

JOHNSON, IRA EDWARD
December 10, 1882-October 1, 1972

Ira Johnson passed away at the Platte County Memorial Hospital, Sunday, October 1, 1972 after an extended illness.

Mr. Johnson was born in Mondamin, Iowa on Dec. 10, 1882. He was married to Bessie Brown on May 27, 1914 at Hollyoke, Colo. He had live here since 1918 with prior resident at Alliance, Neb. He was affiliated with the Methodist Church and the Antelope Gap Grange organization.

Survivors include three sons Richard Johnson and Bill Johnson, of Wheatland, and Gene Johnson of Sheridan, and two daughters, Mary Cox, of Wheatland and Lucille Knudson of Cheyenne. One sister Pearl Darvean, of Alliance, Neb. Also 11 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren. His wife Bessie preceded him in death.

Services were held Tuesday, Oct. 3, 1972 at 2:00 at the Methodist church in Wheatland, with Rev. Edward L. Haldy, and Rev. Elliott Graves officiating. Interment was at the Wheatland Cemetery. Pallbearers: Bill Boyd, Pete Johnson, Albert Weber, Jim Valentine, John Thalken, Gay Robbins. Honorary pallbearers were Sam Goit, O.A. Knight, Percy Laycock, Oscar Throckmorton, Ralph Hall, Archie McAuley, and Jim Angle.

Friends who wish may contribute to the Platte County Memorial Hospital Memorial Fund for additional chair beds.