

WEST, WILLIAM ROBERT
November 3, 1873-June 23, 1944

Last rites were conducted Monday, June 26, in the First Baptist church for W.R. West, 70, who died in the Wheatland General hospital June 23, following four week's confinement. The Rev. Charles F. Thomas, former pastor of the local Baptist church, now of Florence, Colo., assisted by the Rev. Harry Allen, officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cossman, Lowell Clark and daughter Eileen, accompanied by Mrs. John Bohmont, sang.

William Robert West was born at Lorton, Nebr. on November 3, 1873 to Richard and Elizabeth West. He was united in marriage to Maude E. Miekle in Great Falls, Mont. on February 24, 1903, and to this union, a son was born. In 1906, the family moved to Wheatland where they have since resided. Mr. West, a retired farmer, was affiliated with the First Baptist and served as president of the Wyoming Baptist State convention for several years. He was a member of the local Odd Fellows lodge.

Besides his wife, he is survived by a son, Carl; one brother, Elmer West of Eagle, Nebr.; two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers included O.O. Hohnholt, Roger Mills, Arlo Goodrich, Leonard Weber, Charles V. Woolsey, and C.B. Cox. Burial was in the Wheatland cemetery with the Schrader Funeral home in charge of arrangements.