

Death of Randell Oct. 6th Learned

Word has been received here of the death of F. O. Randell which occurred at his home in Villah, Washington, Oct. 6. Mr. Randell had been ill the past year, it was stated.

Prof. Randell came to Kalispell in the fall of 1916 and served as principal of Flathead county high school from that date until the spring of 1924. In the year 1923-1924 he coached the Flathead basketball team which won the north-western district championship.

In 1924 after leaving here he went into business for himself and previous to his passing had been operating a theater with his son-in-law, Ray Miller. It was learned here.

He is survived by his wife, one son, Frank, Jr., of Moscow, Idaho, and three daughters, Miriam, who is teaching in Long Island, New York, Naomi, who is married and living in Seattle, and Ruth (Mrs. Ray Miller) of Villah, Washington.

Mr. Randell had many friends in Kalispell, many of them being former students at Flathead during his term there, who will regret his passing.

DONALD R. REED

Donald Robert Reed, age 10 years, passed away Monday evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Reed, west of Whitefish. He had been ill for about two weeks with diphtheria before his death. He attended grade school in Whitefish. Surviving him besides his parents are five brothers, James, William, Carl, Clyde and Thomas and two sisters, Betty and Alice.

Private funeral services were held this afternoon in the Whitefish cemetery under the direction of the Catron chapel.

LOCAL MAN, THREE OTHERS KILLED, PLANE COLLISION

Hamilton, April 21—(AP)—Four persons are dead today as the result of the collision of two small planes about 600 feet over the Hamilton airport in western Montana Sunday.

Killed were Chester Derry, 35, Missoula, pilot for the Johnson Flying Service; D. E. L. Williams, Missoula chiropractor, and Garland Reeves of Kalspell, both passengers with Derry, and Gordon Wetsteon, 20, Ravalli county rancher.

The tragedy occurred as Wetsteon, a student pilot on his second solo flight, was approaching the field for a landing. Witnesses said it appeared the two planes crashed head-on.

An investigation was being conducted today by Civil Aeronautics officials and local officers.

Garland Reeves was 27 years of age and had lived in Kalspell most of his life but lately had been employed in Missoula as a news reporter. He is survived by his wife and child in Seattle and his father, Frank Reeves, of Kalspell. The body is being brought to Kalspell today and service arrangements will be announced later by the Waggoner and Campbell funeral home.

GARLAND L. REEVES

Funeral services for Garland Leonard Reeves were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggoner and Campbell chapel with Elder Halvor Thomsen of the Seventh Day Adventist church officiating. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Mr. Reeves was killed in an airplane accident at Hamilton Sunday afternoon.

GARLAND L. REEVES

Funeral services for Garland Leonard Reeves were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggoner and Campbell chapel with Elder Halvor Thomsen of the Seventh Day Adventist church officiating.

Two very beautiful selected hymns were rendered by Mrs. Bonnie Kraft with Mrs. W. L. Dickinson accompanying at the organ. Friends selected to serve as pall bearers were Ray Robertson, Elwood McClarty, Victor Hoppus, Charles A. Watters, Louis Bain and Donald Rasmussen. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

PETER REGESKY

Peter Regesky passed away Saturday evening at a local hospital after a short illness. Mr. Regesky was 64 years of age and had been living with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Olson, on the LaSalle road south of Columbia Falls. He came to the Flathead from Seattle about two and one-half years ago. Graveside rites will be conducted for Mr. Regesky Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock at Conrad Memorial cemetery with the Rev. J. C. Touhy officiating. Interment will be made under the direction of the Waggoner and Campbell funeral home.

PETE REGESKY

Funeral services for Pete Regesky were held Tuesday morning at the Waggoner and Campbell chapel. Graveside rites were conducted at the Conrad Memorial cemetery by the Rev. Father J. C. Touhy.

Pete Regesky was born July 15, 1883 in Austria and passed away at Kalspell, Montana Nov. 15, 1947, at the age of 64 years.

Mr. Regesky was a single man and had been employed by the Great Northern railway and also engaged in farming. He made his home at Columbia Falls the past two and a half years.

