

## Gerhard Aarestad, 88

16 July 1981

Retired Pastor Gerhard Aarestad, 88, died at his home at 887 Swan Highway, Bigfork, Thursday.

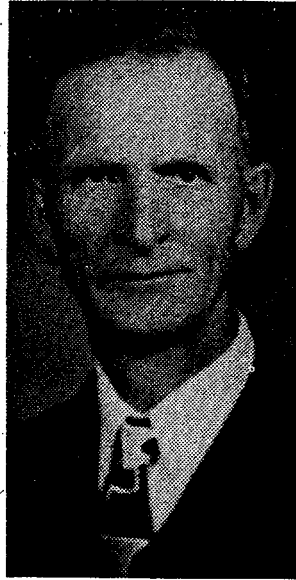
He was born June 11, 1893, in Stavanger, Norway, a son of Halvor and Anne Husveg Aarestad. In 1912, he came to America and made his home at Sacred Heart, Minn. He attended Red Wing Academy and graduated from Concordia College of Moorhead, Minn. In 1925, he graduated from the Luther Seminary in St. Paul, Minn.

He then came to Montana where he served his first parish, serving the congregations of Whitefish, Somers and Bigfork from 1925 to 1931.

In 1926, he was married to Gustava Lee, and they made their home in Whitefish. They then served the congregation in Deering, N.D. from 1931 to 1941, and in Watrous, Saskatchewan, from 1942 to 1948.

They then retired to their farm at Bigfork where they have resided since then.

Pastor Aarestad attended Bethlehem Lutheran Church of Kalispell and



**GERHARD  
AARESTAD**

was a member of the C-400 Club of Concordia College, Moorhead, Minn.

He was preceded in death by a son, Donald; five brothers and one sister; and is now survived by his wife, Gustava, at the family home; one son, Dr. Norman Aarestad of Denver, Colo.; two daughters, Lillian Milholland of Federal Way, Wash., and Darlene Babcock of Pendleton, Ore.; 10 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; one sister, Anna Odland, in Norway; one brother, Dr. F.H. Aarestad, in Pennsylvania, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Services for Pastor Aarestad will be at 2 p.m. Monday in the Bethlehem Lutheran Church with the Rev. Howard Mars officiating. Burial will be in the Bethany Lutheran Cemetery near Bigfork under the direction of the Johnson Funeral Home. The family suggests memorials be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

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# Theodore J. "Ted" Ackerman, 78

20 Aug 1981

LIBBY — Theodore J. "Ted" Ackerman, 78, died Thursday morning in a Libby hospital.

He was born May 6, 1903 in Bloom, Minn., to John and Mary Ackerman. He was raised in Cle Elum, Wash., and attended school there.

He enlisted in the U.S. Army in 1942 and fought in the Normandy invasion and four other major campaigns in Europe during World War II.

He married Mabel Dorrington in 1945 at Cle Elum and came to Libby in 1945 where he worked for the J. Neils Lumber Co. until retiring several years ago.

He was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, the Knights of Columbus, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the American Legion, the Kooties and the Eagles.

Survivors include his

wife, Libby; two daughters, Shirley Nichols of Anaconda and Dorothy Post of Springfield, Va.; three sisters, Ann Watson of Tacoma, Wash., Lucille Hibbler and Pauline Corliss, both of Cle Elum; a brother, William Ackerman of Spokane; 14 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Loretta.

Christian wake services

will be 7 p.m. Sunday in the Vial Funeral Home in Libby. Mass of the Resurrection will be 10 a.m. Monday in St. Joseph Catholic Church with the Rev. James Thomas officiating. Burial with military honors will follow in the Libby Cemetery.

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3 Sept 1981

# Carroll Paul Adams, 67

Carroll Paul Adams, 67, a retired U.S. Air Force master sergeant, died Thursday at Kalispell Regional Hospital. He had resided at 1445 Mountain Meadow Road in Kalispell.

Mr. Adams was born Feb. 28, 1914, near Stroh, Ind., the son of Charlmer and Lena Mason Adams. He attended public schools in the Stroh area and graduated from high school in LaGrange, Ind.

