

## **BERTHA ANN JARRETT**

### **1942-1947**

Researched and compiled by Faye Bell (SLC) with help from Webby Jarrett (older brother of Bertha Ann Jarrett, Springfield, NE) and Ancestry.Com, U.S. Census, etc.,

Bertha Ann Jarrett was born during WW II (July 8, 1942) in Worland, WY, the daughter of Web (Wilbur Clyde and Bertha Mae Boyle Jarrett. Her life was a short one and she joined her brother who was born and died on October 24, 1937, William Douglas Jarrett , the first infant of the Web Jarrett family. Her older brother, Webby Jarrett reports that his little sister had been very excited about attending Kindergarten in the fall of 1947, but on her birthday, July 8, 1947, they could not wake her. Spinal meningitis had full hold over the child and although they hastened by July 12 to fly her to Casper for additional medical help, she passed away on their arrival at Casper, WY four days after her 5<sup>th</sup> birthday.

<p><b>Bertha Jarrett Becomes Victim Of Meningitis</b></p> <p>A victim of cerebral meningitis, Bertha Ann Jarrett, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Jarrett of Worland, died Saturday while enroute by plane to Casper for medical treatment. She was stricken last Wednesday night, but her condition became worse, necessitating the flight to Casper.</p> <p>She was born in Worland July 8, 1942 and is survived by her father and mother, two sisters, Barbara Lou and Lora Mable; one brother, Wilbur Edward; her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Lora Boyle; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Jarrett; several uncles and aunts, including Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Jarrett, and Bob Jarrett. She was preceded in death by one brother, William Douglas, her maternal</p>	<p>grandfather, William Boyle, and two uncles, Parker Boyle and Harold Jarrett.</p> <p>A private service in charge of Rev. Redmond will be held at the maternal grandmother's home. Burial will be in the Ten Sleep cemetery.</p> <hr/> <p><b>Livestock Prices At Denver Soar To New Record</b></p> <p>DENVER — (U.P.) — Livestock prices here were at a new high last night, after zooming as much as \$1.25 a hundredweight.</p> <p>Reason for the rise was the low supplies of animals reaching the stockyards, according to stockyard officials.</p> <p>A new high of \$29 was paid for steers. Fat heifers brought \$27.25, only 75 cents below the record made last October.</p> <p>Officials said they expected prices to drop again within a few weeks.</p>
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