

Young Libby Man Dies In Auto Crash

LIBBY — The Kootenai National Forest's Pipe Creek road north of Libby has claimed its sixth victim in 32 months.

Donathan Abrahamson, 20, Libby, was killed in a single vehicle accident discovered at 6:45 a.m. Monday by two St. Regis Co. employees driving to work. Eight miles out of Libby, they spotted the crash and radioed back for ambulance and officers.

Injured was Richard L. Peterson, 22, Libby, reported in good condition today at St. John's Hospital. Montana Highway patrolmen and Lincoln County Coroner Hal Gompf are continuing investigation.

The demolished vehicle was registered to Peterson but Abrahamson was believed to have been the driver at the time of the accident according to authorities. They feel the accident occurred only a short time before it was discovered.

The car went out of control after it rounded a curve and then traveled through a seven foot deep ditch. The vehicle finally went over a bank crashing into timber, snapping off one tree and landing against others about nine feet off the ground.

Abrahamson's death was attributed to multiple head injuries. He was pronounced dead at the scene. Abrahamson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Abrahamson, is the third traffic victim of this year in Lincoln County.

ADAMS, Jim, 66, passed away Tuesday in Kalispell. Services Saturday 2 p.m. Waggener & Campbell Chapel. Interment Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Adams Rites Saturday

Funeral services for Robert James (Jim) Adams, 66, who died Tuesday in Kalispell, will be Saturday at 2 p.m. in the Waggener & Campbell Chapel with the Rev. J. Torrance Harvey, officiating. Interment will be in Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Adams Rites Are Conducted

Funeral services for Jim Adams were conducted Saturday afternoon from the Waggener & Campbell Chapel with J. Torrance Harvey, Lakeside Chapel, officiating.

Interment was in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery with Dan Lundgren, George Bruyer, Francis VanRinsum, Frank Redpath, Vern Asbridge and Roy Hansen acting as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers were: Sam Parker, Gordon Greer, Art Kirk, Everett Sliter, Everett Hartman Sr., and Alan Milne.

Mr. Adams died last Tuesday in Kalispell.

AGNEW, Donald W., 47, passed away Saturday in Anchorage, Alaska. Survived by parents, one son, one daughter, one sister, three brothers. Services Friday 2 p.m. Catron Chapel.

Allers Myrtle A 23 Aug 1968 pg 2

ALLERS, Myrtle A., 61, passed away Thursday morning. A resident of Kallispell. Requiem mass Tuesday 10 a.m. at St. Matthew's Catholic Church. Rosary Monday 8 p.m. at the Waggener & Campbell Chapel. Interment in Glacier Memorial Gardens.

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Allers Funeral Rites Scheduled

Requiem Mass for Myrtle A. Allers will be celebrated from the St. Matthew's Catholic Church Tuesday at 10 a.m. with Rev. Michael Gilmore acting as celebrant. Rosary will be said Monday at 8 p.m. from the Waggener & Campbell Chapel.

Interment will be made in the Glacier Memorial Gardens. Mrs. Allers passed away Thursday at the age of 61.

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Allers Requiem Mass Celebrated

Requiem mass for Myrtle A. Allers was celebrated from the St. Matthew's Catholic Church Tuesday with Rev. William Dornbos as celebrant. Rosary was recited in the Waggener & Campbell Chapel Monday evening, with Rev. Michael Gilmore reciting the Rosary. Pallbearers were: Gordon Becker, George Becker, Otto Wasmal, Kenneth Tigges, George Friedrich and Joe Clark. Mrs. Allers died in Kallispell Thursday at the age of 61.

Andersen James 24 Apr 1968 pg 2

ANDERSEN, James C., 71, 1710 Eighth Ave. E. Passed away Monday. Funeral services 10 a.m. Friday in Johnson Chapel. Interment in Conrad Memorial Cemetery with military graveside rites.

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James Andersen Rites Friday

Funeral services for James Christian Andersen will be conducted in the Johnson Chapel at 10 a.m. Friday with the Rev. Charles Nowlen, pastor of the Epworth Methodist Church, officiating.

Interment will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery with military graveside rites being conducted by the veterans of World War I. Mr. Andersen, 1710 Eighth Ave. E., died Monday evening.

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J. C. Anderson Rites Conducted

Funeral services for James Christian Anderson were conducted in the Johnson Chapel Friday with the Rev. Charles Nowlen, pastor of the Epworth Methodist Church, officiating. Interment was in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery with military graveside rites by veterans of World War I.

Serving as pallbearers were Larry Weed, Dave Cannavina, George Cooper, Don Barnum, Robert McGlocklin and R. F. Adams.

