

DONALD E. AARESTAD

Funeral services for Donald E. Aarestad were held Saturday afternoon at Bethany Chapel northwest of Bigfork by Rev. John Alver. During the service Miss Lillian Risdal sang two solo selections, accompanied at the piano by Lillie Skifton. Friends acting as pall bearers were Orlando Stethaug, Orville Ramsfield, Delmer Madsen, Glen Overby, Jacob Lee and Halvor Lee. Interment was in the Bethany cemetery under the direction of the Waggener & Campbell Funeral home.

Obituary

Donald Eugene Aarestad was born to Rev. and Mrs. Gerhard Aarestad September 11, 1930, at Whitefish, Montana, where his father was the minister of the Lutheran church. At the age of one year Donald moved with his parents to Deering, North Dakota. He attended school there for several years and in 1940 moved to the Swan River community and a year and a half later the family moved to Watrous, Sask., Canada. Donald had been ill for some time and was recently taken to Rochester, Minn., where he passed away October 11, 1943, at the age of 13 years.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerhard Aarestad of Watrous, and one brother, Norman, and two sisters, Lillian and Dalene of the same place and his grandfather, E. J. Lee of Bigfork, and other relatives.

FRANCIS M. ACKER

Funeral services for Francis M. Aker were held Saturday afternoon at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. Mrs. R. C. Treloar. On Sunday the body was taken to Minne-

apolis, Minn., where funeral services and interment will take place.

Obituary

Francis Marion Aker was born July 9, 1875, at Waterton, Minn. He spent his early life in the middle west and in recent years had been making his home at Williston, N. D. He had been traveling as a salesman for the Janney-Semple-Hill company, wholesale hardware firm of Minneapolis.

He was a member of the Masonic lodge and of the Shrine.

About a year ago he suffered a stroke and for the past six months had been at the Pansler home on the east lake shore south of Bigfork. He suffered another stroke and passed away early Saturday morning, January 2, 1943, at the age of 67 years.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Emma Aker, now of Bigfork, two children, Mrs. G. B. Whittington of Eugene, Oregon, and John D. Aker at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center at Chicago, and one granddaughter. Also there are two sisters living in Minneapolis, Minn.

ABEL D. ADAMS

Funeral services for Abel D. Adams were held Monday afternoon at 3:30 at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. Russell Prentice of the Presbyterian church. During the services Clide Carr sang two solo selections, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pallbearers were S. I. Rapson, Bert D. Saling, Meade James, Cecil Sykes, John Graham and Curtis Miller. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Mr. Adams passed away in Kalispell May 15, 1943, at the age of 81 years.

Obituary

Abel Daniel Adams was born of English parentage at Newport, Vermont, a few miles from the Canadian border December 16, 1861. When he was 10 years of age the family moved to Traer, Iowa, where he grew to manhood. He was married in 1883 to Ellen Overton, and to this union was born four children, two of whom have died. The remaining children are Mrs. Mabel E. Taylor of Red Deer, Alberta, Canada; Harry Adams of Columbia Falls; and an adopted son, June P. Adams, who resides at the family home.

Ellen Adams passed on in 1898, and in 1902 Mr. Adams was married to Sarah F. Brown at Estherville, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Adams arrived in the Flathead in January, 1903, and they have resided in Flathead county ever since. They proved up on a homestead in the Echo Lake district, east of Kalispell, and later moved to Somers and Kalispell. In 1925 they purchased the Park Hotel in Kalispell and have conducted the business ever since.

Mr. Adams suffered an injury about five years ago and had been an invalid ever since. He was devoted to his family and always wanted some of his grandchildren with him. He loved flowers and spent many happy hours in his garden as long as he was able to get about.

Besides his daughter and two sons he leaves to mourn his passing his devoted widow, 12 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren, and a host of friends who will extend sincerest sympathy to the bereaved family.

GEORGE S. ALLEN

Funeral services for George Allen were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. F. B. Hill. During the service Don Shepan sang two solo selections accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pall bearers were Otto Fehlberg, Roy Mitchell, Frank J. Hellman, Charles Perkins, N. H. Uhlhammer and J. H. Neiswender. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

George Samuel Allen was born Feb. 2, 1867 at Jefferson, Wisconsin. He spent his early life in Wisconsin and Minnesota. On Nov. 25, 1887 he was united in marriage to Miss Cora Alice Gile. About ten years later they moved to Arkansas where they engaged in farming until 1915 when they moved to Montana, and homesteaded near Scobey. From there they came to Coram, Mont. in 1931 and the past three years have been spent at Hot Springs. Mr. Allen passed away at his home in Hot Springs, Sept. 24, 1943 at the age of 76 years.

