

ROBERT W. WIGGAM

1993

Robert W. Wiggam, a farmer and rancher from the Midway community died Saturday, Aug. 20 at Memorial Hospital in Cheyenne.

Wiggam was born in Sedgwick, Colo., June 23, 1918. He spent his childhood in the Wheatland area and graduated from Wheatland High School. As a young man he worked on the Seminole Dam during its construction.

He served as a motor machinists mate in the navy in World War II on a mine sweep in the Asiatic Pacific. Upon his return from the war he married Naomi Goertz in 1947 and started farming the Cheyenne and White Crest areas where he served the community as a school board member, fire district officer and a carpenter.

He was a member of the Golden Prairie Church, Wheat Growers Association and the Masons.

He was preceded in death by his parents Robert and Nettie, one sister Olive, four brothers: Pete, Bud, Billy, Deb and one son Robert Wray Jr. He is survived by his wife Naomi, three sons Bill, Hillsdale; Boyd, Carpenter; Michael, Cheyenne; five grandchildren Boyd Otho, Kassie, Preston, Tracey, and Lisa.

Services were held at Schrader Funeral Home in Cheyenne, August 23, 1993 and burial was at Wheatland.

Friends who wish may contribute to the National Asthma Center, 3800 East Colfax Avenue, Denver, Colorado or the Golden Prairie Baptist Church, Burns.