There are no surviving relatives.

SUICIDE FOLLOWS FAMILY QUARREL; WOMAN INJURED

Albert George Rehbein, a 29-year-old Half Moon sawmill worker is dead from gunshot wounds, believed by county authorities to be self-inflicted, and his wife is in a Whitefish hospital where she is being treated for severe head wounds she said were caused by her mate following a quarrel at their home early this morning.

County Coroner Harry Campbell said the man was found lying on the kitchen floor with a fatal wound in his head and a .32 caliber revolver by his side about 3 o'clock this morning. Sheriff's deputies, Coroner Campbell and County Attorney Ambrose Meazure spent much of the day investigating.

The authorities related that Rehbein and his wife were out dancing Monday night and after returning home at a late hour a quarrel began. While seated at the kitchen table, Rehbein struck his wife in the face and forehead with a beer bottle, shattering the bottle and cutting Mrs. Rehbein badly.

In the argument which followed, she made her escape from the home with several beer bottles being thrown at her and two small boards being broken over her. She had lost her slippers and a cloak she had taken from a closet and was in her nightgown and barefooted when she entered the home of a nearby neighbor. An attempt was made without success to stop the flow of blood from her wounds and she was taken to the Whitefish hospital for treatment.

On entering the home of the

neighbor, George Ivanoff, she asked that they lock the doors as her husband was trying to find his gun. Another neighbor, Cecil McElwain, heard the screaming and after dressing, went to the back door of the Rehbein home and saw the man dead on the kitchen floor. He called the coroner's and sheriff's offices.

Mrs. Rehbein did not know of her husband's death and on arrival in Whitefish swore out a warrant for his arrest. Officers investigating with the warrant found members of the sheriff's force and the coroner at the Rehbein home when they arrived there.

The Rehbein family came to Half Moon a short time ago and had fer-

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merly lived at Brainerd, Wash. Mr. Rehbein was from Lambert, Mont.

The body is at the Waggener and Campbell funeral home and service arrangements are to be announced later.

ALBERT G. REHBEIN

The body of Albert George Rehbein will be forwarded this afternoon by the Waggener & Campbell Funeral home to Lambert, Mont., where services and interment will take place the first part of next week. Mr. Rehbein's father, Albert Rehbein, Sr., will accompany the body home.

INFANT REINHARD

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Reinhard, 326 Second avenue east, passed away at a local hospital late Sunday evening.

Mr. Reinhard is a roofing contractor who came here from Missoula last May. The little girl is survived by her parents and two brothers, Joseph C., age 2 and Gary D., age, one. The body is at the Johnson funeral home where private funeral services will be conducted Tuesday morning with Rev. Father Touhey officiating. Interment will be in the Demersville cemetery.

INFANT PENNY REINHARD

Graveside rites were conducted Tuesday morning in Demersville cemetery for little Penny Reinhard, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Reinhard, who passed away Sunday evening at a local hospital. The Rt. Rev. Msgr. F. X. O'Farrell conducted the rites. The Johnson funeral home had charge of the arrangements.

WILLIAM F. RICE

William Fred Rice, age 60, passed away at a local hospital in Whitefish Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Rice came to Whitefish two years ago and was employed by the Coast-to-Coast store there. Surviving him are his wife, Helga, and three sons, Spencer of Kellogg, Idaho, Clarence of Moorhead, Minn., and Leon of Whitefish. Funeral services are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Catron chapel.

WILLIAM F. RICE

Funeral services for William Fred Rice have been set for Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Catron chapel in Whitefish with the Rev. J. A. Wilmer of the Whitefish Presbyterian church officiating. Interment will follow in the Whitefish cemetery.

JOHN RIFFO, FORMER KALISPELL RESIDENT DIES AT PORTLAND, O.

John H. Riffo, 26, passed away Nov. 16 in an Oregon hospital after and illness of several months. It has been learned here. He was discharged from the army following an operation in 1945. His ailment returned a year later and he received treatment in veterans' hospitals in Georgia and Portland, Ore.