He is survived by his wife at home and six children, Frank Allen and Sam Allen both of Kennewick, Wash., Milo Allen of Everly, Iowa, Mrs. A. W. Brush of Auburn, Neb., Mrs. Charles Schroeder of Maryville, Kan., and Warren G. Allen of South Gate, California. Also there are 23 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren living and one brother Tom Allen now of Lamato, California.

Laura H. Ames

Funeral services for Mrs. Laura H. Ames were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. George Masuda of the Episcopal church. During the services a mixed quartet composed of Mrs. A. Paterson, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lamb and A. Dunsire sang appropriate hymn selections accompanied at the organ by Mrs. W. L. Dickinson. Friends acting as pallbearers were D. L. Brown, H. A. Veeder, A. B. Horstman, E. M. Wright, George Paul, and W. G. Johnson. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Laura Harriet Melton was born July 28, 1891, at Rapid City, Michigan. She grew up in the east and was married July 18, 1906, in Wisconsin to Arthur Ames. They moved to the Flathead a year later to make their home in Somers. They lived in Kalispell and then Whitefish before moving to Bigfork seven years ago. Mr. Ames passed away there two years ago. Mrs. Ames had gone to Seattle, Wash., recently and was returning home ill when she became worse at Whitefish, where she passed away July 26, at the age of 51 years.

She is survived by her one daughter, Miss Ruth Ames of Bigfork.

Alfred P. Anderson

Funeral services for Alfred P. Anderson were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel with Rev. L. W. Zeltner officiating. Two musical selections were sung by Don Shepard and he was accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Burial followed in the Conrad Memorial cemetery under the direction of the Kalispell Lodge No. 42, A. F. and A. M. Friends acting as pallbearers were Peter Myre, Chris Holand, L. H. Schimpf, Arthur Hollensteiner, E. N. Bostwick and J. M. Mills.

Obituary

Alfred P. Anderson was born on March 2, 1870, at Holland, Michigan. He spent much of his childhood sailing on Lake Michigan with his father on a sailing schooner.

On November 17, 1892, he was united in marriage with Helen C. Erickson at Racine, Wisconsin. He became a member of the United States Life Saving Service and served there for nine years before moving to Flathead lake in Montana in September of 1902.

In 1908 he built the first freight boat on Flathead lake, the "Bigfork," which he plied between Demersville and Polson and points between. Later he sold the "Bigfork" and became the captain of the "Klondike" until 1921 when he started a boatbuilding business of his own.

Surviving are his widow, Helen C., and five children, Mrs. W. W. Culbert of Bigfork, Peter of Madison, Indiana, Herbert of the U. S. Navy, stationed at Clinton, Oklahoma, Mrs. E. G. Phillips of Kalispell. There are also eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

JOHAN E. ANDERSON

Funeral services for Johan E. Anderson were held Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. Amos Johnson of the Bethlehem Lutheran church. The Color Guard of the American Legion stood by the flag-draped casket during the services and there were many beautiful flowers banked across the front of the chapel. Sympathizing friends filled the chapel and adjoining rooms for the services. During the services Bill Carr sang two solo selections accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pall bearers were Louis Hofsas, Vernon McLouth, Fred Ruff, Charles DeVoe, C. M. Boon and Pete Torbergson. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Johan Edward Anderson was

born October 7, 1888, at South Stillwater, Minn., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Magnus Anderson. He moved to Somers in 1902 where he had lived since with the exception of his World War service period. He enlisted in July 1918 and served in the Casual Detachment and Spruce Production Division receiving his honorable discharge in Feb. 1919.

He passed away at Somers, Montana, Jan. 23, 1943, following an accident at the mill where he had been employed for many years. He was 54 years of age.

Mr. Anderson is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Elena Anderson at home, three children, Hellen Anderson, Eva Anderson and Royden Anderson, all of Somers, and two sisters, Mrs. Etta Rockam of Seattle, and Mrs. Olive Bondeson of Kalispell, and one brother, Carl Anderson of Swan Lake.

JUDITH D. ANDERSON

Funeral services for Judith D. Anderson were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. Amos Johnson of the Bethlehem Lutheran church. During the services two appropriate solo selections were sung by Clide Carr, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pall bearers were Maugel V. Bauska, Henry Torgerson, Alfred Krause and Alfred Holten, Jr. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Obituary

Judith Deane Anderson was born February 26, 1941, in Kalispell to Mr. and Mrs. Orvin Anderson. The family recently moved to Wolf Point where Judith was taken ill ten days ago and passed away April 27, 1943, at the age of two years and two months. She was baptized in the Bethlehem Lutheran church in Kalispell.

