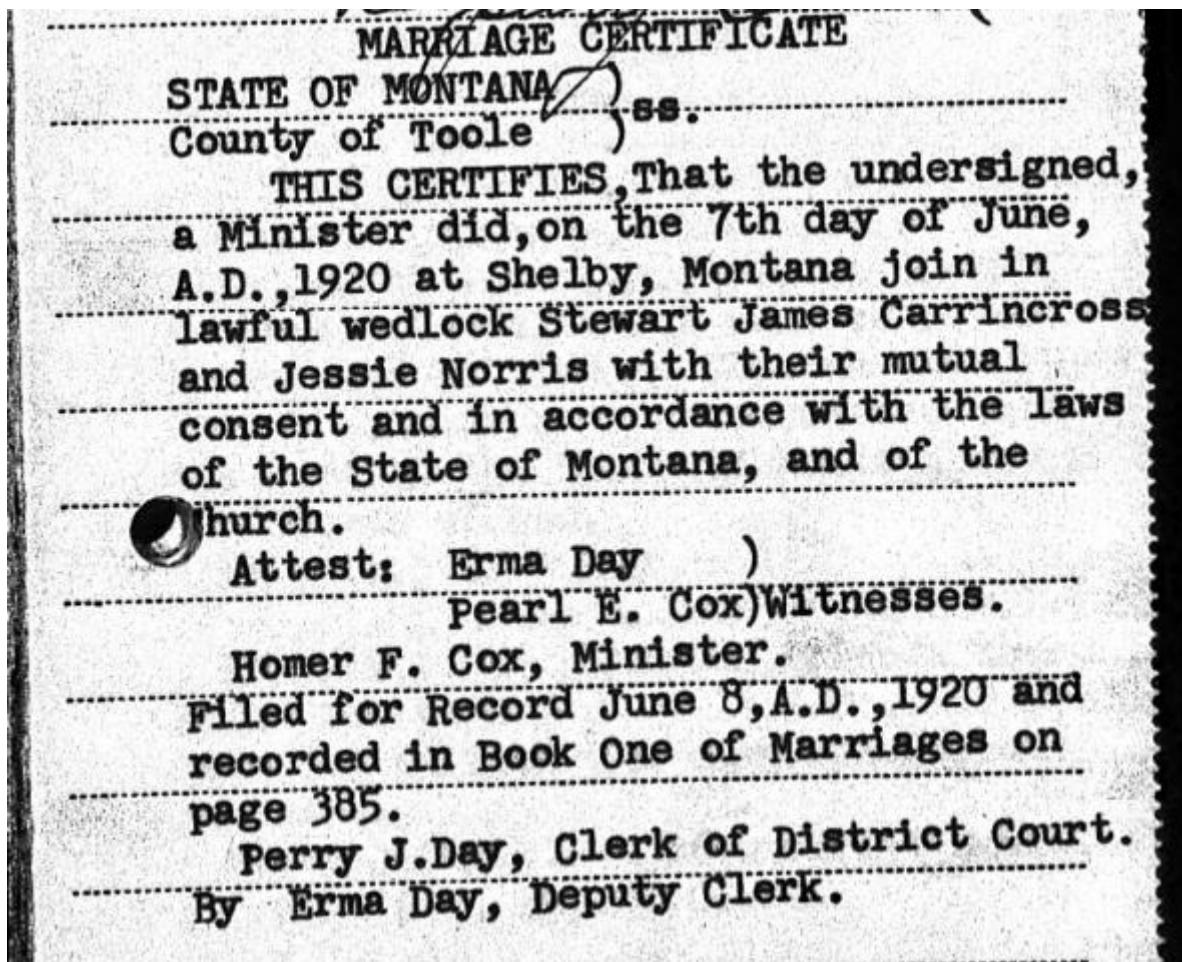
Henry J. Day

Clerk of District Court.

By

Emma Day

Deputy Clerk



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GO RIGHT AT IT

**Friends and Neighbors in Kalispell
Will Show You a Way.**

Get at the root of the trouble.
Rubbing an aching back may relieve
it,
But won't cure it if the kidneys are
weak.
You must reach the root of it—the
kidneys.
Doan's Kidney Pills go right at it;
Reach the cause; attack the pain.
Are recommended by many Kalispell
people.
Ask your neighbor!
Mrs. S. J. Cairncross, 230 3rd Ave.,
W., Kalispell, says: "I suffered with
kidney trouble and backache. When
pains and I became weak, tired and
worn-out. An attack of dizziness made
me feel as tho I were falling thru
space. Colored specks blurred my sight.
The action of my kidneys was irregu-
lar. I used Doan's Kidney Pills pur-
chased at the Fitch Drug Co. and I was
benefited in every respect."
Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't
simply ask for a kidney remedy—get
Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that
Mrs. Cairncross had. Foster-Milburn
Co., Mfrs., uBffalo, N. Y.

*Testimonials were common in newspapers of the time – "Flathead Monitor" (Kalispell MT)
Thursday 9 Aug 1923 p 2*

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

REG. DIST. NO. 18-2
REGISTRAR'S NO. 43

STATE FILE NO. 3744

1. PLACE OF DEATH
a. COUNTY Clallam
b. CITY (If county separate from town, give town and give township) Port Angeles
c. LENGTH OF STAY (If not place) 30 yrs
d. FULL NAME OF DECEASED (If not in hospital or institution, give street address or location) Institution at home Rt. 2 Mt Pleasant
e. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived, if institution, residence before admission) Wash. Clallam
f. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write ABBOT and give nearest town) Port Angeles
g. STREET (If road, give location) ADDRESS Rt. 2 Mt. Pleasant

2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived, if institution, residence before admission)
a. STATE Wash. & COUNTY Clallam
b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write ABBOT and give nearest town) Port Angeles
c. STREET (If road, give location) ADDRESS Rt. 2 Mt. Pleasant

3. NAME OF DECEASED (First, Middle, Last)
a. (First) Jessie
b. (Middle) Oral
c. (Last) Antenen

4. DATE OF DEATH (Month, Day, Year)
a. DATE OF BIRTH 7/19/1896
b. AGE (In years, last birthday) 55
c. SEX Female
d. COLOR OR RACE White
e. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, SEPARATED, DIVORCED Married
f. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) housewife
g. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY
h. FATHER'S NAME George V. Clothier
i. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? NO
j. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. none
k. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause and give due to (a), (b), and (c))
l. MEDICAL CERTIFICATION
m. DATE OF OPERATION
n. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION
o. ACCIDENT (Specify) SUICIDE, HOMICIDE
p. TIME (Month, Day, Year) (Hour) 3-11-52
q. INJURY
r. PLACE OF INJURY (If in or about home, farm, factory, street, other place, state)
s. CITY, TOWN, OR TOWNSHIP (COUNTY) (STATE)
t. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR?
u. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from 1949, to death, that I last saw the deceased alive on 3-11-52, and that death occurred at 2:30 PM, from the causes and on the date stated above.
v. SIGNATURE (Signature or Print) PROMME MO
w. ALICE
x. DATE 3/15/1952
y. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Mt. Angeles
z. LOCATION (City, town, or country) Port Angeles, Wash.
aa. DATE NOTED BY LOCAL REG. 3-18-52
ab. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE Philip C. Fisher, M.D.
ac. FUNERAL DIRECTOR (Name and Address) PETER FUNERAL HOME
ad. PORT ANGELES, Wn.
ae. APR 5 1952

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Wife Pearl:



Gunnar Johan West & Pearl Croft Wold Cairncross West –

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63	June 29 1928	Cairncross, Stewart J.	"	24	"	2nd	North Dakota	Mariner
		Wold, Pearl G.	"	41	"	"	South "	Home
Cairncross, C. S.	Collins, Edida	June 30	"	"	"	C. E. Fuhner	R. F. Johnson	
Pratt, Sam	Brooks, Arilla	"	"	"	"	Minister	S. M. Johnson	

Mariner -

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STATE OF WASHINGTON, }
 County of King } ss. VOL 158 PAGE 239 Series A 130357

THIS CERTIFIES, that the undersigned a Minister of the Gospel
 by authority of a License bearing date the 27th day of August A. D. 1946
 and issued by the County Auditor of the County of King, did on the 30th day of August
 A. D. 1946, at the City of Seattle 2256 W 61
 County and State aforesaid, join in LAWFUL WEDLOCK Gunnar West
 of the County of Seattle Wash and Mrs Pearl Grace Cairncross
 of the County of Seattle Wash with their mutual assent, in the presence of
Axel West and Mrs Arntena Anderson witnesses.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, witness the signatures of the parties to said ceremony, the witnesses and myself,
 this 30th day of August A. D. 1946.

