EDWARD RAYMOND COX

4-2-1983

Services for Edward Raymond Cox, 62, who died Saturday, April 2, 1983 in Cheyenne, were held April 4, in the United Methodist Church in Wheatland with Rev. Virgil Lamm officiating.

Edward Cox was born February 21, 1921, in Blockton, Iowa, the son of John and Millie Brown Cox. He received his education in Blockton, graduated from high school in Bedford, Iowa, and then entered the U.S. Army for four years, serving in France.

After being discharged, he returned to the family farm in Iowa. He married Norma Short in 1950 in Blockton. In 1954, they moved to Thermopolis, where he worked in construction. He went to Riverton to work for the REA in 1959 and then moved to Wheatland in 1962, where he worked until his retirement in June of 1982.

He was a member of VFW in Thermopolis.

Besides his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Janice Wilson of Wheatland; four brothers, Lewis, Jim, and Vernon of Bedford and Clifford of Lincoln, Nebr.; one sister, Lorene Beck of Lenox, Iowa and two grandchildren.

His parents and a sister preceded him in death.

A memorial in his name has been established to the Platte County Memorial Hospital.

Interment was in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Schrader-Prell Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.