

HOFFMAN, EARL F.  
February 16, 1886-October 1916

Friends and relatives from a wide stretch of country gathered Sunday afternoon at the Congregational church to pay their last respects to the memory of Earl F. Hoffman who was laid away to his final rest.

Mr. Hoffman was thirty years of age having been born February 16, 1886 and had lived in this vicinity practically all his life. On October 8, 1913, he was married to Miss Ursula Schmidt of Omaha. Since that time they have made their home on the Newman ranch on Cottonwood.

Several months ago, Mr. Hoffman was stricken with Bright's disease and made a brave but unavailing fight with this dread malady.

The funeral which was one of the largest in the history of Wheatland was held Sunday at two o'clock from the Congregational church, the Rev. W.L. Wade officiating. Among those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders of Sidney, Nebraska, Mrs. Sanders being a sister of Mrs. A.L. Hoffman; Emmons Sanders and Eddy Sanders.