

## W.F. Hansen, 65

**PERSIA** — W.F. (Hine) Hansen, son of Edgar and Mabel Hansen was born May 14, 1916 in Persia. He was baptized in the Trinity Lutheran church in Persia and was a life time member.

On Dec. 14, 1938 he married Elceda Foje. He farmed in the Persia area until 1959 when he purchased an acreage in Persia town. He was a truck driver for Red-D-Mix Concrete until his health forced him to retire in 1974.

He was well known in the vicinity for his banjo playing at dances and special events. He died Friday Nov. 6, 1981 at his home.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two sisters, Marie Hughes and Mary Graybill. Survivors include his wife, Elceda, three sons, Wm. E. Hansen of Co. Bluffs; Robert and Terry of Persia, two daughters, Lois (Mrs Don) Tennigkeit of Persia and Shari (Mrs Dale) Ledford, one brother Bernard (Dude) Hansen of Carson, Calif. and other relatives.

Services were held Monday, Nov. 9, 1981 at Trinity Lutheran church in Persia with Rev. Leland Schmidt officiating. Burial was in the Valley View cemetery near Persia with Dennis Dollen, Gary Wilke, Frank Stoll, Harold Muell, Charles (Scotty) Todd and Tom Honeywell serving as casketbearers.

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