

ESHOM, ELDON D.
July 30, 1897-February 16, 1917

It is with deep sorrow that we are called upon to report the death of Eldon Eshom, who passed away Friday, Feb. 16, 1917, after suffering more than two months from mastoiditis. Eldon was born in Atchison, Kansas, July 30, 1897, coming to Wheatland with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G.T. Eshom, in 1902. In June, 1914, he was married to Miss Inez Lambert of Indiana. To them was born a lovely little daughter, now two years old, left as the only solace for the young widowed mother.

Eldon was a very loveable and estimable young man whose friends were limited only by the number of his acquaintances. During the weeks of his fatal illness, he endeared himself to his physicians and nurses with his patience and kind appreciation for the tireless efforts which were made to stay the ravages of the disease and save his life. He met the final summons with an unfaltering trust.

Besides his parents, wife and babe, he leaves four brothers and two sisters to mourn his untimely departure from the land of the living. Funeral services were held at the Christian church Sunday afternoon, Rev. A.T. Evans and W.L. Wade officiating, and the body was laid to rest in the Wheatland cemetery.