

Dolly Maxine Schroetlin

May 8, 1916 - February 11, 2001

Funeral services for Dolly Maxine Schroetlin, 84, were held Tuesday, Feb. 13 at 2:00 p.m. at the Platte Funeral Chapel in Wheatland with Andy Gudahl, Minister of First Christian Church, officiating. Interment was in the Wheatland Cemetery. Mrs. Schroetlin died Sunday, Feb. 11 at the Platte County Memorial Hospital in Wheatland.

She was born May 8, 1916 in Cheyenne, the daughter of Lawrence and Artie Viola (Cline) Callen. At the age of three, her father was killed by lightning, and she was raised by her mother, with help from Grandpa and Grandma Cline, on a farm 20 miles southwest of Chugwater. She was educated and graduated from the eighth grade at Caster Country School. She then attended and graduated from the Cheyenne High School, and attended the University of Wyoming at Laramie where she received her normal training. She began teaching in country schools in Walden, Colo. schools on Bear Creek, Pole Creek, Horse Creek, and various other schools near Cheyenne for 15 years. She was married to William Schroetlin in November, 1945 in

Scottsbluff, Nebr. They lived in Cheyenne, and then in 1957 they moved to Wheatland working at various jobs. She began working for the Platte County Memorial Hospital in 1959 until 1985 at which time she had to care for her husband who was in failing health. She has resided in Wheatland during her retirement years.

She was a member of the United Church of Christ, the Dorcas Society, and was active in the church choir. She enjoyed reading and making donuts.

She is survived by her brother, Herbert and his wife, Leota Callen of Wheatland; several cousins; and also nieces and nephews of her husband's family.

She was preceded in death by her parents; grandparents; her husband, William, on July 6, 1988; and an infant brother.

Serving as pallbearers were Tom King, Einer Mickelsen, Orville Cussins, Don Cox, Don Wedemeyer, Tim Robertson.

A memorial to the choice of the donor would be appreciated by the family. The Platte Funeral Chapel of Wheatland was in charge of the arrangements.