Eugene Saum, aged 69 years, died at his home in Wheatland on Saturday night, following a long illness. Mr. Saum was one of the well known old-timers of Wheatland, who are so rapidly decreasing in number. Several years ago Mr. Saum and the late Charles Sears conducted a carpenter and contracting business, and later Mr. Saum and G. C. Pickering, now of Laramie, were partners in the same line of business for many years. Mr. Saum was also interested in mining and did a lot f prospect work in the hills west of town.

Mr. Saum was proceded in death by his wife some years ago. His brother, William Saum, of iVrginia, and his nephew of Detroit were here for the funeral which was conducted by Rev. Morgan from the Watson Mortuary on Monday afternoon at two o'clock. Burial was in the Wheatland cemet-