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If desired, The Journal will e-mail or fax a proof of the obituary to the funeral home handling the service.

For more information, call Tammie Calder at 285-7411.

John Peter Bauer, 78

John Peter Bauer, 78, of Ranier, Minn., passed away Monday morning, Oct. 21, 2013, at his home.

John was born July 29, 1935, in Virginia, Minn.

He grew up on the Iron Range and graduated from Mt. Iron High School.

He served in the United States Army where he was stationed in Japan.

John moved to Ray, Minn., and in 1978 moved to Ranier where he had lived since.

John married Brenda J. Dilly on July 3, 1982, in Ranier.

He worked for Customs in Idaho, was a leader of the Bureau of Census, worked at the railroad in Ranier, and worked as a freight forwarder for Norman G. Jensen, Inc. until his retirement in 1999.

He loved fishing, playing pool, baking, and spending as much time as possible with his grandchildren.

He enjoyed gambling and spending time with his friends at the bar, or anyone who would come over and pay him a visit. He had many good friends from all over.

He loved to fly planes when he could, and was a pilot for small planes.

John was great at storytelling and playing jokes on everyone he could.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Emil and Gertrude; brother, Gene Emil Bauer; sister, Marion Louise Wolfram; and several aunts, uncles and nephews.

John is survived by his



wife, Brenda J. Bauer of Ranier; sons, Dr. Peter Bauer (Lee Ann) of Houston, Texas, Perry Bauer (Pam) of South Dakota, Derek Jon (Julie) of San Antonio, Texas, and Tom Salyers of Moose Lake, Minn.; daughters, Colleen R. Bauer of Duluth, Minn., and Tammy Talyor (Johnny) of International Falls; 15 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; six great-great-grandchildren; and in-laws, Kay Lievsay, Bill and Diane Rogers, Bernard and Ruth Dilly, Delbert and Kathy Dilly, Fred Dilly, Helen and Doug Waskul, Jerry and Shirley Dilly and Darlene Hausmann.

A Celebration of Life will be conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 3, at Ranier Community Building, Ranier.

Condolences may be left at www.greenlarsen.com.

Arrangements are with Green-Larsen Mortuary Inc., International Falls.

Robert Charles Hayward, 88

Robert Charles Hayward, 88, of International Falls, Minn., died Thursday, Oct. 24, 2013, at his daughter's home in International Falls.

He was born Dec. 16, 1924, at East Orange, N.J.

Robert was united in marriage to the former Henrietta Marjorie Bean.

He worked as a cocoa (chocolate) broker and as a contract buyer for Bell Labs.

He was a member of the Elks Lodge 1599; he volunteered for many years at elementary schools; bartended and enjoyed making stained glass, baking, Bronco sports and activities

supporter.

He also enjoyed attending his grandchildren's college sports and activities, traveling (especially to North and South Carolina).

He was preceded in death by his parents, Harry S. and Dorothea Hayward; wife, Henrietta Hayward; and sister, Shirley Seery.

Survivors include a son, Paul (Joyce) Hayward of Lake of the Ozarks, Mo.; a daughter, Ellen (Douglas) Johnson of International Falls; grandchildren — Sage Johnson of International Falls, Kari (Adam) Stromstad of Highland Village, Texas, and

Leif (Laurie) Johnson of Minnetonka, Minn.; great-grandchildren — Trygg Douglas Hemstad, 8; Baergen Hayward Johnson, 5; Dagny Jean Johnson, 3; Signe Lynn Stromstad, 5; and Soren Leif Stromstad, 1.

Memorial services will be conducted at noon Thursday, Oct. 31, at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church.

A luncheon will follow at the Elks Club.

Memorials would be preferred to the Elks Club and the Falls Education Foundation.

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Bernice 'Bea' Maggie (Tilander) Fults, 79

Bernice "Bea" Maggie (Tilander) Fults, age 79, longtime resident of International Falls, Minn., was surrounded with love and passed peacefully from her family's hands to God's hands Friday, Oct. 25, 2013.

She was born April 17, 1934, in Ray, Minn., delivered by her father, Carl Tilander Sr. Her mother was Charlotte Simmons.

Bernice married Jack Wolfe in 1952, and they shared four children.

In addition to being a homemaker, she worked at Sylvia's Place in Ray, and retired from Lepper's Dry Cleaners.

She always enjoyed spending time with family

and friends, loved to dance, going out to dinner, and looked forward to special celebrations.

She loved the outdoors, flower gardening, feeding the birds, puzzles, needlework, and crochet.

She was preceded in death by both parents; brothers, Burt, Carl, Ted, Ralph, Dick and Roy Tilander; sisters, Arlene Salmi and May Bancroft; granddaughter, Shelly Frahm; and son, Francis Wolfe.

