

RUTHERFORD, JOSEPH SR.
January 2, 1869-March 27, 1951

Joseph Rutherford, 82, well-known retired rancher of the Cottonwood creek area, died Tuesday, March 27, at the Wheatland hospital where he had been confined for many months.

He was born in New York state January 2, 1869 and came to the Cottonwood creek vicinity in 1895, establishing a ranch there.

Last rites were conducted at 2 p.m. Friday at the Congregational church, the Rev. W. James Hoare officiating and Schraders in charge of arrangements.

Surviving are two nieces, Mrs. Vic Ballard of Lander and Mrs. Ellen Warren of Lander and two nephews, Ernest Rutherford of Lander and John Rutherford of Duckwater, Nev. His wife and two sons preceded him in death.