

Lloyd Briner Dies Here March 21

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Lloyd E. (Smoky) Briner, age 74, passed away on Wednesday, March 21, 1973, at the Platte County Memorial Hospital after an extended illness.

Mr. Briner was born in Melcher, Iowa on August 31, 1898. He married Verda Fulk on November 6, 1941, in Kimball, Nebraska.

Mr. Briner has been a resident in the Wheatland area since 1919 where he was employed as a policeman until retired and was also a farmer.

Mr. Briner served with the Navy in World War I, World War II, and the Korean War. He was a member of the V. F. W. and was an Honorary Member of the Wheatland Fire Department.

He is survived by his wife, Verda Briner; one daughter, Cleo Briner of Wheatland; one brother, Loren Briner, of Guernsey, Wyoming; and one sister, Sylvia Cleveland, of Knoxville, Iowa.

Services were held on Saturday, March 24, 1973, at 2:00 p.m. at the Schrader Chapel with the Rev. Elliott Graves officiating. Interment was at the Wheatland Cemetery with Military services at the graveside.

Pallbearers were, Kenneth Hermann, Eldon Randall, Jim Bohl, Bill Dannar, Bill Baker, and Laurence Swallow.

Honorary Pallbearers include Wm. I. Sutherland, Doyle Hutchinson, and Ed Stanker.