Eya Bealey

Long time Wheatland resident, Eva Louise Sarah Bealey, passed away Friday, Sept. 14, 1979, at the Platte County Memorial Hospital. She was 90.

Funeral services were held Monday, Sept. 17, 1979, at Schrader-Prell Funeral Chapel with Rev. Gordon Grant officiating. Burial was in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Serving as pallbearers were Harold Hobson, Tom McGuire, Frank Schreyer, Frank Rumsey, Bernard McGuire, and Ed Kentig, Schrader-Prell Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Louise was born in Cosby, Missouri and at a very young age she moved with her family to Kansas. They lived on a farm and when Louise's mother died, she was given the responsibility of the household duties and raising her four brothers. She taught school there for awhile.

She and Jesse Norton Bealey were married May 11, 1911 in Kansas. The couple came to Wheatland where they lived on a farm north of town until 1931. They then moved to a ranch west of Wheatland where they lived until 1971 when they moved into town. The couple raised a family of nine children on the farm and ranch.

Louise is survived by three sons, Francis of Salem, Ore., Charles of Denver, Colo., and Robert of Wheatland; five daughters, Diana Lawrence of Salem, Ore., Rosalind Bealey of Cheyenne, Doris Bealey of New Providence, N. J., Thelma Lythgoe of Sacremento, Calif., and Esther Osler of Chevenne; two brothers, Adolph Oschse of Denver, Colo. and Edward Oschse of Seneca, Kan.; 12 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren and one great great grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Jesse, Jan. 4, 1974; one daughter, Violet Bealey; and two brothers.

A memorial has been established to the Platte County Memorial Hospital Nursing Wing.