

CHASE, MAUDE BELCHER
1898-May 12, 1917

YOUNG MOTHER PASSES TO ETERNAL HOME

The angel of death again visited this community early Saturday morning and claimed the spirit of a young wife and mother, Mrs. Maudie Chase, wife of Frank E. Chase, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F.L. Belcher. Mrs. Chase had given birth to a baby boy on April 10th, from which ordeal she seemed to recover, but developed an abdominal abscess which was followed by peritonitis. Everything possible was done to save her life but without avail, and she peacefully closed her eyes to earthly scenes after several days of desperate illness. Funeral services were held Monday from the Christian church, of which she was a devoted member, Rev. W.B. Phillips officiating, and the body was laid to rest in the Wheatland cemetery.

Mrs. Chase was a Wheatland girl, having been born in this city and educated in the Wheatland schools. In June, 1915, she was married to F.E. Chase, the husband who, with his motherless son, are left to lasting loneliness. She was of a sweet and lovable disposition, devoted to her family and friends, and happy in the bloom of youth and young motherhood. In her irreparable loss, the grief-stricken family and relatives have the kind sympathy of innumerable friends.