HOFFMAN, HOMER E. May 22, 1882-June 25, 1966

Pioneer rancher, Homer E. Hoffman, succumbed in the Platte County Memorial Hospital on June 25, 1866 after an illness of three days. A resident of the Wheatland area since 1895, he was born in Sigourney, Ia. on May 22, 1882 and resided in Iowa and Colorado before moving here and homesteaded in 1904. In his younger years, he worked in Douglas for the Carrouthers ranch, was employed for the railroad as a pumping agent at Uva and Orin Junction, and also carried mail at one time via horseback in the Fish Creek area. He served many years on the school board.

Mr. Hoffman was married to Jane Mabel Beggs on July 29, 1914 in Wheatland. She preceded him in death on June 16, 1947. He was a member of the Methodist church, AF & AM No. 16, Wyoming Stock Growers Assn. and the Laramie Peak Stock Growers Assn.

Survivors include his children, John of El Cerrito, Calif., Mrs. Julia Butler of Wheatland, Mrs. Jane Wilson of Lakeside, Nebr.; brother, A.E. Hoffman of Wheatland; sisters, Mrs. Orvel Bridgmon of Wheatland and Mrs. H.R. Sherwood, Anaheim, Calif. and eight grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Rev. Henry Hartberg and Rev. Irvin Noyce at the Methodist church at 2:00 p.m. on June 28, 1966.

Masonic services were held at the graveside in the local cemetery. Serving as casket bearers were Sonny Criss, Neal Hanks, Norman Hanks, Arnold Hanks, William Goodrich and Dale Butner.

It is requested that memorials be made to the Platte County Memorial Hospital.