

Frank J. Rumsey, 75, died at his home Friday, Sept. 17, 1982.

He was born in Wheatland July 21, 1907, the son of Edward and Lillian Rumsey. He was raised on the family farm south of Wheatland and received his education here, graduating from the Wheatland High School in 1925.

He assisted his brother, Harold in the operation of Rumsey Transfer. When Harold died, Frank continued to own and operate Rumsey Transfer until his retirement in 1968.

Rumsey was associated with the funeral home in Wheatland for many years. He worked during three periods of ownership with the same firm. He will be remembered by many of the families he helped serve in that capacity. He was truly a professional funeral man who would take the time to go to someone's aid day or night when they were in need of an ambulance or if a death occurred.

He will also be greatly missed by those people who worked with him. He was a friend and a gentleman, always available to lend a hand or an ear to his associates.

Rumsey and his wife Georgia were the original owners of the Little Dutch Maid laundromat which has since become the Spic and Span Launderama. They continued to manage the laundry until recent months.

He served as president of the Wheatland School Board during the construction of the new Libbey School, was a member of Wheatland Lodge No. 16 AF and AM, the Wyoming Consistory and the Royal Arch branch of the Masonic Lodge. For years he served as DeMolay Dad in conjunction with the local Masonic Lodge.

He is survived by his wife, Georgia; three sons, Rick and Bernard Rumsey of Wheatland and Harold of Boise, Idaho. Surviving also is his sister, Pearl Rumsey of Wheatland and 10 grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents and an infant son, brother, Harold and sister Hazel.

Services were held Tues. Sept. 21, 1982 at the United Methodist Church in Wheatland with Pastors Delbert Dick and Virgil Lamm officiating. Burial was in the family plot in the Wheatland Cemetery, with Masonic graveside services

A memorial has been established in his name to the Laramie Peak Museum.