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CATHERINE RADER

Catherine Myrtle Rader passed away Wednesday evening at the home on Third avenue east, Kalispell. She was 8 years of age and had been a cripple for over six years.

Private funeral services were held this afternoon at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. Walter H. Sandy, followed by interment in the Demersville cemetery.

ROGER RAILSBACK

Word has been received here of the death of Roger Railsback, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Railsback of Everett, Washington, Thursday, Jan. 7. Funeral services are being held there today.

The Railsback family were former residents of Kalispell. Roger was a senior at the University of Washington at Seattle and contracted flu and pneumonia about six months ago, from which he never recovered. He was about 22 years of age.

DONALD RASMUSSEN

Donald Roy Rasmussen, aged six years, passed away early this morning. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rasmussen of 1205 fifth avenue east, Kalispell. The body is at the Waggener & Campbell funeral home and service arrangements are incomplete.

DONALD RASMUSSEN

Funeral services for Donald Rasmussen will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. Walter H. Sandy, followed by interment in Spring Creek cemetery.

ONE KILLED, 3 HURT IN CRASH NEAR ROLLINS

Mrs. C. M. Reed of Los Angeles was killed and three others injured in an automobile collision near Rollins about 1 o'clock this afternoon. Mrs. Reed died while she was being brought to the hospital here by the city ambulance, which was called to the scene of the accident shortly after 1 o'clock.

C. M. Reed is reported to be suffering from a badly lacerated face and shock, although physicians have not yet made a complete examination of his condition.

Elizabeth Evans of St. Paul, who was driving the machine which collided with the Reed car, is suffering from shock, and Martha Manwaring of Los Angeles, who was riding with her, was taken to the hospital in an unconscious condition. The extent of her injuries are not yet known.

The Reeds were driving toward KallsPELL when they met the Evans machine, which skidded on the wet pavement just before the two cars met. Complete details of the accident were not available, but it is understood that both cars were badly damaged.

Highway Patrolman Ray Bryan left immediately for the scene of the accident and is investigating the circumstances surrounding the collision. Deputy Sheriff A. B. Yull assisted in bringing the injured to the hospital.

HENRY REIMER

Henry Reimer, aged 72 years, passed away this morning after a long illness. Mr. Reimer was a pioneer rancher in the Creston district. The body is at the KallsPELL Funeral Home. Funeral arrangements are incomplete and will be announced later.

HENRY REIMER

Funeral services for Henry Reimer will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Trinity Lutheran church, Rev. A. J. Jordan officiating. Interment will be in Conrad Memorial cemetery, under the direction of the KallsPELL Funeral Home.

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MISS DAGNEY REISTAD

Miss Dagney Reistad passed away in Kalispell Sunday evening after a brief illness. Miss Reistad was 45 years of age and was a teacher in the Bigfork schools for the past seven years. She came here from North Dakota. The body is at the Waggener & Campbell funeral home pending funeral arrangements.

MISS DAGNEY REISTAD

Funeral services for Miss Dagney Reistad of Bigfork will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. Donald Baldwin.

Following the chapel service the body will be taken to North Dakota for interment.

Bigfork residents are deeply grieved over the death of one of their teachers, Miss Dagny Reistad. She had taught in the elementary school the past seven years and had began her eighth year when she passed away. She was from Kindred, North Dakota. She was very conscientious in her work. She was greatly loved by patrons, pupils and all who knew her. All sympathize with her aged father, three brothers, and one sister and her relatives who reside in Kalispell.

Funeral services for Miss Reistad were held at the Waggener & Campbell mortuary in Kalispell. Her school pupils attended in a body and large delegations from Bigfork and Kalispell also were present. Rev. D. H. Baldwin officiated. Don Sheppard sang two beautiful solos. Many beautiful flowers adorned her casket. Immediately after the service the hearse, followed by relatives and a few friends, motored to Columbia Falls from which place her brother, Jene Reistad, accompanied the body to Kindred, North Dakota, her home. Another funeral service will be held there and then she will be laid to rest beside her mother and others who have preceded her.

