

Surname
Tabaka

Given
Joseph

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JOSEPH TABAKA

Joseph Tabaka passed away early Monday morning at the home of his son, Frank, just north of Kalispell. Mr. Tabaka was 76 years of age and had made his home in this community since last October, coming here from North Dakota. Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Elliot Mortuary.

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JOSEPH TABAKA

Funeral services for Joseph Tabaka will be held Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Elliot chapel with Miss Benlah Rayson of the West Side Methodist church officiating. Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Tetrault
Francis

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FRANCIS TETRAULT

Francis Tetrault passed away early this morning at his home north of Kalispell at the age of 84 years. Mr. Tetrault was one of the pioneers of the Flathead, having made his home here for over 57 years. He is survived by his wife, Valeria; four sons, Oscar, Eddie, Andrew and Henry; and five daughters, Mrs. Roderick Houston of Appar, Mrs. C. L. O'Connell of Niarada, Mrs. Frank Motichka of Columbia Falls, Mrs. William Brown of Tacoma and Mrs. Frank Chenawitch. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by the Elliot Mortuary.

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REQUIEM HIGH MASS FOR FRANCIS TETRAULT MONDAY

Requiem high mass will be celebrated Monday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Matthew's church by the Very Rev. F. X. O'Farrell for Francis Tetrault. Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Rosary will be recited Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at the Elliot chapel. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

Thibodeau
Hugh

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HUGH THIBODEAU BURNED TO DEATH IN ODD ACCIDENT

Hugh Thibodeau, a resident here from the early days, met a strange and terrible death Thursday evening, when his clothing took fire from a blow torch he was using to repair a drain pipe, and he burned to death on the roof of the building he owned and occupied at 315 Second avenue west.

Neighbors in the vicinity first noticed a light in his apartment, but saw no one about the place, and called the police to investigate. It was remembered that he had been working on the roof earlier in the day, and officers climbed a ladder, and found the body lying on the roof. Coroner Campbell was called and with the police unraveled the tragic story.

He had taken his tools to the roof and gone down through a trap door to a small attic space, evidently to repair a drain pipe. In some manner his coat caught on fire from a blow torch he was using. He had taken off the coat and put out the fire, but his other clothing was evidently ablaze, and he crawled out

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HUGH THIBODEAU BURNED TO DEATH IN ODD ACCIDENT

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into the roof, where everything he was wearing except his shoes was burned from his body, which was badly blistered. His watch, pocket-book and other belongings were scattered about the roof where they had fallen as he made frantic efforts to extinguish the flames. The watch had stopped at 7:30, which was probably the hour when he met his death.

Thibodeau was a bachelor, and lived alone in his building. He was an electrician by trade, had a very good business here in the early days, and owned considerable property on the west side from which he derived an income from rentals. Those who knew him best say he came here from Ottawa, and that he was about 85 years old.

One of his most prized possessions was an old Mitchell car which is said to have been one of the first automobiles in Kalispell.

The early day models didn't generally work very well, but "Tib", as he was known to his friends, could always make his go, and often drove it in parades during celebrations. He owned the old car to the day of his death, and it is still in running condition.

He is survived by a cousin, Mrs. Ida Chasse, of Kalispell, and a brother, J. R. Thibodeau of Seattle, who has been notified by Coroner Campbell.

The body is at the Waggener & Campbell Funeral home, and funeral arrangements are incomplete, pending word from the brother.

Thomas

R C

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R. C. THOMAS

R. C. Thomas, formerly manager of the J. C. Penney Company in Kalispell for seven years, passed away in Salt Lake City Wednesday. This information came to M. R. Smith from Mrs. Thomas last evening.

Funeral services will be under the auspices of the Elks' lodge, but the date has not been definitely fixed, Mrs. Thomas said.

Mr. Thomas, who had been ill for the past eight years, had many warm friends in Kalispell who will regret to learn of his passing.