WITNESS:	PARTIES:	OFFICIATING CLERGYMAN OR OFFICER:
<u>Axel West</u>	<u>Gunnar West</u> MALE	<u>Rev. Hon. L. Silkehu</u> 2256 W 61
<u>Arntena Anderson</u>	<u>Pearl G. Cairncross</u> FEMALE	P. O. ADDRESS <u>Seattle (7)</u> WASHINGTON

Filed _____ 19____

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 NORMAN R. RIDDELL CLERK
 KING COUNTY WASH

This Certificate must be filled out and filed with the County Clerk of the County where the ceremony is performed, within 30 days after the ceremony.—See Chapter 172, Laws of Washington of 1927.

The County Clerk's Fee for recording this Certificate is One Dollar, to be paid by the party applying for the license at the time each license is issued.—Pierce's Code, Sec. 3713.

Failure to make and deliver Certificate to the County Clerk within 30 days is punishable by a fine of not less than \$35.00 or more than \$300.00—See Pierce's Code, Sec. 3714.

NOTE—THIS CERTIFICATE MUST BE FILED WITH THE COUNTY CLERK OF THE COUNTY WHERE CEREMONY IS PERFORMED.

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The Sturgis Shooting.

The shooting at Sturgis Thursday night was done by a man named Croft, a tinner employed by T. E. Wenke. Croft had been at a ball during the night and had imbibed rather freely of fighting whisky. He went into a saloon and held up the crowd with his revolver. He helped himself to several drinks of whisky and was on the point of leaving when he turned and shot a man named "Puck" Patterson who was just entering the place. Patterson is not seriously wounded. Croft then left the place, but subsequently returned and attempted to repeat the act of holding up the crowd. They were prepared for him, and as he gave the word opened fire on him from all sides. He was wounded in two places, but not badly. He was subsequently arrested and lodged in the calaboose. Croft has heretofore borne a good reputation.

"Rapid City (SD) Journal" Friday 3 Dec 1886 p 3

BEYOND JURISDICTION.

Death of S. J. Croft, Shot While Running Amuck at Sturgis.

Samuel J. Croft, committed to jail by Justice Jewett to await the action of the grand jury upon a charge of felonious assault upon "Puck" Patterson and others, at Sturgis, last Friday, died at the county hospital at 10 o'clock Monday evening, although no report to the authorities was made until yesterday morning. The death and all circumstances connected therewith, indicate great neglect and indifference not to say inhumanity upon the part of the officials at Sturgis, and as such, the treatment accorded the wounded man is pronounced by all interested in, or cognizant of the facts of the case. A post mortem by Drs. Dickinson and

Freeman, disclosed one wound only, inflicted by a pistol bullet which entered the right leg at the front, midway between the knee and hip, striking but not shattering the bone, and glancing around and up, lodging in the fleshy part of the leg at the rear. The condition of the wound and of the limb indicated that little or no surgical treatment had been bestowed. The limb was streaked with well dried blood, and was badly gangrened. Death resulted from blood poisoning, and in the opinion of physicians, would have been averted by proper care. Deceased was about 40 years of age and of splendid physique, but immediately after receiving the wound he was thrust into the lock-up, doubly helpless from liquor and injuries, and there held until Monday, when in his exhausted condition he was brought through a heavy storm to Deadwood. When first examined upon reaching the hospital, no circulation existed, and death was abundantly assured.

From Mrs. Bernard with whom deceased conversed, and other sources, we learn that Crofts came to the Hills from Neligh, Nebraska, last June or July, and for the last six weeks was employed as tinner at Wenke's hardware store, Sturgis. Mr. Anderson, manager of the store, gives deceased an excellent character for industry, honesty and sobriety. On Thursday (Thanksgiving) he indulged in liquor to an extent dethroning all recollection and reason, and while in such state he made the very bad break, resulting in his death. No censure can attach to the parties firing upon him inasmuch as he had previously wounded an inoffensive bystander and was in the act of resuming hostilities. Deceased leaves a widow and three children, at present living with Stephen Ashton, brother of Mrs. Crofts, on the Belle Fourche. He was a member of Eudymion Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Neligh, joining in 1883. Previous to leaving for the Hills, last spring, he took a withdrawal card, and although a frequent visitor of the

Deadwood and Sturgis lodges, had not affiliated. The order will undoubtedly have charge of the funeral.

By direction of Justice Hall, acting coroner, Drs. Freeman and Dickinson, made a post mortem, yesterday; a jury was empanelled, and an inquest will be concluded to-day.

South Dakota Births, 1856-1903[View record](#)

Name	Pearlie Grace Croft
Gender	Female
Birth Date	8 Jul 1887
Birth Place	Meade, South Dakota, USA
File Date	7 Dec 1940
Father	Samuel Croft
Mother	Arrilla Safrona Brooks
State File Number	532252

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/5808535/person/-1391024707/facts>

Washington, Select Death Certificates, 1907-1960[View record](#)

Name	Arrilla Johnson
Gender	Female
Age	63
Estimated Birth Year	abt 1864
Death Date	07 Nov 1927
Death Place	Tacoma, Pierce, Washington
Father	Frank Brooks
Mother	Martha Roberts
FHL Film Number	2022419
Reference ID	cn 1088

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/5808535/person/192274846939/facts>

Samuel J. Croft.

The funeral of Samuel J. Croft, who died from the effects of a wound received at Sturgis, November 26th, took place from Smith's undertaking rooms, Sherman street, yesterday afternoon, under the auspices of Eureka Lodge No. 13, I. O. O. F., of which order deceased was a member. It was a bitter cold and stormy afternoon, nevertheless the lodge turned out very strong, with E. McDonald, marshal, and Louis Pichler, chaplain. Pall bearers were H. O. Anderson, Bailey Madison, Joseph Hattenbach, James Lawler, James Carney, N. Miller.

The widow, accompanied by her brother, Mr. Ashton of Belle Fourche, and an infant child of deceased were the only near relatives present, the former receiving warmest sympathy from every person assembled. Interment was made in Mount Moriah.

Possibly the least said concerning the circumstances leading to the sad event, the better, and yet as investigation proceeds, the stronger becomes the conviction that deceased was not in his right mind at the time of his violent outburst for which he answered with his life, and that such condition was not occasioned by excessive drink. We have it from the widow and others well acquainted with deceased, that mental derangement was intermittent, and on at least one occasion, a few years ago, became very alarming indeed. That deceased was a man of many excellent qualities is attested by his allegiance to

one of the noblest of organizations, and by the testimony of all who knew him. Herewith we present a letter found on his person. It was written by one of the largest hardware firms in Nebraska, and speaks for itself:

W. C. ESTES & Co.,
HARDWARE,
NELIGH, NEB., May 10, 1886 }

To whom it may concern:

The bearer hereof, Samuel J. Croft, has worked for us the past four years, with entire satisfaction to ourselves, and we take pleasure in recommending him as a first class tinner, an ingenious and efficient workman, an industrious, honest and useful man generally.

W. C. ESTES.

GEO. PILLING.

GEO. PILLING.

His recent employers at Sturgis as well as associates, concur in the foregoing, while no one has aught to say in condemnation save of the final and fatal act which in all charity and we believe in exact justice should be termed that of a madman.