Anderson Arthur A 20 Oct 1968 pg 10

ANDERSON, Arthur A., 72, former resident Bigfork, died in Weiser, Idaho, Thursday. Services Monday, 2 p.m., in the Waggener & Campbell Chapel. Interment in Fairview Cemetery with military rites.

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Anderson Rites Monday At 2

Funeral services for Arthur A. Anderson, 72, former Bigfork resident, will be conducted Monday at 2 p.m. in the Waggener & Campbell Chapel. Interment will be in Fairview Cemetery with graveside military rites.

Mr. Anderson died Thursday in Weiser, Idaho.

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Anderson Rites Are Conducted

Funeral services for Arthur A. Anderson were conducted Monday in the Waggener & Campbell Chapel with Rev. Chauncey Biffle of the Community Methodist Church in Bigfork officiating.

Interment followed in the Fairview Cemetery with military graveside rites. Pallbearers were: Garry Corrigan, Don Anderson, Mike Corrigan, Bob Fl-sass, Johnny Stahlberg and Danny Anderson.

Mr. Anderson died in Weiser, Idaho, Thursday at the age of 72.

Anderson Bernice Evelyn 14 Aug 1968 pg 2

ANDERSON, Bernice Evelyn, 53, wife of Lester M. Anderson, and a resident of Rt. 1A, Columbia Falls, passed away Tuesday. Survived by husband, four daughters, two sons, a nephew and eight grandchildren. Services pending.

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Mrs. Anderson Rites Saturday

COLUMBIA FALLS — Funeral services for Bernice Evelyn Anderson will be conducted Saturday at 2 p.m. from the Van Leuven Chapel in Columbia Falls with Elder Joseph W. Minthorn assisted by Elder Robert A. Anderson of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

Interment will follow in Woodlawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Anderson, 53, wife of Lester M. Anderson of Rt. 1A, Columbia Falls, died in Whitefish Tuesday evening.

21 Aug 1968 pg 2

Anderson Rites

COLUMBIA FALLS — Funeral services for Mrs. Bernice Evelyn Anderson were conducted Saturday from the Van Leuven Funeral Home in Columbia Falls with Elder Joseph W. Minthorn assisted by Elder Robert A. Anderson of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, officiating.

Interment followed in the Woodlawn Cemetery with Lawrence Stapley, Gene Levitt, Dewey Levitt, Andrew Goodsell, Walter Christman and Howard Piper acting as pallbearers.

Anderson Charles

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ANDERSON, Charles, 83, Everett, Wash., passed away Wednesday. Survived by wife, Madeline; two daughters; two sisters; grandchildren. Graveside rites 11 a.m. Saturday in Conrad Memorial Cemetery. Friends meet at chapel before going to cemetery.

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Anderson Graveside Rites Conducted

Graveside rites for Charles Anderson were conducted in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery on Saturday morning with the Rev. Dr. Odin Baugh, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating.

Arrangements were under the direction of the Johnson Funeral Home. Mr. Anderson passed away in Everett, Wash., Wednesday.

Anderson Danny

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Boy Killed In Ranch Accident

CHARLO — No inquest is planned by Lake County Coroner Bill Phillips into the death Monday of eight-year-old Danny Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Anderson, Missoula.

The boy was crushed when struck by a log on the August Hertz ranch, six miles southwest of Charlo about 12:15 p.m. Phillips determined Danny was riding the middle of a 12-foot-long tree being dragged by a tractor operated by a 13-year-old boy.

The tractor was apparently shifted into a higher gear. Roots on the log dug into the ground causing the back end to rise and swing. Danny was "bucked" off the log which fell across him killing him instantly.

Phillips did not identify the boy driving the tractor because of his age. Hertz was young Anderson's grandfather.

Anderson David A

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Killed In War

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two Montana servicemen killed in action in the Vietnam war were identified Monday in a Defense Department casualty list.

They were Army Sgt. L.C. Dale F. Rollins, husband of Elsie R. Rollins, St. Ignatius, and Army Spec. 4 David A. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. David O. Anderson, Anaconda.

Ansberry Roland

12 May 1968 pg 14

ANSBERRY, Roland, 76, 20 Fourth Ave. E. Passed away Saturday. Survived by one daughter. Body forwarded to Spokane for cremation.

Armstrong Thomas

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ARMSTRONG, Thomas, 73, 823 Kalispell Ave., Whitefish, passed away Sunday. Survived by wife, Margaret; one son; one daughter; one sister; three granddaughters. Funeral arrangements pending.

24 Dec 1968 pg 2

Armstrong Rites Thursday At 2

WHITEFISH — Funeral services for Thomas Armstrong will be conducted in the Austin Chapel at 2 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. Robert Laird, pastor of the First United Presbyterian Church, officiating.

