

Walter Leonard Cheeney
1931-1939

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Walter Leonard Cheeney was born July 1, 1931 in southeast Wyoming to Walter Oney Cheeney (Slim) and Marie Van Zee Cheeney. The family had three other children already: Dorothy, Edward Homer and Marguerite. They moved to Ten Sleep and settled on the Nowood ranching area in 1935. Walter Leonard attended Ten Sleep schools until he passed away on June 14, 1939. He was survived by all of his siblings and his parents.

Memories: I remember a tall, slim boy who they said was a Cheeney in the school system. He wore corduroy slacks and light colored knit shirts. What I recall is that he was very quiet and moved quickly in order as he was told as we moved from class to class or from inside to outdoor activities. Light haired and green or gray eyes. fb

**Cheeney Services
To Be Held
Today at Tensleep**

Funeral services for Walter Leonard Cheeney, 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cheeney, who died here Wednesday night of heart trouble, will be held at 2 p. m. Friday from the Methodist church in Tensleep, with Rev. Dwight M. Kitch officiating.

The boy was born in Cheyenne, Wyo., July 1, 1931.

Besides his mother and father, he is survived by a brother, Homer, and two sisters, Dorothy and Marguerite.

Burial will be in the Tensleep cemetery in charge of the Veile mortuary.

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