

Ada Albertina Klasson, född 30/8 1881, Knölen Gällstad.

Föräldrarna hette Klas Alfred Gustafsson och Johanna Maria Johannesdotter.

Ada arbetade som strykerska i Borås och emigrerade därifrån till USA i augusti 1904. En av hennes bröder Otto Robert, född 1887, emigrerade sedan också till USA 1907.

Han bodde i Bellingham, Washington där även Ada bodde.

Men redan 1908 dog han i en tragisk olycka. Han arbetade vid en kvarn i Bellingham och verkade inte ha fått korrekta instruktioner hur man skulle hantera denna...



Tidningsnotis om olyckan från Bellingham Herald i december 1908.

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IGNORANCE OF MACHINERY CAUSES DEATH

**Robert Klasen, Swedish Youth,
Who Was Killed Almost Instantly At Larson's Mill Yesterday, Might Have Touched Lever and Stopped Saw That Cut Him to Pieces.**

Had Robert Klasen understood the first thing about the machinery of the resaw at Larson's mill on Lake Whatcom he would not have met his death yesterday afternoon between 4 and 5 o'clock. Had he put his foot on the trip he could have stopped the machinery and had he had the presence of mind to throw his left arm to either side and clutched a lever to throw open the greedy rollers when he felt himself being drawn in he would have been saved, according to statements made by Dr. H. Thompson, coroner, this morning.

Klasen met a most fearful death before any one of his fellow workers was aware that he was even in danger. Beside him stood D. A. Berry, who had charge of the resaw. The first intimation he had of trouble was when, in his dying throes, the youth kicked him.

There were no witnesses to the accident, but it is supposed that Klasen either attempted to shove into the rollers a board that had become jammed or to pick up an oil can that had fallen. His right thumb was caught in the cogs of the rollers and he was rapidly drawn into the machinery. He apparently never uttered

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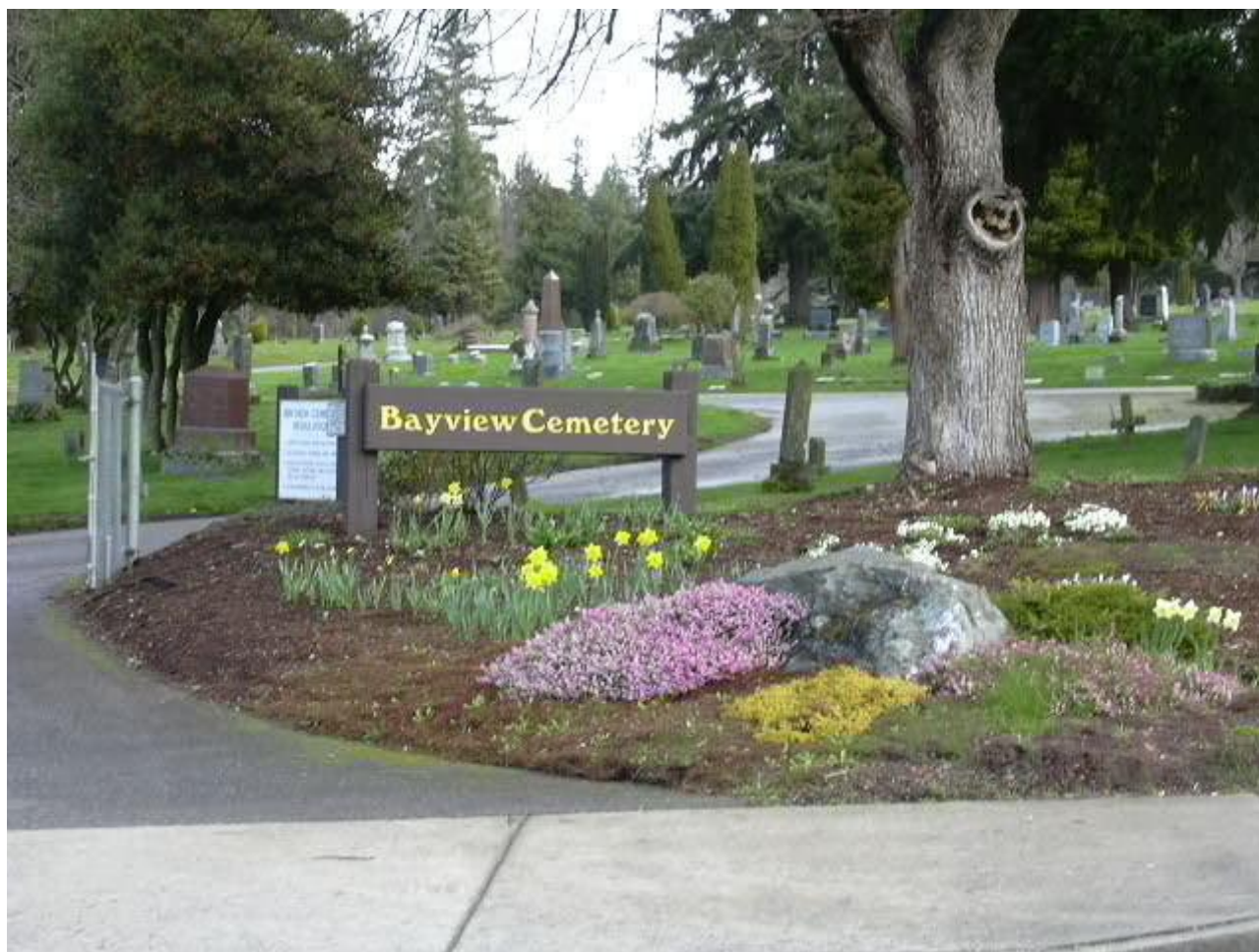
The whole right side of the unfortunate young man was ground up and the great saw cut a gash extending up from the shoulder through the skull. He was dead when his fellow workers discovered his horrible plight and stopped the machinery to remove him from its clutches.

