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HEITT

Early Resident of Katka Dies Sunday Morning at Home

Mrs. Effie Belle Heitt, died Sunday morning at her home on Alderson lane. She was 83 years old at the time of her death.

Effie Belle Harrison was born March 8, 1878 at Shellsburg, Iowa and received her education in Iowa. She was married to Peter F. Heitt March 25, 1896 and the couple lived in Iowa and later in South Dakota until they came to the Bonners Ferry area in 1908. Here, they homesteaded on Katka. Mr. Heitt passed away in 1940. Mrs. Heitt was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Surviving are one son, Ralph O. Heitt, Spokane; one daughter, Mrs. Orval McVey, Bonners Ferry; one brother, William Harrison, Miles City, Mont.; two sisters, Mrs. Fred Jacobs, Correctionville, Iowa and Mrs. William Boles, Bay City, Ore.; six grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren. One daughter, Zelma V. Hunt preceded her in passing in 1925.

Graveside services were held Wednesday at 11:00 a.m. at Grandview cemetery with the Rev. Frank Summerour of the First Methodist church officiating. The Hillcrest Memorial Chapel handled preparations for the rites.