marriage to Miss Electra Dot Hastings, July 22nd, 1914, and to this union was born four sons, Robert, Richard and Lowell, one dying in infancy.

He was initiated in the A.F. & A.M. November 16, 1913.

Thus the say "In the midst life, we are in death", is again exemplified. In the midst of an active, busy, constructive life, a life filled with the brightest hopes, large plans and unremitting toil was suddenly called. Two weeks prior he had given a stirring address at a memorial service for the late Gov. Ross. Little did he, or anyone else, think that in a little more than two weeks someone would speak over his silent form. He was a man of sterling character, of strong convictions, yet of courteous and pleasing address, clean in thought and life, a loyal citizen, a true friend and a loving and devoted husband and father.

He will be sadly missed in all relations in our community, but most of all in the home. But he leaves an enviable memory of life well spent, work well done and a hope for the future.

Funeral services were held from the Methodist church Wednesday afternoon, followed by interment in the Wheatland cemetery.