During the Depression, he worked for the Civilian Conservation Corps for several years. Before enlisting in the Air Force, he worked for a few years in Detroit as an aircraft welder.

During more than 23 years in the military, Adams was stationed

throughout the South Pacific, and served tours in the Philippines, Burma and South Korea. In World War II he saw action in the Burma Campaign; he also saw action during the Korean conflict. Most of his Air Force career was spent in the Strategic Air Command.

He married Philis Long on March 1, 1942, in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

After his retirement in 1964, Adams worked for the Job Corps camp at Trapper Creek for five years. He then worked for the Polson school system for several years before moving to Kalispell in 1974. He had been building a log cabin at the family home 13 miles northwest

of Kalispell for the past few years. In addition, he was an amateur artist.

Surviving besides his wife at the family home are one daughter, Mrs. David (Alaina) Board of Kalispell; two sons, John Paul of Columbia Falls and David of North Dakota; a brother, Robert of Emmitt, Mich.; a sister, Kathryn Leonard of Ft. Myers, Fla.; and seven grandchildren.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at Epworth Methodist Church in Kalispell with the Rev. Herbert Cies officiating. Burial in Conrad Memorial Cemetery will be Tuesday at noon. Visitation is at Weatherford Funeral Home today from noon to 6 p.m.

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# Alex Adams, 84

10 Aug 1981

Alex Adams, 84, Bigfork, died on Aug. 10, in Larrisa, Greece, while visiting relatives. Funeral services and burial were in Farsala, Greece.

He was born March 9, 1897, in Farsala, Greece. At the age of nine, he came to America with his father. They lived in the Midwest for a time before moving to Montana.

On Feb. 10, 1928, he married Tilda Jacobson in Choteau. The couple worked as restaurant operators, traveling throughout Oregon, Washington and Montana.

In 1951, they moved to Bigfork.

He was a member of the Bigfork Masonic Lodge.

Adams was preceded in death by his wife on Nov. 26, 1980. Survivors include a sister in Greece and several nieces and nephews.

Memorial services will be Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the Bethany Lutheran Home of Bigfork with The Rev. Russell Hillman officiating. Memorials to the Bethany Lutheran Church have been suggested by the family.

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8 May 1981

## Edward W. Adams, 76

Edward W. Adams, formerly of Kalispell, died Friday in Leavenworth, Wash.

He was born Feb. 19, 1905, in Buffalo Center, Iowa, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Adams. He received his education in Iowa and on May 16, 1928, and married Laura L. Hansen in Rock Rapids, Iowa. In 1936 the couple moved to Montana and in 1937 moved to the Flathead Valley. They lived here until 1949,

when they moved to Leavenworth, where Adams was an insurance broker.

He is survived by his wife in Leavenworth; three sons, Hugh of Kalispell, Paul of Columbia Falls and Erwin of North Bend, Wash.; three daughters, Shirley Hamond of Columbia Falls, Barbara Hicks of Spokane and Patricia Acoba of Leavenworth; three brothers, Al and Erling of Rochester, Minn., and

Harry of Thompson, Iowa; one sister, Emma DeBoer of Titonka, Iowa; 21 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Graveside services for Adams will be conducted at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in Glacier Memorial Gardens under the direction of the Johnson Funeral Home. Friends and relatives will meet at the cemetery for the services.

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24 May 1981

Lloyd Lee Adams, 56, 224 Bannack, Somers, died Sunday in Lakeside after a heart attack.

## Lloyd Lee Adams, 56

He was born Feb. 28, 1925, in Washington, Utah, to John and Katie Adams. He was married in 1944 to Melba Sullivan and they raised their family in St. George, Utah. During World War II, he entered the U.S. Navy and from 1944-1946 served in the Pacific and Mediterranean theaters of operation.

After the service, he ranched and was in the restaurant business in Utah. He followed the same vocations after moving to Potomac in 1969. He later moved to Thompson Falls, where he continued in ranching and in the restaurant business. Upon retiring in 1979, he and his

wife moved to Lakeside where he entered into the real estate business.

