

Knepper, SAYRE d. 6-28-1938

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SAYRE KNEPPER
DIED JUNE 28

Sayre Knepper, formerly a resident of Collins, died Tuesday night, June 28, 1938, at 11:30 o'clock at Harbor View hospital, Seattle, Wash. He was born in or near Collins on July 27, 1883, and grew to manhood in the vicinity of Collins. He was the son of the late Dr. N. W. Knepper and Effie Hunt Knepper, both early residents of the Collins and Clyde neighborhoods. His mother passed away many years ago, when Sayre was a mere boy. His father for many years was one of the leading practicing physicians of Story county, and

particularly in the vicinity of Collins. Sayre attended the Collins schools during his boyhood days and will be remembered by all of the older residents of this vicinity. His later years were spent in the West and about the last eight years of his life were spent in hospitals for treatment. Shortly prior to his death he was released from one hospital, as he had grown so tired of hospital life. The release, however, proved to be too much for his physical condition and he was taken back for further care.

His only living relative or friend to be near him at the last was his aunt, Mrs. Ada Knoll, who resides at Warden, Wash.

His life and the ending of it was considered by those who knew him best, as more or less of a tragedy.

His body was cremated under the direction of the hospital attendants.