LARSEN, Hanna (Johnsen)

Born: November 23, 1852
Denmark
Died: June 19, 1921
Sioux Falls

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OBITUARY

Mrs. Hanna Larsen, born at Vinslov, Sjælland, Denmark, the 23 of November, 1852, immigrated to America in 1869 and settled in Racine, Wisconsin. At this place and the following year she became the wife of James Larsen and in 1874 moved to South Dakota, settled on a farm near Beresford and made their home there until in 1900, when they removed to Viborg, where they made their home since.

Mrs. Larson was mother of 12 children, four of which are dead: W. C. Larson, Herbert Larson, Mrs. J. C. Jorgensen, and Thorvald, who died in infancy. She is also preceded by her husband, who died eight and a half year ago. She is survived by eight children: Mrs. J. M. Rasmussen, Emil, Mrs. B. H. Pinney, Florence and Ellis of Viborg; Victor and Arthur of Alcester, S. D., and Ms. J. A. Jorgensen of Irene, S. D. There are also 23 grandchildren left behind and one brother, Audrew Johnsen, of near Beresford.

Mrs. Larson had been sick since January, but quiet and patient, she made no complaint and few realized what suffering she endured. On Tuesday, June 14, she underwent an operation at the Sioux Falls Hospital. The operation was successful, but owing to the advanced stage of the sickness and her age it proved that the system could not stand the shock, and five days after the operation, Sunday morning at 5 o'clock, June 19, she passed away peacefully.

The deceased had lived in Viborg 21 years and all who knew her loved and respected her. She loved the house of God and went thither regularly until hindered by her last and fatal sickness.

Funeral was held Wednesday afternoon, June 22, at the home at 2 o'clock and at the Methodist church at 2:30, conducted by Rev. W. R. Nordos and the burial occured at the Rose Hill cemetery, where she was laid to rest beside her husband. —Contributed.