Mr. Adams was an elder of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Lakeside Branch.

Survivors include his wife at the family home; two sons, William of Denver and Robert of Bozeman; a daughter, Linda Tobol of Helena; and eight grandchildren. He is also survived by his mother, Katie Jones; four brothers and two sisters, all of Utah. He was pre-

ceded in death by his father in 1951.

Services will be this evening at 7:30 at the Weatherford Funeral Home in Kalispell officiated by Earl Johnson, branch president of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Further services will be in Washington, Utah, at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, with interment afterward in the Washington City Cemetery.

The family suggests that memorials be made to the Alert Emergency Service at Lakeside.

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## Carol Ann Albert, 25

*17 Nov 1981*  
Carol Ann Albert, 25, a resident of the North Fork area, Columbia Falls, died Tuesday afternoon in an automobile accident.

She was born Feb. 16, 1956, in Great Falls, a daughter of Lyle and Louella Kuki. She attended school in Great Falls and Kalispell. For the past eight years she had lived in Columbia Falls.

She married Dean Albert on June 6, 1981, in Kalispell.

She is survived by her husband, at the family home; three children, Jason, Sunny and Nicoulus, all of Columbia Falls; her mother, Louella Greigor of Great Falls; two sisters, Diane Hollingworth and Linda Custer, both of Great Falls; a brother, Lyle Hastings of Great Falls; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kuki of Great Falls; and one uncle, Willard Kuki of Great Falls.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Friday in the Van Leuven Funeral Home with the Rev. Darold Reiner of the Trinity Lutheran Church of Kalispell officiating. Interment will be in Great Falls on Saturday morning.

Local arrangements are under the direction of the Van Leuven Funeral Home of Columbia Falls.

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## Patrick Albert, 29

*26 Jan 1981*  
TROY — Patrick A. Albert, 29, died Monday in a logging accident near Cle Elum, Wash., where he had been working for the past year.

He was born May 10, 1951, at Bonners Ferry, Idaho. He attended schools in Troy and on Sept. 25, 1970, married Valerie Gustafson in Libby. He was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

He is survived by his wife; a son, Scott; a daughter, Michelle; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Albert, all of Troy; a brother, Clifford, in Ecuador; and a sister, Diana Albert, Libby.

Services will be Friday at 2 p.m. at Vial Funeral Home with James Holmes officiating. Burial will follow at the Libby Cemetery.

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## William Henry Alderman, 63

*3 Oct. 1981*

William Henry Alderman, 63, 1451 Marjorie Avenue, Columbia Falls, died Saturday afternoon at home after a lengthy illness.

He was born July 8, 1918, in Puyallup, Wash., the son of Charles and Mary Goodell Alderman. He was married to Rose M. Sigsworth on Feb. 24, 1941, at Cathlamet, Wash.

Mr. Alderman had worked for both Reynolds and Kaiser Aluminum before coming to work for Anaconda Aluminum Company in 1954. He and his wife made their home in Columbia Falls, where

they have since resided. Mr. Alderman retired in 1974 due to ill health.

He is survived by his wife at the family home; one brother, Charles of Marysville, Wash.; and one sister, Betty Mack of Falls City, Ore.

Memorial services will be Tuesday at 11 a.m. at the Weatherford Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Chauncey Biffle of Epworth United Methodist Church in Kalispell officiating.

The family suggests memorials to the Columbia Falls Library or the Columbia Falls Volunteer Ambulance Association.

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## Ann E. Allan

*24 Feb. 1981*

HERMISTON, ORE. — Darlene Bartos, Columbia Falls, and Zelda Vancouver; three sons, Jim, Columbia Falls, Norman, Seattle, and Donald, Germany; three brothers, Phillip Kowceum, Vancouver, Nick Kowceum, San Jose, Calif., and Pete Kowceum, Portland, Ore.; two sisters, Nellie Miller, Vancouver, and Pauline O'Keefe, Vancouver; 15 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

She was born Dec. 12, 1910 in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, and married Roy G. Allan Nov. 26, 1930 in Scobey. The couple moved to Columbia Falls in 1946, where he worked as a carpenter at Anaconda Aluminum Co.