Reynolds James N 2 Dec 1937 pg 7

JAMES N. REYNOLDS

James N. Reynolds of Columbia Falls passed away Wednesday afternoon in Kalispell after an illness of less than a week. Mr. Reynolds came to Kalispell with the railroad in 1891, and lived here until about 1908 when he went to Kansas City veterinary college. After graduation he made his home near Columbia Falls. Mr. Reynolds was 65 years of age. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and Order of Eastern Star at Columbia Falls.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. Price and the Masonic lodge, followed by interment in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

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MRS. IVA J. RHONE

Mrs. Iva Jane Rhone passed away early this morning at her home on the east lake shore, six miles south of Bigfork. Mrs. Rhone was 48 years of age. The body is at the Waggener & Campbell funeral home and service arrangements are pending word from relatives at a distance.

MRS. IVA RHONE

Funeral services for Mrs. Iva Jane Rhone will be held Sunday afternoon at 1:30 at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. Donald Baldwin of Somers followed by interment in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Bigfork residents were very sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Iva Rhone, wife of Harry Rhone of the east lake shore, early Thursday morning. She was very highly esteemed by all who knew her. Sympathy is extended to her husband and other relatives.

Richmond Ruby Eloise 9 Mar 1937 pg 5

RUBY E. RICHMOND

Ruby Eloise Richmond, aged one year and nine months, passed away last night at the home in Somers, where she had been ill about ten days. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Richmond.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. Donald Baldwin at the graveside in Conrad Memorial cemetery. Interment will be made under the direction of Waggener & Campbell.

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Many from this community attended the funeral of Bonita Mae Roberts in Kalispell last Monday. The family has the sympathy of their friends in their sorrow.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors who helped us in so many ways in our bereavement.

Especially do we thank Lake Lodge No. 50, Rev. and Mrs. L. P. Sanford, those who sent flowers and the pall bearers.

Signed: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Roberts and family.

Robertson Martin 9 Jan 1937 pg 2

MARTIN ROBERTSON

Martin Robertson of this city passed away in Friday afternoon at the age of 65 years. Mr. Robertson came to the Flathead 40 years ago and had engaged in farming and logging. He had been ill since Christmas day. Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. L. N. Field followed by interment in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

THREE FLATHEAD RESIDENTS MEET VIOLENT DEATHS

**John S. Bessent Killed In Auto
Crash — Robert Wiar Takes
Own Life — Whitefish Man
Found Dead At Essex**

Three persons were killed in this section of the state over the week-end as tragedy stalked through northwestern Montana in a variety of forms.

John S. Bessent, 51, automobile salesman for the Garey Motor company, was instantly killed near Lakeside about 5 o'clock Sunday morning when his car somersaulted more than 50 feet down the embankment after he had apparently gone to sleep at the wheel of his machine.

Robert Lee Wiar, 42, a World war veteran, was discovered hanging from a rafter in his garage at his home at 372 Seventh avenue east north, about 1 o'clock Sunday morning by his wife, Emma. Wiar had tied one end of the rope about his neck and had leaped off the hood of his car. Death, it was stated, occurred almost instantly, probably between 6 and 7 o'clock that evening.

Skull Badly Fractured

Val Robertson of Whitefish, about 60 years of age, a brakeman for the Great Northern Railway, was found dead in the yards at Essex about 3:30 this morning as the result of a badly fractured skull which he sustained when he evidently fell from the side of a train which he was switching. His leg was also broken. Although no one witnessed the accident, it was presumed that he either fell from the side of the freight car or was caught between a broken section of the train.

Investigation by Highway Patrolman R. W. Everett and Ray Bryan disclosed that no other car was involved in the accident which sent Bessent hurtling to his death. His car crashed into the left hand side of the road as he was returning from attending the University of Montana-Whitman college football game at Missoula and veered across the highway down the embankment.

Bessent's death evidently came as the result of a concussion of the brain. Although he received deep scalp wounds and lacerations about the face his skull was not fractured, examination by Coroner Campbell revealed.

Wiar, it was stated, had been suffering ill health for some time and this was given as the probable cause for taking his own life.

Mr. Bessent witnessed the accident

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The body of Mr. Bessent is at the Waggener & Campbell' funeral home and service arrangements are yet incomplete.

Services for Robertson are pending word from Mrs. Robertson, who was visiting in Missouri at the time of his death.

VAL W. ROBERTSON

Funeral services for Val W. Robertson will be held Friday morning at the Masonic Temple in Whitefish by Rev. C. P. Daane, of the Presbyterian church. The body will then be returned to the Waggener & Campbell chapel awaiting final disposition.

