

WALN, CLARISSA  
1859-September 26, 1950

Mrs. Clarissa Waln of Glendo, 91, died Tuesday afternoon at the Wheatland hospital after a four month illness.

Mrs. Waln, whose birthplace was in Wisconsin, later homesteaded with her husband in the Wheatland area, arriving here as a young woman. Mr. Waln was a freighter during the early years of her marriage, and she cared for the seven children herself and ran the homestead while Mr. Waln, of necessity, on the railroad. Last year on her 90<sup>th</sup> birthday anniversary, a gala party with friends and relatives in attendance was held in her honor.

Services will be held at Schrader's mortuary with Rev. Howard Rice reading the service at 2:30 p.m. Saturday. Burial will be in the Wheatland cemetery.

Seven children survive. They are Arthur Waln of Glendo, Edith Leech of Glendo, Walter Waln of Torrington, Jim Waln of Nampa, Calif., Eunice Torgerson of Denver, Roy Waln of Cheyenne, and George Waln of Wheatland. A sister, Ida Ghrist resides at Ft. Collins and a brother, William Goodwin at Ames, Ia.

She is also survived by 13 grandchildren and 30 great grandchildren.