They moved to Pasco, Wash. in 1970, and then to Hermiston in 1976.

She is survived by her husband at the family home in Hermiston; two daughters,

The family requests that no flowers be sent, but memorials can be made to the Oregon Heart Association in Hermiston.

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## Charles 'Bud' Allers, 53

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EUREKA — Graveside rites were held Monday at 11 a.m. to be followed by a memorial Mass at a later date at Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church for Charles T. "Bud" Allers.

He was born June 27, 1928, in Anamoose, N.D., the youngest of twelve children of Ted and Anna Allers. At the age of 14, he moved with his family to the Whitefish area.

He married Eloise John on April 12, 1948, and she survives him at the family home. They lived in the Whitefish area until mov-

ing to the Tobacco Valley in 1970.

Other survivors include eight children, Margaret (Mrs. Robert Juenke) of Columbia Falls, Patricia (Mrs. Larry Armogost) of Billings, Ted of Whitefish, Theresa (Mrs. Earl Blair) of Fortine, Catherine (Mrs. John Davis) of Tioga, N.D., Shawnee (Mrs. Red Stone) of Worcester, Mass., Jack of Eureka, and Beth (Mrs. Harold Duncan) of Williston, N.D.; one brother, Joseph Allers of Hood River, Ore.; five sisters, Mrs. Alice Hutchinson and Mrs. Toni Irwin of Whitefish, Mrs. Kay Brown of Belfair, Wis., Mrs. Sylvia Calkins of Wimbledon, N.D., and Sister M. Ruth of Alliance, Neb. and 19 grandchildren.

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## Ambrose infant

28 Sept 1981

The infant daughter of Craig and Connie Jo Ambrose, 160 Looking East Drive, Somers, died Monday at Kalispell Regional Hospital.

At the request of the family, there will be no public services. Arrangement and cremation are by Weatherford Funeral Home.

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## Earl Howard Ames, 69

12 Feb 1981

Earl Howard Ames, 69, died Feb. 12 in Kalispell Regional Hospital after an extended illness.

He was born in Oblique, Canada, Nov. 2, 1911, the son of Claude and Ella (Porter) Ames. He grew up in Lothair, where he received his education and worked in ranching and farming. He enlisted and served in the Coast Artillery from 1937 to 1939 in the Philippines. He re-enlisted Dec. 13, 1941, and

served in Battery C, 975th Field Artillery during World War II in the European Theatre. He was honorably discharged Aug. 11, 1945.

He married the former Dorothy Helen O'Brien in Chester, Jan. 20, 1943, and is survived by her at the family home in Kalispell.

He was preceded in death by his mother and father, two brothers and two sisters. He is survived by his wife, one son, Rich-

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## Helen Lorraine Allison

30 April 81

Funeral services will be Friday at the Christ Lutheran Church in Whitefish, for Helen Lorraine Allison. Mrs. Allison, 52, died Sunday evening after an auto collision on Highway 40.

Mrs. Allison was born April 20, 1929, in Conrad, Mont., to John and Margaret Opsand. She received some schooling in Conrad before she moved with her family to the Stillwater area where she completed grade school.

She graduated from Flathead County High School in 1948.

She had worked at the Oient Express for several years, and for the past couple of years had been employed at the Abell Agency in Whitefish.

Mrs. Allison was an active member of the Christ Lutheran Church of Whitefish.

She was the superintendent of the Sunday School department, and CLCW.

Mrs. Allison is survived by her husband Jack Allison, who she married in Kalispell Jan. 29, 1949.

Other survivors include a daughter Candy Allison of Fairbault, Minn.; three sons, Rick of Springfield, Ill., Donald of Whitefish and Steve of Bozeman.

Also surviving are three grandchildren, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Opsand of Kalispell; one brother, Ray Opsand of Missoula; and one sister, Esther McChesney of Fort Collins, Colo.