"Black Hills Weekly Times" Saturday 4 Dec 1886 p 2

Stepchildren:

RECEIVED OF BIRTH
For Use in Cases Where Certificates of Birth Cannot Be Supplied

1. PLACE OF BIRTH
State of Washington
County of Clallam Department of Health
City or town of Port Angeles VITAL STATISTICS

2. Full name of child Edna Francis Wald
All Data Used in This Affidavit Must Be as of Date of Birth of This Child

3. Sex Female 4. Twin, triplet, or other No 5. Number in order of birth 1 6. Premature yes 7. Legitimate? yes 8. Date of birth Dec 6th 1904
(Month, day, year)

9. Full name Peter J. Wald FATHER 15. Full maiden name Pearl G. Craft MOTHER
10. Residence 720 Georgian 16. Residence 720 Georgian
11. Color or race White 12. Age at last birthday 40 (Years) 17. Color or race White 18. Age at last birthday 17 (Years)
13. Birthplace (city or place) Norway 19. Birthplace (city or place) Meade County So. Dak.
(State or country) 20. Occupation Ships Carpenter 21. Occupation House wife
Dr. Appleton

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, MIDWIFE, PARENT, NEAREST RELATIVE OR OTHER PERSON HAVING KNOWLEDGE OF THE FACT OF THIS BIRTH

STATE OF Washington County, ss. Clallam
Pearl Cairncross being first duly sworn on oath states that she resides at 114 E - 3rd St. in Port Angeles Wash. and that the statements contained in the foregoing Affidavit of Birth are true and correct, as affiant is informed and verily believes. That she is the mother of Edna Francis Wald.

[SEAL] Pearl Cairncross
Subscribed and sworn to before me, a notary public in and for said county and state, this 30th day of Oct, 1940
Andrew J. Every Notary Public
My commission expires Aug 31st 1949

Do Not Write Below This Line

Filed Nov. 4, 1940 Francis D. Rhoades State Registrar.
By Lien M. Parsons
(Over)

S. F. No. 4514-1938-5M. 14279. 430

Did child die before operation? During operation?

1051

SERIAL NUMBER 01326	1. NAME (Print) PETER ALBERT WOLD (First) (Middle) (Last)	ORDER NUMBER 1051 ✓
2. ADDRESS (Print) 114 E. 3rd. Port Angeles Clallam Wn. (Number and street or R. F. D. number) (Town) (County) (State)		
3. TELEPHONE 73-J (Exchange) (Number)	4. AGE IN YEARS 32 DATE OF BIRTH Oct. 19 1909 (Mo.) (Day) (Yr.)	5. PLACE OF BIRTH Port Angeles Wn. (Town or county) (State or country)
6. COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP U.S.A.		
7. NAME OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS. Mrs. Pearl Caradross (Mr., Mrs., Miss) (First) (Middle) (Last)		8. RELATIONSHIP OF THAT PERSON MOTHER
9. ADDRESS OF THAT PERSON 114 E. 3rd. Port Angeles Clallam Wn. (Number and street or R. F. D. number) (Town) (County) (State)		
10. EMPLOYER'S NAME Not Employed.		
11. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS (Number and street or R. F. D. number) (Town) (County) (State)		
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.		
REGISTRATION CARD D. S. S. Form 1 (over)		16-17105 Albert Wold (Registrant's signature)

RACE	HEIGHT (Approx.)	WEIGHT (Approx.)	COMPLEXION
White	✓ 5'11"	150	Sallow
	EYES	HAIR	Light
Negro	Blue ✓	Blonde	Ruddy
	Gray	Red	Dark
Oriental	Hazel	Brown	Freckled
	Brown	Black ✓	Light brown
Indian	Black	Gray	Dark brown ✓
		Bald	Black
Filipino			

Other obvious physical characteristics that will aid in identification.....
 2 abdominal scars right side
 + center - Thyroid scar

Peter Albert Wold

in the Nevada, U.S., Death Index, 1980-2012

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/15553:8997?tid=&pid=&queryId=1ca8eb41-997f-49f4-8fa5-d2efced716b2&phsrc=cPx12335&phstart=successSource>

Father:

C. S. CAIRNCROSS DEAD; END COMES SUDDENLY

Charles S. Cairncross of Belton, and formerly well-known resident of Kalispell, passed away early this morning at the Sisters' hospital.

Mr. Cairncross had been ill for some time, and a number of his children from out of the state had been here to visit him, but he had apparently improved, and they had departed. A few days ago he took a turn for the worse and came to the hospital for treatment. His sudden death comes as a great shock to his family and friends.

He was a veteran of the Spanish-American war, and took up his residence here after he was mustered out of the army. He served as state forester under Governor Stewart's administration, and always took an active interest in politics, both locally and in the state. Three years ago he moved to Belton, where he took over the management of the Belton hotel.

hotel.

Charles Stuart Cairncross was born in St. Paul, April 16, 1871, and moved with his parents to Litchfield, Minnesota, as a small child. In 1881 the family removed to Grafton, North Dakota, where he attended school, graduating from the high school in 1890. He attended the University of North Dakota, and afterwards returned to Grafton where he engaged in the general mercantile business.

In 1894 he was married to Elida Mae Collins, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Collins of this county, and three children were born to them. Mrs. Cairncross died in 1903. He was afterward married to Margaret Stantson, who survives him.

Besides the widow Mr. Cairncross is survived by two sons and a daughter, Stuart J. Cairncross, Charles A. Cairncross, and Mrs. L. H. Margetts; two step-daughters, Mrs. Olga Goodfellow of Spokane, and Mrs. W. G. See of Sault St. Marie; and three sis-

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C. S. CAIRNCROSS DEAD; END COMES SUDDENLY

(Continued from Page 1)

ters, Mrs. W. J. Graham of Anoka, Minnesota, Mrs. F. Walstrom of Park River, North Dakota, and Mrs. E. A. Smith of Minneapolis, who was with him when he died, and who will be here for the funeral.

Funeral services will be under the auspices of the Masonic lodge, and will be held Friday at 2 p. m., in the temple. Interment will be in Conrad Memorial cemetery. The body is at the Sherman & Son chapel.

Mr. Cairncross was a member of the Masonic lodge in Grafton, and of the local post of Spanish War veterans. He was 55 years of age. His death was due to a chronic stomach trouble.

FRIENDS PAY TRIBUTE TO CHAS. S. CAIRNCROSS

Friends from all over Flathead valley gathered yesterday in the Masonic temple to pay a last tribute to Charles Stuart Cairncross.

The full Masonic funeral ritual was used, both in the temple and at the grave. F. G. Cole, master, and Rev. John Dix, chaplain, in charge.

Mrs. W. E. Beaman, Miss Caroline Walchli, and Messrs. Dunsire and Lokensgard composed a quartet which sang three beautiful hymns, and many fine floral pieces added impressiveness to the service.

The pall bearers were George Slack, H. W. Hutchings, C. A. Cooley, O. A. Spuhler, J. J. Caswell, and James K Lang. Burial was made in Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Among the relatives present for the funeral, besides the widow, were a son, Stuart Cairncross of Seattle, a sister, Mrs. F. A. Smith of Minneapolis, and a step-daughter, Mrs. Olga Goodfellow of Spokane.

"Daily Inter Lake" (Kalispell MT) Saturday 27 Nov 1926 p 5

Stepmother:

No. 1519 ✓ 4/89

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

STATE OF MONTANA, } ss.
County of Flathead.

TO ANY PERSON AUTHORIZED TO SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGES, GREETING:

You are hereby authorized to join in lawful wedlock, and celebrate within this County the rites and ceremonies of Marriage between

Chas. S. Cairncross a man, whose color is White whose residence is Helena, Mont. and who has
whose age is 38 years; born at St. Paul, Minn.

been previously married Wife deceased. His father's christian and surname is Stuart Cairncross
His mother's christian and maiden name was Percilla Alice Blair and Margaret Stanton, a woman,
whose color is White whose residence is Helena, Mont. whose age is 32 years; born at
New York and who has — been previously married
and divorced. Her father's christian and surname is John Carson Her
mother's christian and maiden name was Mary Snyder both parties being legally competent
to enter into such contract of Marriage. And this shall be your good and sufficient warrant therefor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal, this 24th day of Dec 1928.

SEAL

James K. Lang
Clerk of District Court.

Deputy.

MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE.

STATE OF MONTANA, } ss.
County of Flathead.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the undersigned, an ordained minister of Jesus Christ
did, on the 24th day of December A. D. 1928 at Helena in the said County of Flathead and
State of Montana, join in lawful wedlock Chas. S. Cairncross and Margaret Stanton
with their mutual consent.

In the presence of

Louis Sommer } Witnesses.
Julie Harriet Sommer }

WITNESS my hand, this 24th day of December 1928.

Harold A. Griffith
(Signature) Officiating.

