Extended Illness Takes Life Of Dollie Baker

Longtime resident, Dollie B. Baker expired to an extended illness at her home on Saturday March 18, 1972. She was 87 years of age at the time of death.

Born in Shelby County, Iowa December 28, 1884 and on January 27, 1904 she became the bride of Fred M. Baker in Scottsbluff County, Nebraska. Following her husband's death in 1916, Mrs. Baker and her three children moved to Platte County where she homesteaded near Dwyer. It was there that she raised her three children and a grandniece, Betty Correy.

Survivors include one son, Wesley R. Baker, Cheyenne; two daughters, Mrs. John (Velma) Dietz, Mrs Bernice Bird, both of Wheatland; one grandniece, Miss Correy, Wheatland; one brother, Charlie Lewis, Melbeta, Nebraska; one sister, Mrs. Eva Donaldson, Dwyer; seven grandchildren; twenty-three great grandchildren and three great-great grandchildren.

Services were held Thursday, March 23, 1972, at 2:00 p.m. at the Schrader Chapel with the Reverend Henry Harberg officiating. Pallbearers for the services were Bruce Haggerty, Charles Haggerty, J. R. Good, Charlie Haggerty, William Baker and George Good.

Honorary pallbearers were Earl Lewis, Ross Donaldson, Edwin Baker, Lewis Baker and Neil Baker.