

BARNES, DOROTHY KLASSERT
October 26, 1907-1927

The funeral services for Dorothy Klassert Barnes, wife of Roy Barnes, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Klassert, were held today at the Baptist church at 2 o'clock the Rev. A.C. Griffin, Adventist minister, officiating with Rev. R. Stratton assisting. The H.G. Watson mortuary was in charge of funeral arrangements. Interment was made in the Wheatland cemetery.

Mrs. Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Klassert, gave birth to a son, Leroy Willard January 29th, at her home in the country and became desperately ill about the second day after the birth of the baby. Some days later the doctors from the Wheatland hospital were called, and she was removed to the hospital, where after a thorough examination, her case was pronounced hopeless. Nevertheless every effort and every means known to modern science was used to overcome, if possible, her fatal infection; but all was in vain, and she passed quietly into the Great Beyond on Monday night, after putting up a very heroic fight for her life.

She leaves to mourn her absence, her husband, Roy Barnes; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Klassert; her brothers and sisters, Henry, Lorene, Lorne and Juanita; her grandmother, Mrs. Henry Klassert; thirteen aunts and uncles and a host of other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Dorothy Barnes, nee Klassert, was born Oct. 26, 1907, in Gering, Nebraska and died last Tuesday morning at 2:00, in the Wheatland General hospital.

When a tiny baby, Dorothy was brought to Platte county, Wyo., by her parents, where she has been a resident ever since. During this time, she has been a faithful helper to her mother and family, and a trusty student in our public schools. She obtained her grammar school education in the rural school and then spent four years in the Wheatland high school.

In June 1925, she was married to Roy Barnes. Their short married life as been very happy and contented. They both planned together that their home should be filled with a true Christian atmosphere. Two years ago Mrs. Barnes joined the Baptist church. And she has strove to make her religion not only a profession but a reality in her experience.