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Esteemed Verdon Lady Dies in Minneapolis

Mrs. Alma Mereness, widow of the late Charles Mereness, of Verdon, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles W. Landin, in Minneapolis, Saturday, following an illness which became steadily worse since the death of her husband. Her health became impaired during his illness, and after his death assumed proportions which led her to Rochester for relief. A month's examination at Rochester convinced the doctors that nothing could be done for her, and she went to the home of her sister to spend her last days.

Alma C. Clemensen was born near Conde on June 11, 1883. She was united in marriage to Charles H. Mereness on November 6, 1905, and to this union were born three children: Alvin L., Charles Harlan, and Leland Everett, all of whom, together with her mother, Mrs. Lena Clemensen, of Minneapolis, and several sisters and brothers are left to mourn her loss. The sisters are: Mrs. Thos. Tollefson, Verdon; Mrs. Charles Landin, Minneapolis, and Miss Maybelle Clemensen, of New York City. The brothers are: Dan Clemensen, of Verdon; Sam Clemensen, of Conde; Manoah Clemensen, of Conde, and Harold Clemensen, of Minneapolis.

The funeral was held at the Christian church, Verdon, Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. E. Booth, of Aberdeen, and the remains were laid to rest beside those of her husband in Groton cemetery.

Mrs. Mereness was a lady greatly beloved by all who knew her and her death is the source of widespread sorrow throughout this section of Brown county.