Mr. Riffo was born in Kalispell, attended school here and was a member of the national guard. Members of his family who survive him are his mother, Mrs. Lillian Simmonds, Los Angeles; a brother, Marion Riffo, and a sister, Mrs. R. A. Morrill, both of Los Angeles; a sister, Mrs. H. C. Herbert, Fort Benton, Mont., and a brother, Raymond Riffo of Kalispell.

Graveside services for Charles M. Riley will be conducted at Democratville cemetery Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock with Father Tausy officiating. The body is at the Waggoner and Campbell funeral home.

MISS JENNIE B. RITCHIE

Miss Jennie Blair Ritchie passed away Monday, Sept. 15, at Corvallis, Oregon. Miss Ritchie was 70 years of age and had lived in Corvallis for 24 years. She was a former resident of Kalispell and taught school here many years in the West Side school. The body was brought to the Waggoner and Campbell chapel at Kalispell Wednesday following services in Corvallis. Graveside services will be held Thursday afternoon in the Conrad Memorial cemetery, leaving the Waggoner and Campbell chapel at 3:30 p. m. An only sister, Miss Elizabeth Ritchie, former librarian at Kalispell, accompanied the body here for interment.

JENNIE B. RITCHIE

Last rites for Jennie Blair Ritchie were held Thursday afternoon at the graveside in the family plot in Conrad Memorial cemetery. Rev. Russell J. Prentiss conducted the services and those who served as pall bearers were Charles W. Kelley, Hubert E. Crosby, T. W. Elliot, Dean King, R. C. Redeker, and Harry H. Campbell. Interment followed under the direction of the Waggoner and Campbell funeral home.

Miss Jennie B. Ritchie passed away on September 15, 1947 at Corvallis, Oregon at the age of 70 years. Her body was accompanied here by her sister, Miss Elizabeth Ritchie, arriving on Wednesday.

INFANT HAROLD ROATCH

Harold Earl Roatch, Jr., 18-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Roatch, passed away at a local hospital Friday afternoon after a brief illness.

He was born in Kalispell on December 17, 1945 and had made his home on the Holt Stage route east of town. Surviving him besides his parents, are three sisters, Patricia, Veletha, and Lucille; also his grandmother, Mrs. Pete Hanson, and grandfather, John Roach.

Private funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at the Waggoner and Campbell chapel with Rev. R. F. Vick of the Epworth Methodist church officiating. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

JAMES S. ROBERTS

James S. Roberts passed away in a Whitefish hospital Sunday at the age of 36 years. Mr. Roberts had lived in Euroka since 1915 and is survived by two sons, James and Elmer Roberts; two daughters, Mrs. Cory Atchuel and Mrs. Lockie Stangle; 25 grandchildren; 44 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren. The body is at the Catron chapel and will be taken to Euroka today where services and interment will take place Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

VIOLA L. ROBERTS

Word was received here this morning of the death of Viola L. Roberts, who passed away at Glasgow, Montana Tuesday morning. Mrs. Roberts was 61 years of age and had made her home in Glasgow for the past 34 years. Since 1907 the Roberts' have been spending the summer months at their place at Woods Bay on Flathead lake. Funeral services will be held at Glasgow after which the body will be brought to Kalispell, arriving here Friday afternoon. The body will lie in state at the Waggener and Campbell chapel Friday afternoon and Saturday until 2 o'clock, at which time the procession will leave for Conrad Memorial cemetery where committal services will be held with the Rev. F. A. Johnson of the First Baptist church officiating. Mrs. Roberts' husband C. H. Roberts, and two sisters and a brother will accompany the body to Kalispell.

VIOLA L. ROBERTS

A brief funeral services was held for Mrs. Viola L. Roberts Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel with Rev. F. A. Johnson of the First Baptist church officiating. Interment followed in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Friends who served as pall bearers were William Culbert, Jack Azan, Olie Brammer, Claud C. Fensler, Sam Orvis and Dick Richardson.

On August 21, regular funeral services were held in Glasgow, Montana at the Baptist church after which the body was forwarded to Kalispell for interment.

