

CHASE, JAMES ELI
November 23, 1878-May 8, 1966

Funeral services for James Eli Chase, a retired rancher, were held at the Schrader Chapel on May 8 at 2:00 p.m. with Rev. Delbert Dick officiating. Interment was in the Wheatland cemetery.

Mr. Chase was born in Tama County, Iowa on November 23, 1878 and moved to the Wheatland area in 1905. He was married to Clara E. Grant in Cheyenne on June 23, 1916. He was claimed by death at the Platte County Memorial Hospital on May 8, 1966 after a short illness.

Survivors include his children, Mrs. James E. (Ruth) Irvine, Jr. of Wheatland, and Mrs. Floyd (Marie) Dickerson, Scobey, Mont.; sister, Mrs. Florence Willcuts, Long Beach, Calif.; nine grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren. His wife preceded him in death in 1961.

Serving as casket bearers were Richard Chase, Ed Chase, Cecil Chase, Don Willcuts, Robert Grant and Donald Wilson.