

d. Feb. **RUTH NOTTAGE** 20, 1937

Miss Ruth Nottage, daughter of W. J. Nottage, former Graphic co-publisher, passed away at Emanuel hospital, Portland, last Saturday following an illness of some time.

Ruth Nottage was born at St. Paul, Minn., January 3, 1899, and was 38 years, 1 month, and 17 days old at the time of death.

She came to Hillsboro, Ore., with the family in April, 1908 and to Newberg in April, 1912. When but a child she gave herself definitely to the Saviour and during her subsequent life was a faithful and devoted christian. Long before she had finished her high school course she became a teacher in the Sunday school and continued regularly in that department of the work of the church. Those who worked with her loved her and testify to her fine christian character and ability as a teacher in the Sunday school. She was one of those beautiful souls who lived quietly and yet wielded an influence for good wherever she went.

After graduating from Newberg high school she attended and graduated from the state normal school at Monmouth, Ore. She then taught for a time in Hood River, later for two years at Marshfield, Ore., and then for seven years in the schools at Las Vegas, Nev.

In 1930 she returned to Newberg and made her home here for more than two years when she was called to Seattle and was employed as a governess till she became ill and was brought to Portland October 6, and placed in the hospital there. She came home October 26, apparently on the way to recovery but did not improve as was expected and was then returned to the hospital in Portland December 30, where, in spite of all the care that loving hearts could give and the skill of the best physicians and surgeons that could be found to restore her to health, she answered the summons to her eternal home.

She is survived by her father, W. J. Nottage; her brother, Howard, and her grandmother, Mrs. A. M. Bohall.

Funeral services were held from the chapel of C. A. Hodson & Son at 2 p. m. Tuesday, Rev. C. C. Rarick, officiating, assisted by Rev. E. B. Lockhart. Interment was in the local cemetery.