Survivors include her son, Jack Wolfe of Ray; daughters, Suzanne Wolfe of Warroad, Minn., and Roxanne Wolfe of Hopkins, Minn.; brothers, Robert (Arlys) Tilander of Donald, Ore., and Wilbur

(Sherry) Tilander of Ray; and sister, Onie Tilander of International Falls.

She cherished her seven grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Other survivors include her "Sweet Auntie Mama" Hazel Tilander of International Falls; special "other daughter," Dawn Conlin and "adopted" son, Joe Conlin of International Falls; and many cousins, nieces and nephews.

Bea requested that folks wear bright, cheery colors for her Celebration of Life service.

Visitation will be at 10 a.m. followed by the service at 11 Friday, Nov. 1, at Green-Larsen Mortuary.



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Jean 'Jeanie' Ann Olson, 64

Jean "Jeanie" Ann Olson, 64, of Loman, Minn., died Monday, Oct. 28, 2013, at Essentia Health Center, Duluth, Minn.

She was born March 15, 1949, at Humboldt, Saskatchewan.

She spent her childhood in Emo, Ontario, and later moved to International Falls, Minn.

The former Jean Peri was united in marriage to Delroy Olson on Dec. 9, 1982, at Baudette, Minn. They made their home at Loman.

Jean was employed at the

Holiday Inn in the housekeeping department.

She enjoyed gardening, canning, reading and crocheting.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Michael and Nelly Peri.

Survivors include her husband, Delroy Olson of Loman; sons, Craig (Theresa) Hagen of Farmington, Minn., and Jason Olson of Oklahoma City, Okla.; daughters, Kim (Lee) Ruzich of Hibbing, Minn., and Shelley Schornick of Oklahoma; 12 grandchildren;

brothers, Wayne (Karen) Peri of Emo, and Doug Peri of Winnipeg, Manitoba; sisters, Shirley (Ron) Neufeld of British Columbia, Canada, Diane Baker of Winnipeg and Debbie (Paul Dionne) Hyatt of Calgary, Alberta.

Memorial services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 2, at Green-Larsen Mortuary.

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James Leseman

James Leseman, of International Falls, Minn., died Monday, Oct. 28, 2013, at his home.

A complete obituary will be announced when arrangements have been completed.

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25 YEARS AGO

Local Scout Chris Rud of Troop 150, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, recently received the Eagle Scout Award, the highest honor a Boy Scout can earn. Kmart employees Bernice Brown, Julie England, Anne Gushulak, Brenda Bounds, Ken Moss, Bob Bahr and Thomas Morin received awards for five years' service.

40 YEARS AGO

Miss Ginger Cook of the Falls spent Friday night with Miss Kay Wento, Ray, to help Kay celebrate her birthday. Sue Schattschneider of the Falls was crowned junior princess for Bemidji State College Homecoming events held last weekend at the campus.

Pvt. Alan L. Glime, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Glime, South International Falls, is on his way to Germany.

50 YEARS AGO

A boy was born today at Falls Memorial Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. George Blesi, Darrell Luther, 9 pounds. Renee Lindvall has transferred to the Mando payroll department to replace Roberta Larson who resigned to move to Denver, Colo.

Vernon L. Johnson, engineman third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph I. Johnson, embarked aboard the attack cargo ship USS Merrick, which operates out of Long Beach, Calif., is participating in joint training maneuvers, titled operation "Dull Knife" with the U.S. Marine Corps. Newly-elected officers

of the Ray Happy Workers 4-H Club are: Phyllis Stoffel, president; David Chute, vice president; Carol Wento, secretary; Danny Boyum, treasurer; Marilyn Stoffel, reporter; Richard Hanson, sargeant-at-arms; and Liga Zirups, recreation leader.

60 YEARS AGO

Ray Bragg, of Jameson Addition, who became lost yesterday afternoon while hunting near the west end of the Black River Trail, walked out of the woods at 2 o'clock this afternoon at Fairland.

Fire damaged the Flame tavern, South International Falls, yesterday evening and speeded up a moving job of the family residing in a second-floor apartment. Occupants of the apartment, Mr. and Mrs. George

Counter, were preparing to move to their new home at the time the fire was discovered at about 5:30 o'clock.

Pfc. Joseph T. Newman was recently presented the Purple Heart Medal for wounds received in action against the enemy in Korea. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hassell have returned from a wedding trip to Twin Valley and are making their home on Island View Route. They were married at Ranier Oct. 22 by Justice of the Peace Mervin Trompeter.

70 YEARS AGO

A son was born today to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Grevich at their home in Holler. Jerry Sullivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sullivan, underwent an appendectomy at Northern Minnesota Hospital.