Those surviving are her parents now of Wolf Point, her grandmother, Mrs. A. Linquist of Scobey, Mont., and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Halvor O. Anderson of Kalispell, and other relatives.

OLE ANDERSON

Funeral services for Ole Anderson were held Saturday morning at 11:30 at the Waggner & Campbell chapel by Rev. Amon Johnson of the Bethlehem Lutheran church. During the service Clide Carr sang two solo selections, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Following the chapel service the body was taken to Kirkland, Washington, for interment.

Obituary

Ole Anderson was born in Holingdale, Norway, May 28, 1855. He grew to manhood in Norway and came to the United States in 1881. He lived for a year at Lansing, Ia., and then moved to Bottineau, N. D., where he remained for 36 years. In 1918 he moved to Kalispell and 11 years ago to Kirkland, Wash. He returned to Kalispell a year ago to be with his son, H. C. Anderson, northwest of the city. He passed away April 15, 1943, at his son's home at the age of 87 years.

Mr. Anderson was a member of the Lutheran church at Bottineau, N. D., and of the Helena Flats Mission society.

He is survived by his six children: Ivalvor C. Anderson of Kalispell; Mrs. Melia Hoffas of Bottineau, N. D.; Albert Anderson of Kalispell; Alfred Anderson of Kirkland, Wash.; Mrs. Gladys Hinds and Mrs. Olga Nelson, also of Kirkland. There are 15 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

**ARTHUR RAY ARMSTRONG
KILLED IN TUGBOAT
ACCIDENT AT KODIAK**

Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Armstrong of Somers have received information concerning the death of their son, Arthur Ray Armstrong in Kodiak, Alaska, Sunday, January 24.

According to the information he was swept overboard from the deck of a tugboat and struck his head on some object.

Mr. Armstrong had been working at the naval base for the past year but was cooking aboard the tugboat at the time of the fatal accident.

Mr. Armstrong was born at Whitefish and attended school there except for his senior year in high school which he attended at Flathead county high school. He spent two years at the University at Missoula and four years with the Army Medical Corps in Honolulu. Later he was stationed at Fort Missoula for two years and then went to the Presidio at San Francisco where he was in the army cooking and baking school.

Mr. Armstrong was a member of the Kalispell Elks lodge and the Whitefish DeMolay and was active in Scout work.

The body will be shipped to Kalispell. No funeral arrangements have yet been made.

ARTHUR R. ARMSTRONG

Funeral services for Arthur Rae Armstrong were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by S. I. Rapson who read the service of the Christian Science church. Members of the American Legion attended in a body and the Color Guard was posted by the casket during the service. Mrs. Ann Pederson-Lamb sang two solo selections during the service, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Ross Young. Friends acting as pall bearers were C. C. McGlenn, Gordon Parr, Lucian Schimpf, James Karaly, Allen Milne and Ray Robbin. Interment was in the Whitefish cemetery, closing the service with the military salute and taps.

OBITUARY

Arthur Rae Armstrong was born at Whitefish, Montana, June 4, 1909. He completed grade school and three years of high school at Whitefish. He joined the Boy Scouts of America and attained the rank of Eagle Scout. He was a charter member of Henry Mayfield chapter of DeMolay.

Mr. Armstrong joined the regular army and was assigned to the medical corps and stationed at Drippler General hospital at Honolulu, Hawaii, for four years. He transferred to Fort Missoula, at Missoula, Montana, where he remained for two years. He transferred to Company D, 4th Infantry while at Missoula, and was sent to the army cooks and bakers' school at the Presidio in San Francisco, Calif.

After he finished his army enlistments he graduated from Flathead County high school and also completed two years of college at Montana State University at Missoula. During this period he served as

Scout Master for Troop 34 at Somers and also for Troop 7 at Missoula.

He left for Kodiak, Alaska, in December 1941, where he passed away on January 24, 1943.

He met Miss Theodora Reed during his residence at Missoula, and they were to have been married upon his return from Alaska.

He is survived by his fiancée, Miss Reed; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Armstrong; two sisters, Mrs. R. L. Hutchins of San Diego and Mrs. E. A. Opp of Kodiak, Alaska, two aged grandmothers; uncles, aunts and cousins in Whitefish and a host of relatives in Pennsylvania.

He was a member of the Elks

lodge at Kalispell. He had been a member of the Somers Lumber and Sawmill Workers' union and had also been active in the Kalispell Trade and Labor Council.