

LAWRENCE, THOMAS C.
July 30, 1870-March 2, 1957

Last rites were held from the Schrader Chapel Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30 p.m. for Thomas C. Lawrence, 86, who passed away at the Wheatland General Hospital March 2, 1957.

Mr. Lawrence was born July 30, 1870, in Columbus, Nebr. and died after being hospitalized one month. He was a retired construction worker and had made his residence in Wheatland for the past 67 years. He was a member of the American Legion and had served in the Spanish-American War. He was also affiliated with the Baptist church, being a charter member. He was united in marriage Dec. 23, 1912 to Lydia M. Lawrence in Kimball, Nebr.

Rev. Edward Watke, Jr. officiated at the funeral services and burial was made in the Wheatland cemetery with military honors at the graveside.

Besides his wife, he is survived by six sons, Paul and Albert of Wheatland, Roaby of Lowell, Mass., Freeman of Los Angeles, Calif., and Thomas of Rawlins; one daughter, Mrs. Ruby Lane of Lowell, Mass.; one brother, Henry Wheeler, Lowell, Mass. Fourteen grandchildren and four great grandchildren also survive.

Pallbearers were Sam Isabell, Frank Kuehner, Glen Whinery, James Ross, Vern Blodgett and Wm. Danner.