

Norten Henry Dablemont

April 17, 1908-March 18, 2000

Graveside services and interment for Nortén Henry Dablemont, 91, were held Wednesday, March 22, 2000 at 2 p.m. at the Wheatland Cemetery with Andy Gudahl, Minister of the First Christian Church officiating.

Mr. Dablemont, a former resident of Wheatland, died Saturday, March 18, 2000 in Fremont, Calif.

Norten was born April 17, 1908, in Moberly, Mo., the son of Victor Louis and Izora (Mallory) Dablemont.

He was reared and educated in the nearby community of Rolla, Mo.

As a young man he was adventuresome and lived and worked in various places including Illinois, California and Wyoming. While in Wyoming he worked at the Miller Ranch and then for the forest service.

He married Leota Stough in Dwyer, Wyo. on June 21, 1928 and they homesteaded south of Laramie Peak.

During World War II they moved to the West Coast where Nortén worked in the shipyard and then joined the United States Army serving in the Philippines. When he was discharged the family returned to Wheatland where he owned and operated a sawmill until his retirement in 1973.

After retiring he continued to live in Wheatland until 1984 when he moved to Torrington, Wyo. and then spent summers in Wyoming and winters in Florida. In 1991 he returned to Rolla to live on the family farm until moving to Fremont in 1998 to live with his daughter and her family. Nortén enjoyed rock collecting and reading.

He survived by three daughters, Sher Grisham and husband, Bob of Fremont, Marla Bareiter and Marsha Rolland both of Collinsville, Ill.; a sister, Nellie Walls of Rolla; eight grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; five brothers; three sisters; and a daughter, Sandra Sue Simmons on December 3, 1998.

Memorials to a charity of the donor's choice would be appreciated by the family.

Platte Funeral Chapel of Wheatland was in charge of the arrangements.