

**GRIFFIN, BETTY FAYE JOHNSTON**

**March 29, 1920-June 22, 1973**

Mrs. Betty Johnston Griffin, 53, Harbor City, Calif., passed away in Redondo Beach, California on Friday, June 22, 1973 following an extended illness. Mrs. Griffin was a former resident of Wheatland. She was born here on March 29, 1920. She attended Wheatland schools & graduated from Wheatland High School. She was married to Thomas Griffin on November 26, 1940 in Gering, Nebraska.

Mrs. Griffin served with the U.S. Navy as a Hospital Corpsman, 1<sup>st</sup> Class, and was a veteran of World War II in 1944-45. At the time of her death she was employed by the U.S. Gov't in Contract Administration and had been employed there for 18 years. She was affiliated with the Christian Church.

Mrs. Griffin is survived by her husband, Thomas of Harbor City, California. Also surviving are two sisters: Mrs. Mary Anna Marker, Des Moines, Iowa; Mrs. Nellie Short, Cheyenne and one brother, Willard Johnston of Cheyenne, and by an aunt, Mrs. Cora Dawson, Wheatland. Mrs. Griffin was a granddaughter of the late G.S. and Nellie Dawson.

Services were held Tuesday, June 26, 1973 at 2:00 p.m. at the graveside with Rev. Daniel Barcus officiating. Burial was at the Wheatland Cemetery.