Filed for record this 28th day of December 1928

James K. Lang
Clerk.
Deputy.

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STANTSON, Albert Lawrence—His home was at E2417 Gordon. Husband of Ivia Stantson. at the home; father of Mrs. J. H. Sexsmith, Newport, Wn. He was a resident of Spokane the last 32 years. Funeral Tues., Nov. 19, at 3 p. m. from the GOTHIC CHAPEL at the HAZEN & JAEGER FUNERAL HOME, N1306 Monroe st. Rev. Erma Wells will officiate.

“Spokane (WA) Chronicle” Monday 18 Nov 1940 p 16

MRS. MARGARET CAIRNCROSS

Mrs. Margaret Cairncross, 68, a long time resident of the Flathead died yesterday following a lingering illness. Funeral rites will be conducted by the Rev. Francis O'Farrell from the Kalispell Funeral Home.

Mrs. Cairncross took up residence in Kalispell in 1907 and lived here until 1924 when the family moved to Belton. Mr. Cairncross died in 1926. Mrs. Cairncross is survived by two daughters, Mrs. J. H. Sexsmith of Newport, Wash. and Mrs. Will G. See of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., a step-daughter, Mrs. Lester Margetts of Missoula, and two step-sons, Stewart J. Cairncross of Port Angelus, Wash. and Charles Cairncross of Seattle.

"Flathead Monitor" (Kalispell MT) Thursday 1 Dec 1938 p 8

Word has been received of the death on Wednesday, Nov 30, of Mrs. Charles S. Cairncross of Kalispell, Mont., mother of Mrs. W. G. See of 11 Grosvenor avenue, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., and of Mrs. J. H. Sexsmith of Spokane, Wash.

"Sault Ste Marie (MI) Evening News" Friday 2 Dec 1938 p 2

Washington, Marriage Records, 1865-2004



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Name	Marguerite Stantson
Maiden Name	Carson
Gender	Female
Spouse	A L Stantson
Child	Olga Stantson

https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/31998793/person/432337705807/facts?_phsrc=cPx12350&_phstart=succesSource

Siblings:

CAIRNCROSS-MARGETTS.

Christmas night a quiet home wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Collins, when Marjorie Cairncross, a well-known Kalispell girl, became the bride of L. Margetts of Chicago, Rev. G. M. Fisher reading a simple ceremony.

Mrs. Margetts was gowned in a navy blue tricotine, with navy suede shoes to match. The home was beautifully decorated in holly, mistletoe, Christmas greens and chrysanthemums.

The bride was attended by Miss Marie Freeland of Spokane, Stuart Cairncross acting as best man. Only the very immediate family of the bride were present.

A small reception was held after the ceremony by Mrs. C. S. Cairncross, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Collins.

Best man for sister Marjorie A. Cairncross Margetts (1896-1986) - "Daily Inter Lake"
Monday 27 Dec 1920 p 4

Stepsister Olga Stantson:

Miss Olga Stantson left last Sunday night for Chehalis, Wash., after spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Charles Cairncross.

"Kalispell (MT) Bee" Tuesday 12 Jul 1910 p 8

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SOUTH BEND, Wash.—A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Edwards, July 20, when Rev. F. W. Wightman of the Baptist church united in marriage Okey Edwards and Miss Olga V. Stantson. The bride is a native of Ontario, Canada, and has been making her home in Montana until recently. The groom has been a resident of South Bend for several years.

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Marriage to Okey Edwards 20 Jul 1910 – “Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review” Friday 29 Jul 1910 p 3

Olga Stantson

in the Washington, U.S., Marriage Records, 1854-2013

Name	Olga Stantson
Marriage Age	19
Birth Date	abt 1891
Birth Place	Ontario, Canada
Marriage Date	20 Jul 1910
Marriage Place	South Bend, Lewis, Washington, USA
Father	A L Stantson
Mother	Marguerite Stantson
Spouse	Okey Edwards

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/906279839:2378>

Mrs. Okey Edwards of South Bend, has been visiting her parents here for the past week.

Okey married Fannie Kingen in Aug 1911 in Felida WA – this is Fannie visiting her parents, Mr. & Mrs. J.W. King in the Felida WA news column: “Vancouver (WA) Weekly Columbian”
Thursday 11 Jan 1912 p 8

Miss Olga Stantson, a daughter of Mrs. C. S. Cairncross, was married recently to Carl C. Goodfellow of Spokane, where they will reside.

Olga Stantson remarries, to Carl C. Goodfellow, in 1912 - “Kalispell (MT) Times-Monitor”
Thursday 20 Jun 1912 p 8

STANSTON-GOODFELLOW.

Miss Olga Stanston and Mr. Carl C. Goodfellow were married at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, Saturday, June 8. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. C. S. Cairncross of Kalispell. The newly married couple will reside at Spokane.

“Kalispell (MT) Bee” Tuesday 18 Jun 1912 p 5

Carl C. Goodfellow

in the Idaho, U.S., Select Marriages, 1878-1898; 1903-1942

Name	Carl C. Goodfellow
Gender	Male
Age	24
Birth Date	1888
Birth Place	California
Marriage Date	01 Jun 1912
Marriage Place	, Kootenai, Idaho
Spouse	Olga V. Stanson
FHL Film Number	1548239

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/58893:60274>

CLAIMS WIFE WENT RIGHT BY MONTANA

Did Not Go to Visit Parents, but to Chicago, Says Goodfellow.

That his wife told him last December she was going to Montana to visit her parents and deceived him by going to Chicago instead to see another man, is alleged today in a divorce complaint filed by Carl C. Goodfellow against Olga V. Goodfellow. He also charges his wife with improper conduct. They were married in Spokane in 1912. There are no children to the marriage.

Either J. Metterson would divorce

Charges Wife

Infidelity is the grounds on which Carl C. Goodfellow is suing his wife, Olga V. Goodfellow, for a divorce.

According to the papers filed Monday in the superior court, his wife left him and went to Seattle where she kept company with R. George Pierson. She later went to Chicago, where she again met Pierson and lived with him for a week, the complaint states.

They were married in June, 1912. There are no children.

"Spokane Press" Monday 31 Jan 1921 p 2

Divorce court to be conducted by Judge Blake this afternoon has the following 10 uncontested cases on the docket:

Ida Johnson versus Emil Johnson.
Carl Goodfellow versus Olga Goodfellow.

M. Bell Haines versus William H. Haines.

Luella J. Walden versus A. Walden.

Mary Hull versus Emmett Hull.

Mabel LaRose versus August LaRose.

Eva Gordon versus Harry Gordon.

Charlotte S. McVay versus James H. McVay.

Fay Martin versus Fred Martin.

Aileen Reed versus James Reed.

"Spokane Spokesman-Review" Thursday 14 Apr 1921 p 6

LOVE "SPECIALIST" HUSBAND ALLEGES

Carl Goodfellow was granted a divorce from Olga Goodfellow in Judge Blake's court Thursday, following testimony that his wife had gone to Chicago to see one R. George Pearson, under the pretext that she wished to see a "specialist."

Divorce granted 14 Apr 1921 – "Spokane Press" Friday 15 Apr 1921 p 6

12785. S. F. No. 315—1921. Approved by Dept. of Efficiency.

PLACE OF DEATH **Washington State Board of Health** **C** **539**
County of **SPOKANE** **BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS** **Record No.**
City or Town **Deaconess Hospital** **CERTIFICATE OF DEATH** **Registered No. 564**
Registration Dist. No. **314** **No.** **Carl Goodfellow**

2. FULL NAME **Carl Goodfellow**
 (a) Residence No. **Madison Hotel** **St.** **314**
 (b) If non-resident, give city or town, and state.
 (c) How long in Registration Dist. **4** yrs. **4** mos. **4** ds.; how long in U. S. if of foreign birth. yrs. **1909** **4** ds.

