

THOMPSON, JASPER NEWTON
1849-July 25, 1930

Jasper Newton Thompson, 80-year old pioneer of the Wheatland ranch country, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Cora Mullin, Friday, July 25th. He was preceded by his wife in death by about five weeks.

Mr. Thompson was born at Anderson, Ind., and grew to manhood in the east and while little is known of his early life, he is known to have lived in Indiana, Iowa, Kansas and Missouri. In 1877, he came to Wyoming while the state was still in the throes of Indian warfare and settled in the vicinity of Wheatland on the old Thompson ranch on the Laramie, east of Uva.

He was married to Miss Jennie Lumen, October 31st 1873, at Carthage, Mo., and to this union three daughters and two sons were born. Mrs. Mullin is the only one that survived the parents.

The deceased has not been in the best of health for some time and since a short time before his wife's death, it has been very critical.

Funeral services were held from the Baptist church Sunday afternoon with Rev. Charles F. Thomas of that church, preaching the funeral service and Rodney Darst assisting. Burial was made in the Wheatland cemetery with the Watson Mortuary in charge of arrangements.