DEATH OF 'RABBIT' ROBERTSON STUNS COMMUNITY

The community was shocked Tuesday evening by the sudden death of C. A. (Rabbit) Robertson, 63, well known, long-time resident of this city, which occurred at the wrestling matches in the opera house where he acted as announcer and timekeeper. Death was attributed to heart failure.

Mr. Robertson appeared at the matches Tuesday evening in his usual mood and took his official place. During the main event he was suddenly stricken and was carried to the dressing room. Shortly after, one of the wrestlers returned to the ring and informed the stunned crowd what had happened.

He was a member of the local Elks lodge where he held the office of Uler for many years and was also a member of the Eagles lodge. He was immediate past president of the Western Montana Press association, and well known throughout the state by newspapermen and sportsmen.

Mr. Robertson was born in Darlington, Wisconsin June 24, 1884 and had been a resident of the community for more than 40 years, 20 of which had been spent in the Kalispell Times associated with Lou Knight and the late George Cade.

He is survived by his wife, Minnie; two sons, Vose and Robert of Kalispell, and two daughters, Mrs. Tracy Panick and Mrs. George Stearns of Somers, and three grandchildren.

He is also survived by one brother, Henry, of Long Prairie, Minn., and three sisters, Mrs. Lucy Bailey of Park Rapids, Minn.; Mrs. H. H. Casselman of Fargo, North Dakota, and Mrs. Robert Hall in California.

The body is at the Johnson funeral home and time and place of the services will be announced.

Perhaps no one in the Flathead was better or more favorably known than "Rabbit" Robertson. He had

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DEATH OF 'RABBIT' ROBERTSON STUNS COMMUNITY

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been a familiar figure at all athletic contests since his residence here. Since the fall of 1920 he served as timekeeper at all football games and in the earlier days of the city played on outstanding Kalispell baseball teams. He had been a member of the city band for many years and was a loyal booster for the band.

CLYDE A. ROBERTSON

Funeral services for Clyde A. (Rabbit) Robertson, age 63, who passed away suddenly Tuesday evening, will be held in the Elks temple lodge room Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Kalispell Lodge No. 725, B. P. O. Elks, will have full charge of the service. Interment will be made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. The body will lie in state at the Johnson funeral home until 11:00 a. m. Friday. The casket will not be opened at the Elks temple.

CARLENE ROBERTSON

Carlene Robertson, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robertson, passed away in Whitefish this morning. She had made her home at 324 Kalispell avenue, Whitefish. Funeral arrangements are incomplete and will be announced later by the Catron funeral home.

FRED B. ROGERS

Requiem high mass will be celebrated for Fred B. Rogers Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in St. Matthew's church. Interment will follow in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Rosary will be recited Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel.

FRED B. ROGERS

Requiem high mass was celebrated for Fred Bartholomew Rogers Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the St. Matthew's church with Monsignor P. X. O'Farrell as celebrant. Friends who served as casket bearers were William Koenig, Clive Johnston, Jake Johnson, James Duffy, C. E. Lancaster and Frank McHoppell. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Rosary was recited Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel.

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ULYSSES G. ROGERS
Ulysses Grant Rogers passed away at a local hospital Saturday evening at the age of 76 years. Mr. Rogers came to the Flathead in 1932 and had made his home at Route 2B, Kallispell.
Surviving him are his wife, Bertha; two daughters, Mrs. Olav Erickson of Kallispell and Mrs. A. J. Arneson of Shelby; and two sons, James A. Rogers of Cody, Wyoming and Richard E. Rogers of Kallispell. Funeral services have been set for Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Wagner and Campbell chapel with interment following in the Spring Creek cemetery.

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AUGUST ROLE
August Role passed away Saturday at his home at Half Moon where he had lived for the past 24 years. Mr. Role was 78 years of age and had been employed by the Stolze Lumber company there. He is survived by his wife, three sons and three daughters. Funeral services will be held in Kallispell Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 at the Wagnener and Campbell chapel followed by interment in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. Rev. Frank B. Hillis will conduct the services.