Personal and Statistical Particulars
3. Sex **Male** **4. Color or Race** **White** **5. Single, Married, Widowed or Divorced (Write the word)** **married**
6. (a) If married, widowed or divorced:
 Husband of **Peggy Goodfellow**
 or
 Wife of
7. Date of birth **May** **8** **1889**
 (Month) (Day) (Year)
8. Age **35** yrs. **0** mos. **8** ds. hrs. or min. If less than one day
9. Occupation of deceased:
 (a) Trade, profession, or occupation last of work **Pressman**
 (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) **Review paper**
 (c) Name of employer **Spokesman-Review**
10. Birthplace (City or town) **California**
 (State or country)
11. Name of Father **Charles Goodfellow**
 (City or town) **New York**
 (State or Country)
12. Maiden name of Mother **Anna Atherty**
 (City or town) **Canada**
 (State or Country)
13. Informant **Mrs. C.M. Pease**
 Address **New Madison Hotel**
14. Filed **5-19** **1921** **May 19** **Deaconess Hospital**
 (City or town) (State or Country) (Date) (Place of death)

Medical Certificate of Death
15. Date of death **May** **16** **1921**
 (Month) (Day) (Year)
16. I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from **May 8** **1921** **to** **May 16** **1921**
 that I last saw him alive on **May 16** **1921**
 and that death occurred on the date stated above, at **3p.m.**
 (State the disease causing death, or, in deaths from violent causes, state: (1) Manner and nature of injury; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL).
 The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:
 (Primary) **Fracture base of skull-**
accidental- blow out of tire on
motor-cycle- head struck pavement
 (Duration) yrs. **8** ds.
 (Secondary) **Uraemia**
 (Duration) yrs. **2** ds.
17. Where was disease contracted
 If not at the place of death:
 (a) Did an operation precede death? **no** Date of **no**
 (b) Was there an autopsy? **no**
 (c) What test confirmed diagnosis? **Examination**
May 16 (Signed) **Peter Reid** M.D.
18. Place of Burial, Cremation or Removal **Spokane, Wn.**
Cremation-Smith & Co. **5-19** **1921**
19. Undertaker **Smith & Co.** **1124 W. Riv.**
 Address

I HEREBY CERTIFY, upon honor, That I have made the effort but was unable to secure answers to questions.
 (Insert numbers of unanswered questions) **July 1921** (Signature of Undertaker)

N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully verified. AGM should be stated in every case. Cause of death should be stated in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important.

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“Anaheim (CA) Bulletin” Sunday 24 Jun 1923 p 8

Idaho, U.S., County Marriages, 1864-1950

[View record](#)

Name	J H Sexsmith
Event Type	Marriage
Marriage Date	14 Oct 1927
Marriage Place	Idaho, Idaho
Spouse	Olga V Goodfellow
FHL Film Number	1513902

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Olga V Sexsmith in the California, U.S., Death Index, 1940-1997	
Name	Olga V Sexsmith [Olga V Stantson]
Social Security #	530328084
Gender	Female
Birth Date	28 Feb 1890
Birth Place	Canada
Death Date	25 Sep 1983
Death Place	Orange
Mother's Maiden Name	Moss
Father's Surname	Stantson

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/6662342:5180>

Stepsister Laura Stantson Winkler:

Laurel Stansen

Name	Laurel Stansen
Sex	Female
Age	13
Birth Date	17 January 1888
Birth Year (Estimated)	1888
Birthplace	Ontario, Canada
Marital Status	Single
Race	White
Nationality	Canadian
Religion	Congregationalist
Relationship to Head of Household	Lodger
Event Type	Census
Event Date	1901
Event Place	Muskoka Township, Muskoka, Ontario, Canada
Sub-District	K1
Page Number	9

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Signature first

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Wm George See's Spouses and Children

OPEN ALL

[Marguerite Alice See](#)

Daughter

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Blind River, Blind River,
Algoma, Ontario, CanadaName [Marguerite Alice See](#)Sex **Female**Father's Name **Wm George See**Mother's Name [Laurel Stantson Winkley](#)Event Type **Birth**Event Date **20 February 1909**Event Place **Blind River, Algoma, Ontario, Canada**Source Details **008904**

Schedule B.
Record all still-births as births,
as well as deaths.

BIRTHS

County of Algoma Division of Blind River

tery, Echo Bay.
SEE, William George — At his
 home, 304 McGregor Avenue,
 Thursday, July 25, Mr. Wil-
 liam George See, beloved hus-
 band of Mrs. Laurel See and
 dear father of Mrs. Marguer-
 ite Spicer, Raymond See and
 Mrs. Mildred Weeks, all of
 this city, brother of Mrs. Al-
 berta Carter and Mrs. Louella
 Thompson of this city and
 Frank See of Seattle, Washing-
 ton, Funeral arrangements to
 be announced later.
 (Barton Funeral Home)

“Sault Star” (Sault Sainte Marie, Algoma, Ontario, Canada) Thursday 25 Jul 1963 p 2

SEE, William George — At his home, 304 McGregor Avenue, Thursday, July 25, Mr. William George See, beloved husband of Mrs. Laurel See and dear father of Mrs. Margaret Spiecer Raymond See and Mrs. Mildred Weeks, all of this city, brother of Mrs. Alberta Carter and Mrs. Louella Thompson of this city and Frank See of Seattle, Washington. Resting at the Barton Funeral Home from 4 p.m. Friday, July 26. Public funeral service will be held from the chapel 3:30 p.m. Saturday, July 27, Captain Donald Goodridge officiating. Interment in Greenwood Cemetery.

“Sault Star” (Sault Sainte Marie, Algoma, Ontario, Canada) Friday 26 Jul 1963 p 2

SEE, Mrs. Laurel Stanton — At Plummer Memorial Hospital on Monday, April 23rd, 1984, (formerly of 21 Routledge) in her 97th year. Wife of the late William George See. Dear mother of Raymond See, Mildred (See) Weeks of Sault Ste. Marie, and the late Sydney See, and Marguerite Hobson. Dear grandmother of Rae (Moody) Marlowe of Los Angeles, and Marilyn (Moody) Pichette of Toronto, and Sharon (Weeks) Thomas of London, Ontario. Great grandmother of Becky Pichette of Sault Ste. Marie. Funeral arrangements to be announced later by the Arthur Funeral Home.

“Sault Star” (Sault Sainte Marie, Algoma, Ontario, Canada) Tuesday 24 Apr 1984 p 2

SEE, Mrs. Laurel Stanton — At Plummer Memorial Hospital on Monday, April 23rd, 1984, (formerly of 21 Routledge) in her 97th year. Wife of the late William George See. Dear mother of Raymond See, Mrs. Carson Weeks (Mildred) of Sault Ste. Marie, and the late Sydney See, and Marguerite Hobson. Dear grandmother of Rae (Moody) Marlowe of Los Angeles, and Marilyn (Moody) Pichette of Toronto, and Sharon (Weeks) Thomas of London, Ontario. Great grandmother of Becky Pichette of Sault Ste. Marie. Friends may call at the Arthur Funeral Home, on Thursday, April 26th, from 2 p.m. until time of funeral service at 3 p.m. Rev. Ed Hampson officiating. Interment in Greenwood Cemetery.

“Sault Star” (Sault Sainte Marie, Algoma, Ontario, Canada) Wednesday 25 Apr 1984 p 2

1	Surname first.	1
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4	Blind River	4
5	If in a hospital give its name.	5
6	Female.	6
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8	Wm. George see	8
9	Labourer	9
10	Laurel Stanton - ^{Drunk}	10
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The information for registration must be of the circumstances at the time of the birth.

Dominion of Canada
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

In the Matter of the Registration of a Birth which has not been registered with the Division Registrar within one year after such birth took place;
And in the Matter of The Vital Statistics Act.

To Wit:

Name of Child in full	WILLIAM RAYMOND SEE		
Date of Birth of Child	February 23rd 1911	Sex	Male
Place of Birth of Child	Town of BLIND RIVER - Ont	Dist	Algoma
Name of Father in full	William George See		
Post Office Address of Father at time of said Birth	Blind River - Ont	at time of said Birth	Nothing went
Maiden Name of Mother	Lawrence Stanton		
Name of Physician at said Birth	Dr. John M. Robb		

I, Lawrence Stanton See of the City of Sault Ste Marie, Dist of Algoma in the Province of Ontario

Do Solemnly Declare that:

- (1) I am the mother of the aforesaid;
- (2) I have personal knowledge of the matters herein and above set forth, and the information furnished is true in substance and in fact;
- (3) personal facts.

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And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if I made under oath and by virtue of the CANADA EVIDENCE ACT.

