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A former Argyle man, Dr. Leslie R. Allen, 64, died Monday, February 16 at Birmingham, Alabama where he lived. Dr. Allen was Professor of Dentistry at the University of Alabama in Birmingham.

He was the son of the late Cyris and Hattie Mae McGranahan Allen of Argyle. He was a 1930 graduate of Argyle High School and graduated from the College of Liberal Arts of Marquette University and the School of Dentistry in 1936. He had practiced dentistry in Milwaukee and Blanchardville until July of 1942 when he entered the U.S. Army as a first Lieutenant in the Dental Corps.

He was released from active duty as a Major in 1946 after serving in Australia, New Guinea and the Phillipines. He remained in the active reserves. At that time he practiced in Lodi until 1947 when he was recalled to active duty. In 1948 he was assigned to Washington University Dental School in St. Louis as Professor of Military Science and Tactics and while there earned his Master's Degree in Prosthetic Dentistry in 1950.

It was in 1949 that he became the first dental officer in the Air Force to become a Diplomate of the American Board of Prosthodontics by examination.

During his Air Force career, he served in Japan and Washington, D.C. He retired from active duty in December of 1964 and accepted appointment as Associate Professor of Dentistry in the Prosthetic Department of the School of Dentistry, University of Alabama until his appointment to the Dental School of Louisiana, State University in New Orleans, as Professor and Head of the Department of Prosthodontics in 1968.

Dr. Allen was married to the former Dorothy J. Grundmann of Milwaukee in 1932. He is survived by his wife, Dorothy, and a brother, John W. Allen.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. February 18 at

Alm BA 9-14-78

Mrs. Olin (Alice) Alm, 73, Argyle, died Friday afternoon, Sept. 8, at her home after a long illness. She was a lifelong Argyle area resident.

Mrs. Alm was born in Lamont Township on Oct. 16, 1904, the daughter of Edward and Annie Jensen Skattum. She was married Jan. 23, 1924, in the Yellowstone Lutheran Church parsonage to Olin Alm.

Surviving are her husband; two sons, Robert, Madison, and Earl, Mt. Horeb; a daughter, Mrs. Richard (Rachel) Hermanson, Verona; a sister, Mrs. Olga Gilbertson, Monroe; 12 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by four brothers and three sisters.

Mrs. Alm was a member of the Apple Grove Lutheran Church and its Ladies Aid and the Argyle American Legion Auxiliary.

Funeral services were held at

Apple Grove Church Monday afternoon, Sept. 11, with Pastor Jerry L. Laehn officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

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## Ammann

Robert Lee Ammann, 18, Rt. 3, Monroe, died on Sunday morning, November 28, in the Colonial Manor Nursing Home, Madison,

where he had been since June 29. Death resulted from complications from injuries received in a car accident on September 26, 1975, about .6 miles south of Monroe on Haddinger Road. Another rural Monroe youth, Steve Grunder, 17, a passenger, was pronounced dead at the scene of the accident.

Mr. Ammann had been hospitalized since the accident and later entered the nursing home.

Born in Monroe on January 27, 1958, he was the son of Willard J. and Zita Stopka Ammann. He attended Monroe High School and worked at Advance Transformer.

Surviving are his parents on Rt. 3; two brothers, William J., Browntown, and Randy Lee, at home; and two sisters, Mrs. David (Diana) Springman, Rock City, Illinois, and Mrs. Nathan (Priscilla) Wiesenberg, Browntown.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents.

Services were Wednesday, December 1, at 1:30 p.m. in the Stuessy Funeral Home with Rev. W.C. Koehler officiating. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery.

## Robert Bockhop

Robert "Bob" J. Bockhop, 69, Platteville, died April 5, 2007 of a heart attack at Southwest Health Center, Platteville.

He was born May 25, 1937 in Dodgeville, the son of Allen and Edna (Schultz) Bockhop. He graduated from Belmont High School in 1956 and served as a sergeant in the National Guard 128th Infantry during the Berlin Crisis.

Bob married Sally Simmons on Aug. 8, 1959 at the Peace Lutheran Church, Belmont. He was the owner and founder of Bockhop Builders and built businesses, churches, condos, apartments and many fine homes in Grant, Lafayette and Iowa counties for the past 50 years.

Bob was a member of the Platteville Golf and Country Club, Belmont American Legion

and various building associations. He was an avid Packer and Badger fan.

He is survived by his wife, Sally; a son, Jeffrey (Jennifer Rice) Bockhop, Rockford, Ill.; two daughters: Christine (Keith) Weller, Manhattan Beach, Calif.; Carolyn (Brian) Vondra, Olathe, Kan.; five grandchildren: Alison and Morgan Bockhop, Rockford; Blaker Weller, Manhattan Beach; Colbran and Garrison Vondra, Olathe. He was preceded in death by his parents, and two brothers, William and Gerald.

Funeral services were held April 10, 2007 at the Peace Lutheran Church, Belmont. The Rev. Connie Matye officiated. Burial was at the Belmont Cemetery, Belmont. The Melby-Bendorf Funeral Home, Platteville, served the family.

Ridoots South Side Chapel in Birmingham, Ala., followed by private graveside services. The family home is at 1224 Vista Lane, Vista Via, Birmingham.