Klasen came to Bellingham in September and went to work at the Larson mill as an assistant to the resawer early this month. He has been over from Sweden less than a year and all that time has been with John Anderson, his closest friend.

Since coming to Bellingham Robert Klasen has made his home with his unmarried sister, Ada Klasen, a worker in a local laundry. The pair had rooms at 451 Grant street. They were alone in this country, the father, three brothers and two sisters all being in Sweden.

The body now lies at the undertaking parlors of H. O. Bingham, 1319 Dock street. The funeral arrangements are now being made and it is likely that he will be buried from the undertaking rooms tomorrow afternoon, Rev. O. Johnson officiating.

Brodern Robert är begravd på Bayview Cemetery, Bellingham, Whatcom County, Washington



Ada gifte sig i januari 1909, med John Levin Andersson. Vid den tiden arbetar hon som tvätterska, och John var snickare i Bellingham. De står som bosatta i Bellingham, men vigseln sker i Seattle. John dog redan i febr 1910.

Deras dotter, Ellen Linnea född 7/11 1909, dog 18/1 1913. Vid tiden för hennes död, hade Ada och Ellen redan flyttat till Providence, Rhode Island.

Vigselbevis för Ada och Johan.

STATE OF WASHINGTON } County of <u>King</u> } ss.		[27147] No. <u>22847</u>
Marriage Certificate		
This Certifies that the undersigned, <u>a clergyman</u> by authority of a License bearing date the <u>11th</u> day of <u>January</u>, A. D. 190<u>9</u> and Issued by the County Auditor of the County of <u>King</u> did, on the <u>11th</u> day of <u>January</u> A. D. 190<u>9</u>, at the <u>Seattle</u> County and State aforesaid, join in Lawful Wedlock <u>Johan Levin Anderson</u> of the County of <u>Whatcom</u> and <u>Ada Albertina Klason</u> of the County of <u>Whatcom</u> with their mutual assent in presence of <u>Marie Larson</u> and <u>Mary Albin</u> witnesses. In Testimony Whereof, witness the signatures of the parties to said ceremony, the witnesses and myself, this <u>11th</u> day of <u>January</u>, A. D. 190<u>9</u>.		
Witnesses:	Parties:	Officiating Clergyman or Officer:
<u>Marie Larson</u> <u>Mary Albin</u>	<u>Johan Levin Anderson</u> <u>Ada Albertina Klason</u>	<u>Martin L. Larson,</u> <u>Ev. Lutheran Pastor,</u> P. O. Address <u>Seattle,</u> <u>Washington</u>
Filed _____	RECORDED 190 <u>9</u> FILED 190 <u>9</u>	
This Certificate must be filed out and filed with the County Clerk of the County where the ceremony is performed, within three months after the ceremony.—See Hill's Code, Vol. 1, Sec. 1386. The County Clerk's fee for recording this certificate is One Dollar to be paid by the party applying for the license at the time each license is issued.—Hill's Code, Vol. 1, Sec. 1387. Failure to make and deliver Certificate to the County Clerk within three months is punishable by a fine of not less than \$25.00 or more than \$300.00.		
<u>John H. Jackson</u> Clerk		

I Providence gifte Ada sig med Ernst Gottfrid Andersson i november 1913.
De fick en dotter Ellen Maria, född i dec. 1915. Hon blev sjuksköterska och dog 1996, Providence
Rhode Island.