Interment will be in the Glacier Memorial Gardens. Mr. Armstrong, 823 Kalispell Ave., Whitefish, died Sunday afternoon. The family suggests friends who wish may contribute memorials to the Whitefish Library.

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Armstrong Rites Are Conducted

WHITEFISH — Funeral services for Mr. Thomas Armstrong were conducted in the Austin Chapel Thursday with the Rev. Robert Laird, pastor of the United Presbyterian Church, officiating.

Interment was in Glacier Memorial Gardens with Grover Dooley, Fred Huggins, Bob Wesley, John Santana and Jim Bjornstad serving as pallbearers. Serving as honorary pallbearers were John Buhmiller, Roger Gowdey, John Huggins, Charles Nelson, Deane Sherman, Emil Boerner and Lee Hedrick.

Aronson Rose

26 Feb 1968 pg 2

ARONSON, Rose, 63, Bigfork. Passed away Sunday. Survived by husband, J. Hugo Aronson; one daughter; two brothers; one granddaughter; nieces and nephews. Funeral services 1:30 p.m. Thursday in Bethany Lutheran Church. Interment in Davenport, Wash., Friday afternoon.

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Mrs. Aronson Rites Thursday

Funeral services for Mrs. Rose Aronson will be conducted in the Bethany Lutheran Church of Bigfork at 1:30 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. Russell Hillman officiating.

Following the services the body will be forwarded by the Johnson Funeral Home to the Strate Funeral Home of Davenport, Wash., where services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday. Interment will be made in the Pleasant View Cemetery there.

Mrs. Aronson, wife of former Montana governor J. Hugo Aronson, died at her home in Bigfork Sunday morning. The family prefers memorials be made to the Bethany Lutheran Church or to the American Cancer Society.

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Rose Aronson Rites Conducted

Funeral services for Mrs. Rose Aronson were conducted in the Bethany Lutheran Church of Bigfork Thursday with the Rev. Russell A. Hillman officiating.

Serving as pallbearers were Robert Michen, Robert Oliver, John Nelson, Chadwick Smith, Wesley Castles and Alex Stevenson.

Members of the Montana Highway Patrol serving as honor guard were Capt. Ray Olsen, Capt. Peter Gansch, Capt. Charles Kerr, Sgt. A.C. Rierson, Sgt. James Parsling and patrolmen Don Roksten, Tom Sanford, Ben Wagner, Charles Whitson, Dana Kraut, Paul Deyerle and Mike Davis.

Following the services the body was forwarded by the Johnson Funeral Home to the Strate Funeral Home in Davenport, Wash., where services were conducted Friday morning. Interment was in the Pleasant View Cemetery at Mondovi, Wash.

Atchison Richard

22 Jan 1968 pg 2

ATCHISON, Richard, 86, Samson Block, Whitefish, passed away Sunday. Survived by daughter, Alice Taylor, Whitefish; two granddaughters. In state at chapel Monday evening. Funeral services and interment in Glasgow 2 p.m. Thursday.

Aune Andrew

12 Nov 1968 pg 2

AUNE, Andrew, 84, Whitefish, passed away Monday. Body forwarded to Bell Funeral Home, Malta, for services and interment.

Averill Dolores M 25 Aug 1968 pg 10

AVERRILL, Dolores M., 50, died Friday in Kalispell. A long-time resident of the Flathead. Requiem Mass Monday 10 a.m. at the St. Catherine's Catholic Church in Bigfork. Rosary Sunday 8 p.m. at St. Catherine's Church. Interment in Conrad Cemetery.

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Averill Requiem Mass Celebrated

Requiem mass for Dolores M. Averill was conducted in the St. Catherine's Catholic Church in Bigfork Monday with Rev. D. A. Okora as celebrant. Rosary was recited in the St. Catherine's Catholic Church Sunday. Pallbearers were: Fred Fellows, Ken Neils, Bill Ward, Jim Dockstader, Clifford Averill and Stanley Averill. Interment followed in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

Ayotte Anna Marie 21 Mar 1968 pg 12

AYOTTE, Anna Marie, 94, passed away Kalispell Wednesday. Resided in Whitefish and Kalispell for a number of years. Services Saturday 2 p.m. Catron Chapel. Interment Whitefish Cemetery.

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Funeral Rites Saturday At 2 For Mrs. Ayotte

Funeral services for Anna Marie Ayotte will be conducted from the Catron Chapel Saturday at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Dennis Hanson of the Christ Lutheran Church officiating.

Interment will follow in the Whitefish Cemetery. Mrs. Ayotte, 94, died in Kalispell Wednesday.

The body will lie in state at the Waggener & Campbell Chapel until Saturday noon and then forwarded to the Catron Chapel for funeral services.