

FERGUSON, B. FRANCES MURRAY

June 17, 1854-November 4, 1935

Mrs. Thomas J. Ferguson, one of the old-time settlers on the Wheatland Flats and one of the best known ladies in this section, passed away at her home at the Ferguson Corner, 8 miles south of Wheatland on the Yellowstone Highway, on Monday, November 4th. Mrs. Ferguson had been in poor health since last spring but had not been confined to her bed until two weeks ago. Mrs. Ferguson had resided here 23 years.

Frances Murray was born in Galena, Ill., June 17, 1854 and was 81 years, 3 months and 17 days of age at the time of her death. After the death of her parents she went to Denver where she met Thos. Ferguson. They were united in marriage February 6, 1884. They were the parents of eight living children, all of whom were with her during her last illness, except a son, Will, who is in Arizona. Besides her children, Mrs. Ferguson is survived by 22 grandchildren.

During the summer and fall, all of Mrs. Ferguson's neighbors vied each other doing little acts of kindness and bringing her flowers. She was never without flowers from early spring until the time of her death. She and her family greatly appreciated this kind thoughtfulness.

The funeral under the direction of the Lyla Watson Funeral Home, was held this morning, Tuesday, at 10 o'clock, from the St. Patricks Catholic Church, with Father Bruno in charge.