The Rev. Neil Ruedisili will officiate over the funeral services. Burial will be made in the Conrad Cemetery under the direction of the Austin Funeral Home.

ard E. of Spokane; two daughters, Mrs. Ray (Eileen M.) Van Riper of Spokane; and Mrs. Dan (Patricia E.) McFall of Corning, Calif.; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He is also survived by two brothers, Jim of Canby, Ore., and Claude of Beaverton, Ore.; and two sisters, Mrs. Harold (Mina) Thielman of Chester and Phyllis Wakefield of Portland, Ore.

He joined his family in Kalispell after the war and was employed as a cabinet maker and worked in a local sawmill.

Services will be 3 p.m. Saturday in the Weatherford Funeral Home. The body will be forwarded to Spokane for services and burial at a later date.

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## Arnold Amundsen, 68

3 July 1981

Arnold Amundsen, 68, of Polson, died Friday while on a camping trip in Stanley, N.D.

Amundsen was born Oct. 17, 1912, in Stanley, N.D., a son of Andrew and Mildred Amundsen. He received his schooling in Stanley.

He was married to Isabelle Hawes July 3, 1937, in Cashmere, Wash. The couple then returned to Ben Hook, N.D., where they farmed.

In 1948, Amundsen and

his family moved to Whitefish, where he was a carman for the Great Northern Railroad. He later worked for the Home Lumber Co. and the Jensen Building Center and in 1971 moved to Polson to work for the Rolfson Lumber Co. He retired in 1976 and continued to make his home in Polson.

He was a member of the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Polson and the Sons of Norway.

He is survived by his wife at the family home in Polson; two sons, Arlyn of Polson and Donald of Portland, Ore.; one daugh-

ter, Sharon Cislow of Kalispell; five grandchildren; one brother, Manfred of Stanley, N.D.; and one sister, Esther Schjervheim, also of Stanley.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one son.

There will be services in Stanley; the body will then be forwarded to the Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish, where services will be conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Christ Lutheran Church with the Rev. Neil Ruedisili officiating. Burial will be in Glacier Memorial Gardens in Kalispell.

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## George Anderson, 69

21 Aug 1981

George "Andy" Anderson, 69, a former resident of Kalispell, died in Shelton, Wash., on Friday.

He was born March 12, 1912 in Boston, Mass., and raised in Calgary and Banff, Alberta. In 1930, he came to Kalispell.

He married Ella Sunde in 1931.

After being employed at the Electric Maid Bakery for 11 years and several years at the Somers Lumber Co, he opened his own business with the purchase of Rudy's Bakery in Whitefish in 1943. Later, he moved to Seattle and

Shelton, Wash., where he worked several years for the Simpson Lumber Co. until his retirement.

In 1950, he married Mary Helen and is survived by her: three daughters, Mrs. Harold (Dode) Peterson, Kalispell, Carol Dee Cummins, Seattle, Wash., and Merridee Anderson, Shelton, Wash.; a son, Gary Anderson, Kalispell; 8 grandchildren; 6 great grandchildren, and a sister, Mae Warren, Victoria Island, B.C., Canada.

Burial took place in Shelton, Wash., last Monday.

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## John A. Anderson, 80

9 Feb. 1981

WHITEFISH — John A. Anderson, 80, a resident of Whitefish, died Monday at the North Valley Hospital.

He was born Sept. 2, 1900, in Casselton, N.D., a son of John and Ethel Anderson. He received his early schooling in Casselton and later moved with his parents to Spokane where he completed his schooling.

As a young man, he moved to Alberta, Canada, to make his home

and married Clara Oseng in Lethbridge, Alberta, April 21, 1926.

In 1938 he and his wife moved to Kalispell and in 1942 to Whitefish where he was employed with the Great Northern Railroad. He retired from the Great Northern Railroad as a conductor in 1967.

Mr. Anderson had a hobby which gained him popularity in the Flathead: making miniature replicas of early day wagons and other horse-drawn vehicles, and also miniature harnesses, etc. These may be found

on display in various areas of the Flathead.

