

CHRISTENSEN, Christine(Madsen)

January 16, 1852

Denmark

October 16, 1919

near Montrose, South Dakota

OBITUARY

Mrs. Christine Christensen was born near Hjoring, Denmark January 16th, 1852, and died at Mt. Rose, S. Dak., Oct. 16th, 1919.

In 1878, shortly after her marriage to Jens Christensen they immigrated to the United States and settled in Homesteaded on the North-west Turner County on the North-west Quarter of Section 35, Daneville township. At this place they resided until a few years ago, when they moved to Mission Hill and from there they moved to Litcher, Sanborn county, S. Dak., where they had a splendid home. It was on her way to Viborg, where she intended to come on a visit, that she took sick and could not continue her journey, and at Mt. Rose her soul took its flight to the better land.

Those left to mourn her death are her husband, Jens Christensen and eleven children, eight sons, Chris, Miner, James, George, Andrew, Alvin and Henry, all of whom live at Litcher and there are three daughters, Mrs. Annie Borsen of Artesian, S. D., Mrs. Lizze Purcell of Yankton, S. D., and Mrs. Mary Christensen. All of these children were present at the funeral.

Mrs. Christine Christensen became a member of the Methodist church in 1889 during the pastorate of P. Seim and she remained an esteemed member of the church until death came and caused her transfer from

the church militant to the church triumphant.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon, Oct. 19, from the home of her sister, Mrs. Nels P. Jensen and from the Methodist Church. The church was filled to its capacity with mourning relatives and sympathizing friends. Interment took place at the Rose Hill cemetery where the dust now rests till the resurrection morning. Rev. W. R. Nordos, pastor of the Methodist church officiated. ..