Ada och Ernst Gottfrid.

Klasson, Ada Albertina	30/8 1881

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Klasson, Ada Albertina
Hustru (gift kvinna)

f. 30/8 1881 i Gällstad, Älvsborgs län (Västergötland)

Utvandrad 5/4 1924
från Bäverdalen Nr 1, Borås, Älvsborgs län (Västergötland)
till Amerika

Källa: Husförhörlängd, s. 2303

Emibas emigrationsakt: Borås P 1924 010

Huvudakt (emigrationsgrupp)

Andersson, Ernst Gottfrid	27/8 1878
Klasson, Ada Albertina	30/8 1881
Andersson, Ellen Maria	24/12 1915



Foton tillagda av Earl Reid

John L Anderson

FÖDELSE 1881

DÖD 28 Feb 1910 (ålder 28–29)

BEGRAVNING [Bayview Cemetery](#)
Bellingham, Whatcom County, Washington, USA [Lägg till på karta](#)

GRAVPLATS SECTION M, Lot 921, Grave 8-A

ÄREMINNE-ID 7211386 · [Visa källa](#)

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Gravstensuppgifter
aged 28

Familjemedlemmar

Make/maka	Barn
 Ada Albertina <i>Klasson</i> Anderson 1881–1954 (m. 1909)	 Ellen Linea Anderson 1909–1913

U.S., Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, Swedish American Church Records, 1800-1947 for John Levin Anderson							Sa	
USA > Washington > Bellingham > Faith Lutheran Church								
32	+ John Levin Anderson	Borås	Gift	1 11 1881	4/1909	Borås	Sw. 1901	
33	+ Ada Albertina (b. Klasson)	Gallstad	"	8 30 1881	"	"	" 1904	
34	Ellen Linea	Bellingham Wash.		11 7 1909 / 12 26 1909				

Ernst Augustine M. Aronson	78 ²⁷ / ₈	Dist. N.	v.	13/57	Minuter	21 ¹⁰ / ₁₁
h. Ada Albertina f. Ahlstrom	81 ³⁰ / ₈	Gästads ^{stod} N	v.	11	"	21 ¹⁰ / ₁₁
h. Ellen Maria	15 ²⁷ / ₁₂	Providence ^{amerika}	A		"	21 ¹⁰ / ₁₁

5. h. Klas Alfred Gustafsson	46 ³⁰ / ₆	Marback	1872	v.		
6. h. Johanna Maria Johansdotter	46 ²⁷ / ₆	Sämn		v.		
D. Emma Maria Klassdotter	79 ²⁹ / ₄	Gästads		v.	Gästads 17/182	24
7. I. Karl Arthur	74 ¹¹ / ₅	ibm		v.		
Johan Oskar	76 ¹¹ / ₅	ibm		v.		
8. I. Ellen Elisabet	78 ⁵ / ₁₁	ibm		v.		
h. Albertina	81 ³⁰ / ₈	ibm		v.		
9. Ernst Adar	84 ²³ / ₄	in loco.		v.		
Otto Robert	87 ¹ / ₆	in loco.		v.		

Örmedladd.						
Bäckstuga						
M. Johannes Nilsson	1/3	1804				
H. Pihlen Lars dotter	3/18	1805				
L. August	1/18	1820	Säm			
h. Olof Otto	24/4	1849	Säm			
h. Lovisa	23/8	1834	Säm			
" Johanna Maria	27/1	1846	Säm			
" L. August	1/10	1830	Säm	51. Redslarp		

Ada Albertina *Klasson* Anderson

FÖDELSE

30 Aug 1881

Västra Götalands län, Sweden

DÖD

1 Apr 1954 (ålder 72)

Providence, Providence County, Rhode Island, USA

BEGRAVNING

Grace Church Cemetery



Ernest Gottfrid Anderson

BIRTH 08/27/1878 • Vist, Västra Götaland, Sweden

DEATH 04/06/1964 • Providence, Rhode Island

Ada dog 1 april 1954, i Providence, och Ernst dog 6 april 1964.



Gravsten för Ada och dottern Ellen Linnea, på Grace Church Cemetery, Providence, Rhode Island



Grace Church Cemetery, Providence, Rhode Island

Dottern Ellen Marie, född 24/12 1915, död 9/12 1996,
Providence, Rhode Island



Gift 22/2 1945 med Thomas Luther Wilburn II.

Född 30/11 1918 , död 27/7 2015