He is survived by his wife, Clara, at the family home, one daughter, Mrs. Don (Marjorie) Redding, Columbia Falls; two grandchildren, Tracy and Jaclyn Anderson, both of Missoula.

Services will be conducted at the Austin Chapel Thursday at 2 p.m. officiated by the Rev. Ron Paulson of Our Savior Lutheran Church of Columbia Falls. Burial will be made in Glacier Memorial Gardens.

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## Marvin L. Anderson, 71

26 Oct 1981

TACOMA, Wash. — Marvin L. Anderson, 71, died Oct. 26 in Tacoma Hospital. He had been ill with cancer since March.

He was born in Lake Wilson, Minn., on Oct. 26, 1910, and lived in Scobey. He later moved to Renton, Wash., where he resided for many years before moving to Kalispell where he lived for four years.

He is survived by his wife, Mary; two sons, Clifton of Renton and Joe of Puyallup; three grandchildren; three brothers, Millard of Rosburg, Wash., Ardo of Kanawha, Iowa, and Don of Scobey; and two sisters, Toots Handy of Scobey and Elaine Corey of Silverton, Ore.

Services were Thursday in Puyallup at Hall Mortuary. Burial was in Bellevue Cemetery.

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18 Aug 1981

## Ralph F. 'Bill' Anderson, 74

Ralph F. "Bill" Anderson, 74, who had resided at 464 N. Main, died Tuesday evening in Kalispell.

He was born March 17, 1907, in Chilecothe, Mo., a son of Frank E. and Lucille F. Anderson. In 1908 he moved with his family to Kalispell where he received his schooling. On Dec. 17, 1942, he entered the U.S. Army at Denver and served as a technical sergeant in the 160th TC Harbor Craft Company until receiving his honorable discharge Nov. 6, 1945, at Camp McCoy, Wis. He then returned to the Flathead and had been employed as a cook for the U.S. Forest Service for 20 years prior to his retirement in 1972.

He was a member of the VFW of Kalispell.

On Dec. 19, 1951, he married Kay Carlson in Kalispell and is survived by her at the family home. He is also survived by one daughter, Sandy Ulrich of Kalispell; one brother, Vernon Anderson of Lewistown; two sisters, Mrs. John (Agnes) Bills of Billings and Mrs. Harold (Annalee) Voight of Bridger; two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by one brother.

Services for Mr. Anderson will be 2 p.m. Friday in the Johnson Funeral Home with the Rev. J. Torrance Harvey, pastor of the Lakeside Chapel, officiating. Burial will be in the Conrad Memorial Cemetery where military graveside rites will be conducted by the local veterans organizations.

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# Harold W. Annis, 88

25 Dec 1981

Harold William Annis, 88, died Friday in the Bigfork Convalescent Center where he had resided for the past three years.

He was born Sept. 20, 1893, in Tuscola County, Mich., a son of Elias and Lorency Annis. He received his schooling and spent his early life in Michigan.

In 1911, he moved to Canada for a short time. He then moved to Colorado where on Sept. 14, 1916, he married Lillie I. Conradson. In 1921, the couple moved to the Flathead Valley and in 1942, they moved to Bigfork where they resided since.

Mr. Annis had worked on construction of Hungry Horse Dam and for the U.S. Forest Service in the South Fork area for many years. He was also employed on the Jim Dockstader tree farm for several years before buying his own land north of Bigfork. He raised raspberries for many years until he sold his land and retired.

He was preceded in death by his wife on Nov. 29, 1946, and a daughter, Lois Schmidt on Dec. 21, 1978.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Carlton (Lola) Huston of Bigfork; a sister, Mary Bauer of Fortine; five grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild, and several nieces and nephews.

Graveside services for Mr. Annis will be at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Lone Pine Cemetery near Bigfork with the Rev. Ron Pierce, pastor of the Swan Chapel, officiating. Friends will meet at the cemetery for services.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Johnson Funeral Home.

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# Benjamin T. Apeland, 58

19 Oct 1981

Benjamin T. Apeland, 58, a resident of Eureka, died Monday at Kalispell Regional Hospital.