Declared before me this 22nd day of July 1940 in the County of Algoma in the Province of Ontario

Lawrence Stanton See
(Signature of Declarant)

Notary Public, Commissioner, etc. or Justice of the Peace

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SEE, William Raymond

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Abbreviations:

b = born
d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

Name: Stewart James Cairncross

Name variations: Stuart Cairncross

Military:

On Tuscania: 20th Eng. 17th/Co. E - private

Serial number: 250,485

Entered service from: North East Kalispell, Flathead MT

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Stewart J. Cairncross

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": father Charles Stewart Cairncross, 292 - 4th Ave. E. N., Kalispell MT

Returned from war on: "Santa Paula" May 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Charles J. Cairncross

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: father Charles S. Cairncross, 292 - 4th Ave. E., North Kalispell MT (PFC, 17th Co., 20th Engrs, Forestry)

World War I draft registration (1917): b. 10 Apr 1895 Grafton ND; res: Kalispell, Flathead MT. Single. Difficult to read employment information: assistant "bulster" (?) Hardwood? Hardware? Wallace Cons. (?) Works "on road." Claimed exemption from draft: "Stuttering." Registered 30 May 1917, in advance of the 5 Jun 1917 national registration day. Medium height & build.

National Tuscania Survivors Association 1939 roster: 114 E. 3rd St., Port Angeles WA

World War II draft registration (1942): dead

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted 14 Dec 1917

Discharged 10 Jun 1919

Address: Port Angeles WA

Rank/unit: private 1st class, 17th Co., 20th Engineers

MI Military Records

Enlisted 14 Dec 1917 Klickitat, Klickitat WA at Fort George Wright, age 22. Resident 292 - 4th Ave., East Kalispell MT. Private 1st class, 17th Co., 20th Engineers. Born ca. 1895 in Grafton ND. Promoted to PFC 22 Aug 1918. Overseas 1 Feb 1918 - 28 May 1919. Discharged 10 Jun 1919.

Birth & death:

Born: 10 Apr 1895 Grafton, Walsh ND

Died: 17 Mar 1942 Port Angeles, Clallam WA (in Port Angeles General Hospital)

Find A Grave record: 15459710 - presence on Tuscania noted in flower

Burial location: Port Angeles, Clallam Co. WA

Cemetery: Mount Angeles Memorial Park

Tombstone: veteran flat: Montana Pvt 1 Cl 20th Engrs.

Father: Charles Stewart (Stuart) Cairncross, 16 Apr 1871 St. Paul, Ramsey MN - 23 Nov 1926 Kalispell, Flathead MT.

According to his marriage license with Margaret "Stanton," he is the son of Stuart Cairncross & Percilla Alice Blair.

Served in the 1st North Dakota Infantry, Co. C, in the Spanish-American War as a battalion sergeant major. After the death of his 1st wife - Stewart's mother - he married Margaret

Carson Stantson (often found as Stanton). They moved to Belton MT in 1924, where they managed the Belton Hotel. Then they moved to a ranch near Trail Creek. "Great Falls (MT) Tribune" 25 Nov 1926 p 4 – Charles S., former well-known resident of Kalispell, d. 23 Nov 1926 at the Sisters' Hospital in Kalispell. Ill for some time. Former state forester under Governor Stewart's administration. His children had been called to his bedside, but left when he improved. Spanish-American War veteran. Active in state & local politics. Three years ago he moved to Belton to manage the Belton Hotel. Born St. Paul MN. Survived by widow & 2 sons: Stuart J. Cairncross & Charles Cairncross & daughter Mrs. L.H. Margetts. Also 2 stepdaughters: Mrs. Olga Goodfellow (Spokane WA) & Mrs. W.G. See (Sault Ste. Marie MI). His 3 sisters were with him at his death.

Buried in Conrad Memorial Cemetery, Kalispell, Flathead MT.

Find A Grave: 18135913

Mother: Elida Mae Collins Cairncross, 18 Jun 1874 St. Augustine, Ontario, Canada – 12 Mar 1904 Kalispell, Flathead MT. Daughter of J.T. Collins. Her obituary from "The Kalispell (MT) Bee" on her Find A Grave record: Died at her home on 6th Avenue West, ill a few days & appeared to be recovering. Daughter of Mr. & Mrs. J.T. Collins. Resided in Flathead Co. MT about 6 years, coming from Grafton ND, where she had married Charles Cairncross. About age 30, b. Canada, survived by 3 small children, the oldest 8 years.

Buried in Conrad Memorial Cemetery, Kalispell, Flathead MT.

Find A Grave: 18135906

Parents' marriage: 1894 Grafton, Walsh ND

Stepmother: Margaret Carson (variant: Stanton) Cairncross, 17 Dec 1869 Detroit, Wayne MI – 30 Nov 1938 Kalispell, Flathead MT.

Daughter of John Carson & Marie Snyder.

The father of her daughter, Olga V. Stantson Edwards Goodfellow Sexsmith was Albert Lawrence Stantson, who d. 17 Nov 1940 in Spokane Co. WA at age 85. His birthplace is usually given as NY, but was also found as Canada.

Married Stewart's father Charles Cairncross on 28 Dec 1908 in Kalispell, Flathead MT. She came to Kalispell MT in 1907. When she died, she was survived by daughters Mrs. J.H. Sexsmith (Newport WA) & Mrs. Will G. See (Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario) & her stepchildren Mrs. Lester Margetts (Missoula MT; i.e. Marjorie Cairncross), Stewart Cairncross (Port Angeles WA) & Charles A. Cairncross (Seattle WA).

Buried in Conrad Memorial Cemetery, Kalispell, Flathead MT.

Stepmother Find A Grave: 17962586

Marriage to Charles S. Cairncross, age 38, b. St. Paul MN, resident Kalispell MT, wife deceased, son of Stuart Cairncross & Percilla Alice Blair – on 24 Dec 1908 Kalispell, Flathead MT – to Margaret Stanton, age 32, b. NY, resident Kalispell MT, married & divorced, daughter of John Carson & Marie Snyder.

1st marriage;

Spouse: Jessie Oral Clothier Pierce Norris Cairncross Antenen, 19 Jul 1896 Lakeside, near Somers, Flathead MT – 12 Mar 1952 Port Angeles, Clallam WA.

Daughter of George Washington Clothier (F: 20793649) & Amelia Ann Stevens (F: 13311488).

Jessie O. Clothier, age 17, married 13 Oct 1913 in Kalispell, Flathead MT to James R. Pierce. Jessie Pierce was divorced 30 Aug 1915 from James R. Pierce in Flathead Co. MT. She was the plaintiff & claimed he had deserted her, and they lived separately.

On 21 Aug 1916, Jessie Pierce, age 20, b. Somers MT, previously married & divorced, daughter of George Clothier & Anna Stevens, obtained a marriage license in Flathead Co. MT with Walter W. Adams. This license is marked “not used” and no actual marriage information is listed. Adams was age 24, b. Cleveland MT, son of Matthew Adams, mother’s maiden name unknown.

Jessie Pierce, birth name Jessie Clothier, age 20, b. Somers MT, married 11 Jan 1917 in Missoula, Missoula MT to Charles W. Norris, age 20, b. Badane (?) MT. Jessie O. Norris was divorced 7 Aug 1919 in Flathead Co. MT from Charles W. Norris. She was the plaintiff & claimed Charles had failed to provide “the common necessities of life because of his idleness, profligacy and dissipation.” He refused to work & demanded Jessie earn her own support, but then took her earnings for gambling & dissipation. He frequently strikes & beats her, often choking her into insensibility. She is afraid for her life. Charles Norris was born 1895 MI & died 1969 MT, F: 121067603.

In the 1920 census, Jesse O. Norris, age 23, married, with daughter Georgia M. Pierce, 5 MT (father b. IA, mother b. MT), was living in Kalispell MT with her parents George Clotheir (67 IL) & Amelia A. Clotheir (61 IL)

On 7 Jun 1920 in Shelby, Toole MT. Stewart James CARRINCROSS, age 25, b. Park River ND, son of C.S. Carrincross & Elydia Collins, resident Kalispell MT, not previously married - married - Jessie Norris, age 23, b. Somers MT, previously married & divorced, daughter of George Clothier & Anna Stevens.