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INFANT CAROL RONGSTAD
Carol Ann Rongstad, one month old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace A. Rongstad, passed away Sunday evening at a local hospital. Besides her parents the baby is survived by grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Koeh and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Rongstad, all of Kallispell. Private funeral services will be held with the Rev. R. F. Vick of the Epworth Methodist church officiating and interment being made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery. The family requests that no flowers be sent.

Root Christina D 27 Jan 1947 pg 4

MRS. CHRISTINA D. ROOT
Mrs. Christina D. Root, age 39, residing at 237 Sixth avenue west, passed away Saturday evening.
Mrs. Root was born in Scotland and came to the United States early in life. She was married to George L. Root and they resided at Great Falls and Kallispell all of their married life. She leaves, besides her husband, three sons: George, Jr., James, and Norman; and one daughter, Mrs. Ruth G. Mercer of Bellingham, Wash. Six brothers also survive here: Wm. Beattie of Riverside, Calif.; George, Pasadena, Calif.; James, San Bernardino and Alex B., Disney and Albert, all of Great Falls. There are three sisters. The body is at the Johnson funeral home where services will be held at a time to be announced later.

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MRS. GEORGE L. ROOT
Funeral services for Mrs. George L. Root, age 39, who passed away Saturday evening, will be held in the Johnson chapel Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with S. I. Rapson of the Christian Science church conducting the services. Interment will be conducted in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Rosenberg Ida May

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IDA MAY ROSENBERG

Ida May Rosenberg passed away in a Whitefish hospital this morning at the age of 61 years. Mrs. Rosenberg had been a resident of the Whitefish area for the past 20 years and is survived by a niece, Charlotte Roblyer, of Kalamazoo, Mich. Her husband, Martin, preceded her in death two years ago.

Funeral arrangements are pending and will be announced later by the Catron chapel in Whitefish.

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IDA M. ROSENBERG

Funeral services for Ida May Rosenberg will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Catron chapel in Whitefish with the Rev. John F. Meskan of the Whitefish Methodist church officiating. Interment will follow in the Whitefish cemetery.

Ross Alice

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ALICE ROSS

Alice Ross passed away at her home in Apgar this morning at the age of 58 years. She had lived in the Flathead for 22 years and is survived by two sons, G. E. Ross of Apgar, and J. Ted Ross of Kaitsepell; two daughters, Cora Plummer of Johnstown, Neb., and Ruth Dedrick of Cody, Wyoming. Funeral arrangements are as yet incomplete and will be announced later by the Waggener and Campbell funeral home.

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MRS. ALICE ROSS

Funeral services for Mrs. Alice Ross of Belton will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel by Rev. Paul Jones of the Assembly of God. Interment will follow in the Demersville cemetery.

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Alice Ross

Funeral services for Alice Ross were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waggener and Campbell chapel with Rev. Paul Jones

of the Calvary Tabernacle officiating. Beautiful music for the services was furnished by Mrs. Paul Jones. Those chosen to serve as pall bearers were Lee Bennett, N. D. Admerson, L. A. Storm, J. P. Peterson, Carl Boline and Harry Holland. Interment was made in the Conrad Memorial cemetery.

Royland David G

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INFANT DAVID ROYLAND

David G. Royland, six-weeks-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gust A. Royland, passed away late Wednesday afternoon in Whitefish. The Royland family make their home on RFD 1, Columbia Falls. Graveside services will be conducted for the baby at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Whitefish cemetery with the Catron funeral home in charge.

Rude Jennie

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MRS. JENNIE RUDE

Mrs. Jennie Rude, age 86, old-time resident, passed away at her home in Big Arm Saturday. Mrs. Rude and her husband came to Big Arm in 1910. Her husband, J. O. Rude, passed away in 1921.

She is survived by six children: Mildred A. of Helena, Mont.; Henry M. of Wallace, Idaho; James, Mabel, and Alice Rude, and Mrs. Pauline Ross, all of Big Arm.

Funeral services will be held in the Retz chapel at Polson Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the Rev. K. D. Kuhn conducting the service. Interment will be beside her husband in the Polson cemetery.