Mr. Robertson was a member of the Masonic Lodge, Royal Arch Masons, Commandary, Shrine, Consistory and Eastern Stars and also a member of the Railway Conductors. The Masonic branches will have charge of the funeral arrangements.

which resulted in the death of Robert Green on Highway No. 2 near Columbia Falls this summer, and afterward expressed a horror of the mounting highway fatalities to Highway Patrolman Bryan.

He came here from Connecticut about 20 years ago, and he and his family lived at Swan Lake for a number of years before coming to KallsPELL. He was a retired lieutenant in the U. S. Naval reserves.

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MRS. LEAH ROOF

Mrs. Leah Roof, aged 78, of Somers, passed away last night at a local hospital after a short illness.

Mrs. Roof came to the Flathead with her husband and family in 1910. They settled on a homestead south of Big Arm, where they resided until recent years when they came to Somers to make their home.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the KallsPELL Funeral home chapel. Mrs. John Sherman will read the Christian Science service. Interment will be made in the Demersville cemetery.

Roscoe Dollie 5 May 1937 pg 3

MRS. DOLLIE ROSCOE

The body of Mrs. Dollie Roscoe was brought to KallsPELL from Warren, Oregon, last evening. Mrs. Roscoe was an early resident of KallsPELL, and was 79 years of age at the time of her passing. Services were held at St. Helens, Oregon, and interment was made here at the Conrad Memorial cemetery under the direction of Waggoner & Campbell.

Ross Florence 5 May 1937 pg 9

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Florence Ross, for 49 years a resident of KallsPELL, in Minneapolis last week. She passed away at the home of her daughter, and interment was in Fon du Lac, Wisconsin.

Rudd Fred E 2 Nov 1937 pg 2
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FRED E. RUD

Fred E. Rud passed away early this morning in Kallispell after a brief illness. Mr. Rud came here recently and thus far no relatives have been located. Chief of Police Levi Gaustad and Emil Anderson of the American Legion have been working on the identification since he was taken sick a few days ago, as he is believed to have a military record.

The body is at the Waggener & Campbell funeral home.

FRED E. RUDD

Funeral services for Fred E. Rudd will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel with the American Legion in charge. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. A brother, Hugo Rudd of North Dakota arrived Thursday afternoon to be here for the service.

Rueffer Edward J 3 Aug 1937 pg 1

WHITEFISH MAN IS FOUND DEAD IN HOME

Coroner Campbell was called to Whitefish last evening about 6 o'clock to investigate the death of Edward J. Rueffer, aged 57, who had been found dead at his home.

Upon investigation it was learned that Mr. Rueffer had last been seen late Saturday night and he apparently had succumbed to a heart attack about midnight upon retiring. When he did not appear the next day neighbors went to the house where he lived alone and discovered the body.

It was learned that he came to Whitefish in 1910 and was employed by the Great Northern railway, but because of ill health had been retired several years ago.

The body was brought to the Waggener & Campbell funeral home and funeral arrangements are awaiting the arrival of a son from Michigan. Another son is in the U. S. Navy in China at this time and could not be reached.

Runsvold Anna 13 Nov 1937 pg 5

MRS. ANNA RUNSVOLD

Mrs. Anna Runsvold passed away Friday afternoon in Kallispell after a brief illness. Mrs. Runsvold came here nearly 17 years ago and was the widow of Peter Runsvold, who was killed at Kila, in December, 1934, when the bed of a gravel truck collapsed on him. Mrs. Runsvold had made her home at 1046 South Main Street.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel. Rev. L. N. Field, followed by interment in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Russell

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ARWIN RUSSELL

Arwin Russell, aged 55 years, passed away this morning in Kalispell after a long illness. Mr. Russell had been a resident of Kalispell for the past 31 years.

The body is at the Kalispell Funeral Home. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

ALWIN RUSSELL

Funeral services for Alwin Russell will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Kalispell Funeral Home chapel, Rev. Charles Durston officiating. Interment will be in Demersville cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kind assistance during our recent bereavement. We especially thank Rev. Durston for his comforting words, those who furnished the music and cars and those who acted as pallbearers.

Signed: Mr. and Mrs. George Jakes, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelly and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Russell and Clarence Russell.