

LAUK, WILLIAM
1853-April 26, 1935

Wm. Lauk, one of the old timers in the country north of Sunrise, passed away in Wheatland Friday after an illness of about seven years.

Services were held Saturday from the Lyla Watson Funeral home and interment was made in the Wheatland cemetery.

The deceased was born in Brockenheim, Germany, and came to eastern Wyoming in 1878. His brother was a hospital steward at Fort Laramie at that time and he joined him there. After a few years he engaged in the cattle business and together with Joseph Stein, formed a partnership in mining. Both of these men spent many years seeking their fortunes in the Sunrise hills and were known by a large number of people from far and wide.

The only known relative is a nephew who lives north of Sunrise.