By the time of the 1940 census, she is married to Samuel Antenen (1892 WA – 1960 WA, F: 11921613). Her mother Ann Clothier lives with them.

Her mother’s obituary: “Missoulian” (Missoula MT) 24 Dec 1943 p 5 – Mrs. W.E. Colby of Kila MT was notified that her mother, Mrs. George W. Clothier, died in Port Angeles WA while visiting another daughter, Mrs. Jessie Antenen. Mrs. Clothier, age 85, was a former resident of Lakeside MT & called “Aunt Ann.” She came to the Flathead area in 1895 in a covered wagon with her husband & family. They homesteaded in Lakeside & resided there until 1936 when her husband George died.

Buried in Mount Angeles Cemetery, Port Angeles, Clallam WA with husband Samuel Antenen.

Spouse Find A Grave: 11921619

Marriage: 7 Jun 1920 in Shelby, Toole MT.

2nd marriage:

Spouse: Pearl/Pearlie Grace Croft Wold Cairncross West, 8 Jul 1887 Meade Co. SD – 12 Feb 1977 Kirkland, King WA.

Daughter of Samuel John Croft & Arilla Safrona Brooks, who married 5 Oct 1880 in Marion Co. OH. Her intoxicated father got shot in a saloon and died in Deadwood, Lawrence SD. He is buried in Mount Moriah Cemetery, F: 118322960

Pearl married Peter Johnson Wold on 28 Jul 1904 in Victoria, British Columbia, Canada. Peter Johnson Wold (Jan 1864 Norway – 29 Oct 1927, F: 22942378), Port Angeles WA, was the son of John Peter Wolde & Christina Oleson. It was the 1st marriage for both.

In the 1920 census for Port Angeles, Clallam WA, Peter J. Wold (54 Norway) is living with wife Pearl G. Wold (b. ca. 1887 SD, father b. US, mother b. IA) 7 children Edna F. Wold, 15 WA & son Peter A. Wold (12 WA).

Probate of Peter J. White, no will, d. 28 Oct 1927, resident Port Angeles WA, filed 5 Nov 1927 by Pearl G. Wold for community property of \$7,100. Real & personal property all in Port Angeles. Heirs: wife Pearl G. Wold, resident of Port Angeles, \$3,550 – daughter Edna Frances Wold, resident of Tacoma WA, \$1,775 – son Peter Albert Wold, resident of Port Angeles WA, \$1,775. Obituary” (from unsourced citation) “Former Elks Exalted Ruler Passes Away” – Peter Wold, 63, resident of Port Angeles WA for 34 years, died of heart failure aboard a passenger train near Cle Elum [Kittitas Co.] WA Friday. He was returning from a visit to relatives in McHenry ND, other parts of ND & MN for a month. Born Norway, moved to US when age 25. Was employed a considerable time by the US Navy as a deep-sea diver, at San Francisco & Bremerton WA & Victoria, BC, Canada. In later years was ship’s carpenter for the Johnson Tug & Barge Co. out of Port Angeles harbor. Former exalted ruler of Naval Lodge of the Elks. Married in Victoria, BC, Canada, to Pearl Croft. She & their 2 children – Albert Wold (Port Angeles) & Edna Wold (nurse in Tacoma WA) – survive, as do a brother in Norway, a sister in McHenry ND & nephew & niece. Peter Wold – F: 22942378

Widowed, Pearl married Stewart Cairncross 30 Jun 1929 Port Angeles WA.

After Stewart’s death, Mrs. Pearl Grace Cairncross married Gunnar Johan West on 30 Aug 1946 in Seattle, King WA. It was Gunnar’s 2nd marriage.

Spouse Find A Grave:

Family tree at: <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/5808535/person/-1391024707/facts>

Marriage: Stewart J. Cairncross, resident Port Angeles WA, age 34, divorced, this is 2nd marriage, b. ND, mariner, son of C.S. Cairncross (b. MN) & Elida Collins (b. ND). Pearl G. Wold, birth name Pearl G. Croft, resident Port Angeles WA, age 41, widow, this is 2nd marriage, b. SD, occupation “at home,” daughter of Sam Croft (b. OH) & Arilla Brooks (b. IA).

Married Pearl J. Wold on 30 Jun 1929 in Port Angeles, Clallam WA. son of C.S. Cairncross & Elida Collins. Pearl, age 41, daughter of Sam Croft & Arilla Brooks.

Stepchildren: born to Stewart’s 2nd wife Pearl Croft & her 1st husband, Peter Johnson Wold

- Edna Frances Wold Matthews, 6 Dec 1904 Port Angeles, Clallam WA – 13 Mar 1941 Laurel, Jones MS. Edna Frances Wold married Austin Dover Matthews on 24 Oct 1928 in Victoria, BC, Canada. in 1930 census, Edna F. Wold, married but not listed with husband, father b. Norway, mother b. SD, was employed at US Marine Hospital in New Orleans LA). Obituary (source uncited) “Former Local Girl Dies in Mississippi” – Mrs. Austin D. Matthews, 36, of Laurel M, the former Miss Edna Wold of Port Angeles, d. 13 Mar 1941 in Laurel MS after a brief illness. Her parents, Mr. &

Mrs. S.J. Cairncross of Port Angeles, went to Laurel for her services. She was born in Port Angeles WA & married Austin Matthews on 24 Oct 1928 in Victoria, British Columbia, Canada. Austin & Edna had lived in Laurel the past year & a half. Her parents & one brother, Albert Wold of Port Angeles WA, survive her. - Buried in Hickory Grove Cemetery, Laurel, Jones MS as Edna Matthews. F: 80773864

- Peter Albert Wold, age 12 in 1920, b. WA. Referred to as Albert Wold.

Siblings: by his father's 1st wife, Stewart's mother

- Marjorie J. or A. Cairncross Margetts, 27 Oct 1896 Grafton, Walsh ND – 11 Mar 1986 Seattle, King WA. Wife of Lester H. Margetts, Sr., whom she married 25 Dec 1920 in Kalispell, Flathead MT. On their marriage license application, L.H. Margetts, resident Spokane WA, age 25, b. Chicago IL, son of F.R. Margetts & Harriett Chambers. Marjorie Cairncross, resident Kalispell MT, age 24, b. Grafton ND, daughter of Charles S. Cairncross & Elida Collins. "Great Falls (MT) Tribune" 31 Dec 1920 p 6 – Miss Marjorie Cairncross, granddaughter of Mr. & Mrs. J.R. Collins, a well-known Kalispell girl, married 25 Dec 1920 to L. Margetts of Chicago IL. (Lester H. Margetts, 1895-1975, F: 183788474). Served as Missoula city clerk 1940s. Buried in Acacia Memorial Park & Funeral Home, Lake Forest, Park, King WA. F: 183788572
- Charles Alexander Cairncross, 20 Mar 1898 Grafton, Walsh ND – 24 May 1944 Portland, Multnomah OR. Husband of Lois Akin Cairncross Schutt (1898-1995, buried with Willis M. Schutt, F: 104092384). Buried in Evergreen-Washelli Memorial Park, Seattle, King WA. F: 104092581

Stepsisters: daughters of stepmother Margaret Carson by Albert Lawrence Standston

- Stepsister Laurel Stantson Winkler See, 17 Jan 1888 Ontario, Canada – 23 Apr 1984 Sault Sainte Marie, Algoma, Ontario, Canada (in Plummer Memorial Hospital). Her birthdate is found in the 1901 Ontario, Canada census. – She apparently marries a man named Winkler, because as Laurel Stanton Winkler, she marries William George See (ca. 1883 Canada, died Jul 1963, F: 182364640) on 30 Jul 1906 in Sault Sainte Marie, Algoma, Ontario, Canada. William is the son of George Sidney See (1854-1936) & Alice Claudedina/Claudia Wythe (1868-1923). – She is listed as Laurel Stantson WINKLEY on their daughter Marguerite Alice See's 20 Feb 1909 Blind River, Ontario, Canada, birth certificates. – She is referred to Mrs. Will G. See of Sault Sainte Marie [no state or country differentiation] in her stepfather Charles Cairncross's Nov 1926 obituary. – She is referred to as Mrs. Will G. See of Sault Sainte Marie, Ontario, in her mother Margaret Carson's Dec 1938 obituary. The Sault Ste. Marie MI "Evening News" (Friday 2 Dec 1938 p 2) newspaper identifies her as residing at 11 Grosvenor Street, Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, Canada, at the time of her mother's death. – Laurel is buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Sault Sainte Marie, Algoma District, Ontario, Canada. F: 182364518
- Olga V. Stantson (Stanton) Edwards Goodfellow Sexsmith, 28 Feb 1890 Richard's Landing, Canada – 25 Sep 1983 Orange Co. CA. Olga is living with Margaret & her husband Charles Cairncross in Kalispell MT in 1910 listed as Olga Stantson. – Olga

