

John (Jack) L. Rebideau

1884 - 1951

Services Held for Big Trails Man

John Jack Rebideau was born at Lander, March 17, 1884. He died at a local hospital at the age of 67.

The Rebideau family lived on a ranch near Lander until the year 1908, when they moved to the Upper Nowood country. The parents engaged in ranching and Jack worked for neighboring ranchers.

In 1914, Jack and Miss Margaret Skinner, a teacher, were married. Three children were born to this union, Harold of Ten Sleep, Lucretia Patterson of Ellensburg, Wash., and Charlotte Grosman of Seattle, Wash.

In 1918 Mr. and Mrs. Rebideau purchased a ranch where they lived until 1923 when they moved to his brother Charlie's ranch, which they bought in 1927. Here they were engaged in the cattle business until Mrs. Rebideau's death Jan. 2, 1946. Jack and Harold carried on until, because of Jack's failing health, he leased the ranch livestock and equipment to Rudy Herbst in the fall of 1950.

Jack and Harold spent the winter months in California, Oklahoma and Texas, and returned to Ten Sleep in the spring, where they rented a cabin. On August 1 they purchased a house in Ten Sleep.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Ten Sleep Methodist church with Rev. Edward White in charge. The Ladies Quartette, Mrs. Roy Shriver, Mrs. Cecil Spaulding, Mrs. Sam McPike and Mrs. Vernon Rice, accompanied by Mrs. Verna Davis sang old familiar hymns.

Pallbearers were Ed Beckley, Jim Lewis, Smile Davis, Brooks Egbert, Howard Allred and George Marple.

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