

Spokane Man Dies in Smash

Carl G. Erickson, 53, S721 Farr, was killed in a one-vehicle accident late last night in Montana, according to wire service reports.

Authorities said he apparently lost control of a pickup truck he was driving on a secondary road three miles west of Valier in Pondera County. The truck overturned into a ditch.

Officers said Erickson was alone.

An operating engineer for a firm, he is survived by his wife, Ruth, at the home.

Other survivors include three sons, Ray, British Columbia; Carl, with the Navy in Hawaii, and David, with the Marine Corps in Okinawa; his mother, Mrs. Ralph Green, Spokane, and two grandchildren.