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AVALANCHE DEATHS IN NORWAY

17 PERSONS MISSING

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT

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Four persons have been found dead, and 17 are missing, after three snow avalanches which occurred last night and early to-day in the Lofoten district of northern Norway. On Sunday three people were killed by an avalanche at Meløy.

The first avalanche to-day was west of Svolvær, where the Kongsmarka water power plant was badly damaged. Two men on duty in the power station are missing. The second was at Sigerfjord, on the island of Hinnøy. Four houses were totally destroyed, and 13 people were reported missing this morning. Four of them were subsequently found dead. The third avalanche occurred at Langvassbukt, in Kvefjord. Two houses were destroyed, and six people are missing.

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