Mr. Apeland was born April 19, 1923, in Kalispell, a son of Bendik and Thora Apeland. He served in the U.S. Army, European Theater, during World War II.

After his honorable discharge, he married Eva J. Moxley in Havre on Oct. 20, 1947. The couple ranched in the Bear Paw Mountains and later in Trego.

He worked for the United States Forest Service at Murphy Lake for the past 24 years.

He was a member of the Holy Cross Lutheran Church of Eureka, where he served on the board of elders and as a past president of the congregation. He also served on the Trego school board for nearly 8 years and was a member of the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars of Eureka.

He is survived by his wife at the family home in Eureka; one son, Benjamin Ralph of Bozeman;

one daughter, Debra Marie Hill, Tucson, Ariz.; one granddaughter, Nicole Angeline; one brother, Chester of Fortine; and three sisters, Sarah Ross and Gerine Dahl of Lewistown and Lily Moore of Spokane, Wash. He was preceded in death by his twin brother and a sister in infancy.

Services will be Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Eureka with the Rev. Dudley Johnson officiating. Interment will be in Glacier Memorial Gardens in Kalispell with the Eureka veterans in charge of military honors.

Memorials are suggested to the American Cancer Society or the Holy Cross Lutheran Church of Eureka.

**APELAND, Benjamin T., 58, died Monday. Funeral 10 a.m. Thursday, Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Eureka. Burial in the Glacier Memorial Gardens in Kalispell with military graveside honors.**

## Austin

### Funeral Home

John and Gloria Austin  
Larry and Joey Kositzky  
Whitefish. Ph. 862-4040



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*11 Mar* **John Arnold Appleton, 82 1981**

John Arnold Appleton, 82, who had resided in Bigfork, died Wednesday afternoon in Kalispell.

He was born July 15, 1898, in Simi Valley, Calif., the eldest son of pioneer settlers. He attended the local elementary school and attended high school in Pasadena, Calif. On Dec. 4, 1927, he married Rena Osberg in Hollywood.

Mr. Appleton had lived all his life in the Simi Valley, except for a brief period when he lived in Toluca Lake, Calif., during the war years. He moved

to Bigfork in 1973 and had lived there since. He had farmed in Simi, keeping bees, raising walnuts and truck crops.

He was zone agent for the California Tomato Pro-rate Association during the early 1940s and was manager of the Simi Valley Walnut Growers' Association for 15 years. He was a member of the Simi Valley Chamber of Commerce and past president and life member of the Simi Valley Historical Society.

He is survived by his wife of 53 years, in Bigfork; two sons, William

A. of Simi Valley and Robert G. of Bakersfield, Calif.; a daughter, Patricia McCarley of Stockton, Calif.; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; one brother, Joe, of Nevada City, Calif.; four sisters, Melaria Chamberlain of Stevensville, Mary Redman of Fresno, Calif.; Janice Colianni of Carmel, Calif.; and Margaret Young of Nevada City.

Johnson Funeral Home is in charge of cremation. There will be no services in accordance with the wishes of the deceased.

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**Evelyn E. Arbuckle** *30 April 81*

Evelyn E. Arbuckle, age 83, of 303 5th Ave. West, Kalispell died last Thursday in Boise, Idaho.

She was born March 24, 1898 in Havre, Mont., a daughter of Henry and Margaret Mitchel. She was raised and educated in Havre and attended college in Helena.

She was married to Hugh C. Arbuckle in November of 1928 in Billings.

They lived at Swift Dam near Dupuyer, Mont. for 17 years.

In 1946 they moved to Coram and for the past ten years she had lived in Kalispell.

Arbuckle is preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Hugh in 1963, and two sisters, Mrs. Sarah Lonnevick of Conrad and Mrs. Harriet Eden of Missoula.

She is survived by one son, Leo B. Arbuckle of Coram; one daughter, Margaret McMilan of Boise, Idaho; eight grandchildren; three step grandchildren; four great grandchildren; three step grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Memorial services will be announced at a later date. Cremation has taken place.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

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## Alice E. Arensmeyer, 75

14 Sept. 1981

CHOTEAU — Alice E. Arensmeyer, 75, who was born and raised in Kalispell, died Monday at Teton Medical Center in Choteau after an extended illness.

