

R.W. Bill Lebsack

Services for R.W. "Bill" Lebsack, 66, who died in Cheyenne Oct. 9, 1987, were held Tuesday, Oct. 13 at 1 p.m. in the United Church of Christ with Rev. Delbert Dick officiating.

Born December 17, 1920, in Windsor, Colo., he was the son of William and Elizabeth Lebsack. He moved with his family to the Wheatland area where they farmed. He received his education in the Wheatland schools, then entered the U.S. Army during World War II.

Lebsack served in the Pacific and received the Purple Heart from injuries sustained there. Upon being discharged from the service he returned to Wheatland where he married Mary McDonald Moss. The couple farmed in this area until he and Mary moved into town 14 years ago. He then managed the Kelley Bean Company until retirement.

Survivors include his wife Mary of Wheatland; a son, Rev. Don Moss of Austin, Texas; a daughter, Coleen Gallagher of Englewood, Colo.; three brothers: Richard and Larry Lebsack of Wheatland and Stan Lebsack of Santa Maria, Calif.; five sisters: Pauline Dinges of Denver, Edna Ward of Kansas, Delores English, Ruby Miller of Dwyer, Glyda Gearhart of Broomfield, Colo.; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by two sisters, Clara and Elsie.

Memorial contributions in his name may be made to either the Disabled Veterans or to St. Patrick's Catholic Church Building Fund.

Burial was in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Schrader-Prell Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.