

Also injured in the accident was Harold Herdt, 25, of DuPont, Color., driver of an oil transport. Herdt is a patient at Memorial Hospital in Cheyenne suffering from a broken leg and possibly other injuries.

According to Patrolman Schwarting, the oil transport was partially off in the barrow pit on the west side of the highway. Mr. Wilhelm, who was driving an empty livestock stake truck, stopped to help the oil transport out of the barrow pit.

Wilhelm and Herdt had just fastened a tow chain between the two trucks both of which were headed north, when the truck driven by Bickel crashed directly between them, striking both vehicles.