She was born Jan. 20, 1906 in Kalispell to John W. and Ada May Wells. She was raised and educated in the Kalispell and Bigfork areas.

On Sept. 8, 1930, she married Henry C. Arensmeyer. The couple had three children. They were divorced in 1951. Mrs. Arensmeyer moved to Cot-

tage Grove, Ore. In spring 1979 she returned to Choteau.

She was a member of Women of the Moose and the Order of the Eastern Star.

She was preceded in death by her son, Howard; a sister, Melissa Perry; and three brothers, Charles, George and Robert.

Mrs. Arensmeyer is sur-

vived by a sister, Agnes Arensmeyer of Vernon, Vt.; three brothers, Virgil N. of Kalispell, Walter of Anderson, Calif., and Howard of Portland, Ore.; a son, Raymond, and daughter, Allicia, both of Choteau; and a granddaughter.

Graveside services were Thursday at Spring Creek Cemetery in Kalispell.

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## Rev. James Newton Armstrong Jr., 83

2 July 1981

The Rev. James Newton Armstrong Jr., 83, a resident of Kalispell, died Thursday at his home at 735 Fourth Ave. E.

Armstrong was born Feb. 26, 1898, in New Alexandria, Pa., a son of James N. and Mary Armstrong. His early schooling was at New Alexandria and when he reached the eighth grade he entered the Blair Academy at Blairstown, N.J., and later Princeton University in Princeton, N.J. He received his mas-

ter of arts degree from the American University of Beirut in Lebanon and also taught in the Holy Land while attending the American University. He then entered the Union Theological University in New York City where he received his bachelor of divinity degree.

He became pastor of Northampton Church (Edwards, Congregational) in Massachusetts, where one of his parishioners was President Calvin Coolidge.

He later became pastor of Rondout Presbyterian Church in Kingston, N.Y., where he celebrated the church's 100th anniversary. The next church in which he was pastor was the First Presbyterian Church at Southampton, N.Y., where he celebrated the church's 300th anniversary. His next church was Christ Presbyterian Church in Trenton, N.J., where he retired in 1963. He then moved to Riverhead, N.Y., where he re-

sided until 1973 when he and his wife moved to Kalispell.

He married Louise Storms Dec. 29, 1927, in Utica, N.Y.

He is survived by his wife, in Kalispell; one son, Dr. James H. Armstrong of Kalispell; two daughters, Mrs. Theodore (Deborah) Dobbs Sandowski of Turlock, Calif., and Mrs. Elroy (Mary Louise) Langdell of Shelburne, Vermont; 13 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; and one sister, Mary H. Armstrong of Redlands, Calif.

The Rev. Armstrong was cremated and memorial services will be conducted at the First Presbyterian Church in Kalispell Sunday at 11:30 a.m. with the Rev. Bruce B. Cunningham and the Rev. Mark S. Smith officiating.

Arrangements are under the direction of Austin Funeral Home.

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## David Aune, 36

18 Oct. 1981

David Aune, 36, 153 N.E. 33 Court, Hillsboro, Ore., died of a heart attack Sunday evening at his home.

He was born June 12, 1945, in Kalispell to Rudy and Margie Aune. He attended grade schools in Kalispell and graduated from Flathead High School in 1963.

He attended college in Spokane and was then employed by Techtronic Corp. in Beaverton, Ore. He was employed as an engineer there at the time of his death.

He married Margie Flory of Hood River, Ore., in 1968.

He is survived by his wife, Margie, and three sons, David Lee, Joey and Jerry, all at home; his mother of Kalispell; a sister, Marianna Ward of Kalispell, and a niece, Linda Ward of Berkeley, Calif. He was preceded in death by his father on May 1, 1976.

Services will be 2 p.m. Thursday at Donalsen, Sewell and Matthew in Hillsboro. Interment will be in Hillsboro.