LARSEN, Petrine

Born: July 14, 1860
Denmark
Died: January 5, 1918
Viborg, South Dakota

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OBITUARY

Petrine Larsen was born the 14th of July 1860 in east Brondeslov, Vendsyssel, Denmark. The 5th of November 1882 she was married to Jens R. Larsen. In 1883 they emigrated to America, and settled in Turner County, S. D. Here she has lived tell four years ago, when they moved to Viborg. Mrs. Larsen united with the Danish Lutheran Church under Rev. R. J. Kristensen's pastorate, and was a loved and honored member of that church till her death.

She was the mother of five children, four girls, namely: Mrs. Anna Sorensen of Irene, S. D., Mrs. Mary Nielsen, Tyler, Minn., Mrs. Christine Jorgenson, Tyler, Minn., and Mrs. Amanda Kanstrup of Viborg. Her son Chris P. Larsen of Tacoma, Washington, now in the United States Army, was unable to be present.

Mrs. Larsen has suffered from gallstone and appendicitis and under went therefore an operation for these diseases the 28th of December and she seemed to get along well, but the 5th of January after supper about eight o'clock, she passed unexpectedly away. Mrs. Larsen was a loving and tender mother and wife, and as her end came sudden, the pang of death is felt so much more. The funeral took place from the home and from the Lutheran Church, Wednesday January 9th, 1918. A large number of relatives and friends had gathered to pay their last tribute to their loved one. Rev. H. Folkestad officiating. She was laid to rest in the Lutheran cemetery west of Viborg.