

Clara E. Hopwood, 79, Succumbs To Illness

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Longtime resident Clara-Elizabeth Hopwood, 79, succumbed Thursday, February 17, 1972 at the Platte County Memorial Hospital following an extended illness.

A resident of Wheatland since 1914, Mrs. Hopwood was born in Remson, Iowa August 28, 1892. She was married to A.L. Hopwood and they had one son, A. L. Hopwood, Jr. Very well known in the area, Mrs. Hopwood served as Deputy Platte County Clerk for several years and also worked in the city clerk's office for several years.

Her church affiliation was with the St. Patrick's Catholic Church.

Survivors include her husband, A. L. Hopwood; her son, A. L. Hopwood, Jr. of Olympia, Washington; one brother, Edward Greff, Denver, Colo. and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday, February 20, 1972 at 3:00 p.m. at the Schrader Chapel. Monsignor F. J. Kimmitt officiated at the service. Interment was at the Wheatland Cemetery with Howard Fish, Harold Garrett, Casmer Isabell, Darrow Blow, George Wain and William I. Sutherland serving as pallbearers.

Clara Hopwood Memorial Is Established Here

The family of Clara Hopwood has established at Platte County Public Library a Clara Hopwood Memorial Fund in memory of Mrs. Hopwood. Gifts in her memory will be received at the library in Wheatland, or may be sent to A. L. Hopwood, Jr. 2095 Lakemore Drive, Olympia, Washington 98502. The library acknowledges to the family all donations.