Stantson married 20 Jul 1910 in South Bend, Lewis WA to Okey Edwards. She was age 19, he 25. She was born in Ontario, Canada & he in WV. Okey was the son of Matthew Edwards & Hanna C. Hunt. Their marriage license lists her as the daughter of A.L. Stantson & Marguerite Carson. – This marriage did not last long. In Aug 1911, Okey Blaine Edwards (1884-1963, F: 72241844) married Fannie Kingen. – On 8 Jun 1912 in Coeur d'Alene, Kootenai ID, Olga married Carl Goodfellow (b. 8 Apr 1889 Guadalupe CA); they lived in the New Madison Hotel in Spokane when he applied for veterans' compensation in 1921. Carl filed for divorce in Spokane, Spokane WA in Jan 1921 claiming that Olga, instead of going home to visit her parents in Montana, went on to Seattle WA once & then to Chicago IL to visit another man, R. George Pierson. The divorce was granted 14 Apr 1921. Olga is listed as Mrs. Olga Goodfellow in her stepfather Charles Cairncross's Nov 1926 obituary. Carl Cornelius Goodfellow was born 8 Apr Guadalupe, Santa Barbara CA & died 16 May 1924 in Spokane, Spokane WA as the result of a motorcycle accident. He was married to Peggy at the time of his death. His body was cremated. - Then she marries John Herbert Sexsmith (1877-1955, F: 144875472) on 14 Oct 1927 in Grangeville, Idaho Co. ID. A resident of Newport WA, with surname Sexsmith, when her mother died in Nov 1938. She is buried as Olga V. Sexsmith in Bunkers Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Las Vegas, Clark NV. F: 92057587.

Confusion arises in online genealogies because there is a William See, also listed as Joseph William See, who resides with wife Mary Elizabeth in Sault Sainte Marie, Chippewa Co., MICHIGAN, during the same time period. Joseph (1870 Ontario, Canada – 1945 MI) is buried in Riverside Cemetery, Sault Sainte Marie, Chippewa Co. MI, F: 255393793.

His wife Mary Elizabeth was born a Furkey. She was born 22 Dec 1883 in Richard's Landing, St. Joseph, Ontario, Canada, to Albert Furkey & Mary Jane Bishop.

Notes:

Wartime:

Post-war:

Obituary:

WA death certificate: Stewart (with Stuart crossed off) J. Cairncross, residence: 114 E. 3rd, Port Angeles, Clallam WA. Died at Port Angeles General Hospital, Port Angeles, Clallam WA after stay of 2 days on 17 Mar 1942, age 46 years, 11 months, 7 days. Born Grafton ND 10 Apr 1895. Lived in the community 18 years. Married to Pearl Cairncross; Pearl is 53 years old. In military service with Co. B, 20th Engineers, private 1st class. Tugboat master, Johnson Tug & Barge. Son of Charles Cairncross (b. Litchfield MN) & Elida Mae Collins (b.

St. Augustine, Ontario, Canada). Buried in Port Angeles Cemetery on 20 Mar 1942. Died of coronary thrombosis; ill 36 hours.

Veteran headstone application: Stewart J. Cairncross, serial 250485. Enlisted 14 Dec 1917; discharged 10 Jun 1919. PFC, 17th Co., 20th Engineers. Died 17 Mar 1942. Buried in Mount Angeles Cemetery, Port Angeles WA. WWI, from Montana. "no record of subsequent service found"

Obituary (unsourced) "S.J. Cairncross, Captain of Tug Marion, Passes" – Captain Stuart [sic] J. Cairncross, 46, master of the tug "Marion" and a resident of Port Angeles since 1923, passed away here early today of heart failure after a brief illness. The remains are at the McDonald Funeral Home pending completion of funeral arrangements which will be announced later. Captain Cairncross was born April 10, 1895 at Grafton, ND. He came to Port Angeles from Kalispell, Montana in 1923 and has resided here since. He was employed by the Johnston [sic/Johnson] Tug and Barge Company over 15 years. He was married to Mrs. Pearl Wold Jun 30, 1929 in Port Angeles. He was a member of the Masters, Mates & Pilots Union and the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Surviving relatives include the widow, Mrs. Pearl Cairncross, Port Angeles; a sister Mrs. Marjorie Margetts, Missoula, Montana; a brother Charles Cairncross, Seattle; and grandmother, Mrs. Collins, Missoula). He was widely known in waterfront circles of Puget Sound and had many friends in Port Angeles. - Funeral for Captain S.J. Cairncross, widely known Puget Sound mariner, who died Tuesday, will be Friday at the McDonald Funeral Home, with VFW pallbearers & graveside rites. Burial in Mount Angeles Cemetery.

Social Security Number:

Censuses:

1900 Grafton township, Walsh ND [this is indexed as Jocko township] – Western Ave.
 Charles S. Cairncross, 29 MN, Apr 1871, father b. Scotland, mother b. IN, married 6 years, dealer, general merchandise
 Elida M., 26 Canada (English), Aug 1874, father b. NY, mother b. Canada (French), gave birth to 3 children, 3 are living
 Stewart J., 6 ND, Mar (?) 1894
 Margaret A., 5 ND, Sep 1895
 Charles A., 2 ND, Mar 1898

1901 Census of Canada – stepmother-to-be & his 2 stepsisters-to-be

Found at: <https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3Q9M-CSS1-L79C-2?view=index&personArk=%2Fark%3A%2F61903%2F1%3A1%3AKHL2-MZX&action=view>

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" Laurel	u	u	u	Jr	17 th	Jan	1888	13
" Olga	u	u	u	u	28 th	Feb	1890	11
Warden George	Mo	u	u	u	24 th	"	1878	22
Douglas Charles	u	u	u	Mo	8 th	June	1872	30
Bell Nelson	u	u	u	S	14 th	Oct	1885	16

Albert Stansen [sic], age 40, b. 31 Dec 1860 Ontario, Canada, parentage German, showman

Margaret, age 32, 17 Dec 1868 Ontario, Canada, parentage French, actress

Laurel, age 13, b. 17 Jan 1888 Ontario, Canada, parentage German

Olga, age 11, b. 28 Feb 1890 Ontario, Canada, parentage German

In the household:

2 male actors (ages 22 & 30) & 1 male musician (age 16)

1910 Kalispell, Flathead MT – 41 – 4th Ave. W.

Charles Cairncross, 38 MN, father b. Scotland, mother b. IL, in 2nd marriage, married 1 year, real estate dealer

Marguerite Cairncross, 36 Canada (French), father b. Canada (French), mother b. NY, in 2nd marriage, emigrated 1895, gave birth to 1 child, 1 living

Olga Stantson, 18 Canada (French), father b. Canada (English), mother b. Canada (French), emigrated 1895. Stepdaughter. [because her name appears between the Cairncross names above & the Cairncross children below her line, Stewart & Charles are indexed as Stantson]

Stewart [Cairncross], 15 ND, father b. MN, mother b. ND

Charles [Cairncross], 12 ND, father b. MN, mother b. ND

1920 – the census record linked on Ancestry.com to a 19-year-old Army soldier in Raritan, Middlesex NJ (at the Raritan Arsenal) lists Stanton W. Cairncross, age 19 (too young), b. MN with parents b. MN (his mother was b. Canada). Stewart's veteran tombstone application says he had no further military service after his discharge on 10 Jun 1919.

1930 cannot locate

1940 Port Angeles, Clallam WA – 114 E. 3rd – same house in 1935

S.J. Cairncross, 44 ND, skipper, runs tug boat

Pearl Cairncross, 50 SD [wife]

Albert Wold, 30 WA, no occupation [stepson]

1950 dead

