

**VIRGEL GRANT STUMBOUGH**

Services for Virgel G. Stumbough, 78, who died at Wheatland April 1, were held Tuesday at 2 p.m. in the Schrader-Prell Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Roy Gilliland officiating.

Stumbough was born Jan. 29, 1907 at Dean Lake, Mo., the son of Josie and Sara Stumbough. After the death of his father he moved with his family to Scottsbluff, Neb., where he was reared and educated.

As a young man he worked various construction jobs in the area.

In June, 1940, he and Inez Erickson were married. They spent most of their time in Wyoming where he was associated with several construction firms.

After his retirement in 1972 they lived in Wheatland.

He was a member of the Operating Engineers Local Union No. 400 at Helena, Mont.

Survivors include his wife Inez of Wheatland; a brother, Homer Stumbough of Spokane, Wash.; a sister, Mary Ellen Hicks of Weiser, Idaho; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, six brothers and one sister.

Memorial contributions in his name may be made to the Platte Co. Memorial Hospital.

Burial was in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Schrader-Prell Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.