Thompson

Byron J

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**Byron J. Thompson
Takes Own Life**

Byron J. Thompson took his life late Friday afternoon at his Lower Valley farm home by shooting himself through the forehead with a .22 rifle. His wife heard the gun report and discovered the body immediately afterwards in the basement of their home. Mr. Thompson had not been well for the past two weeks and was worried over lack of help for increasing farm work.

Mr. Thompson was born in the Lower Valley and spent his entire life in that community. He was 36 years old at the time of his death. Surviving besides his widow are two small children, two brothers and one sister.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener & Campbell Funeral home.

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BYRON J. THOMPSON

Funeral services for Byron J. Thompson will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. Russell Prentice of the Presbyterian church, followed by interment in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

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Auguste M

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MRS. AUGUSTE M. TIMM

Mrs. Auguste M. Timm passed away early Friday morning at her home in Kalispell at the age of 68 years. She was the wife of Carl J. Timm and came to Kalispell 21 years ago. Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Trinity Lutheran church by Rev. A. Jordan followed by interment in the Conrad Memorial cemetery under the direction of the Waggener & Campbell Funeral home.

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MRS. AGNES H. TORGERSON

Funeral services for Mrs. Agnes H. Torgerson will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. Amon Johnson of the Bethlehem Lutheran church followed by interment in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

AGNES H. TORGERSON

Funeral services for Agnes Helene Torgerson were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. Amon Johnson of the Bethlehem Lutheran church. During the services Don Shepard sang two solo selections accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pall bearers were Victor Guest, Manual Bauska, Ted Borgen, Henry Borgen, Arthur Torgerson and Clarence Torgerson. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Torgerson Oscar 30 Aug 1944 pg 1

**T/5 OSCAR TORGERSON
KILLED IN BATTLE
ACTION IN FRANCE**

T/5 Oscar Torgerson of Kalispell was killed in action in France, August 17, according to word received by relatives here. He had been in the invasion of Normandy and had been overseas for some time.

Parents of the soldier reside in North Dakota but his two sisters live northeast of Kalispell on a farm. He entered the service in the early days of the war and first trained with a tank destroyer outfit and later transferred to the field artillery.

Sisters of Mr. Torgerson were advised of his death in a telegram from the War Department and a letter will follow.

Torgerson Philip W 18 Aug 1944 pg 5

PHILIP W. TORGERSON

Philip Wesley Torgerson, year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Torgerson of Tacona and formerly of Kalispell, passed away there Thursday. The body will be brought to Kalispell and funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. Amon Johnson of the Bethlehem Lutheran church followed by interment in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Turner Carl W 3 Jan 1944 pg 4

CARL W. TURNER

Funeral services for Carl W. Turner will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel with Rev. R. F. Vick officiating. The Flathead Post No. 7, American Legion will also participate in the services. Interment will be made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Turner

Levi Benjamin

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LEVI B. TURNER

Levi Benjamin Turner passed away suddenly at his home Wednesday afternoon at 1246 Sixth avenue east in Kalispell. Mr. Turner came to Kalispell over four years ago and was past 70 years of age. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener & Campbell chapel by Rev. Mrs. R. C. Treloar followed by interment in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

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LEVI B. TURNER

Funeral services for Levi Benjamin Turner were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. Mrs. R. C. Treloar of the Somers Methodist church. During the service Koth Shew sang two hymn selections accompanied at the organ by Mrs. J. M. Carlson. Friends acting as pall bearers were Ray Powell, William Haverman, William Goss, John Wilson, Frits Dennis, and Lloyd Willy. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Tychsen

Laura

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Mrs. Agnes H. Torgerson

Mrs. Agnes H. Torgerson passed away Friday afternoon following a brief illness. Mrs. Torgerson was the wife of Henry Torgerson and came to Kalispell seven years ago. She was 34 years of age and had been employed by the Photo-Art Shop. Service arrangements are incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener and Campbell Funeral Home.