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Emrick S. Wilson

Emrick Severin Wilson, 86 year old former Bonners Ferry resident, passed away the evening of July 4 in Spokane following a lingering illness.

He was born on June 23, 1884, in Augustboda, Sweden, the son of Johann August and Emma Christina

Johanson.

At the age of 20, he migrated to the U.S. and made his home in Republic, Washington, where he engaged in logging. He became interested in mining and moved to Northern Idaho where he was employed near Mullan.

In his later years, he was employed as foreman in District 12. The family then moved to Kootenal, and after his retirement, made his home at Mead, Washington.

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He is survived by his wife, Bertha Vesta Wilson, at the home, six daughters, two sons, none of whom are local, 32 grandchildren and 33 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, July 8, at Hillcrest Memorial Chapel and interment followed at Grandview cemetery. Pastor Theodore Dorpat officiated.