

JAMES E BULL
1890-1975

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James [Edward] Bull was born to Frank and Martha Bull in Wyoming the 2nd of March 1890 {Wyoming was made a State in 1890). There were three daughters and two sons born to the Frank Bull family: Gwendolyn, Gertrude, Bessie, Frank Jr. and James E. In 1900 (Fed Census) the family were living in Lovell, Big Horn County, Wyoming. In 1910 James was still single and is shown as a partner to Clarence Waln living on Spring Creek, Big Horn County. He married Claire [Topsy] Buckmaster, daughter of John Buckmaster of Spring Creek area in 1916 in Washakie County (Western States Marriage Index). By 1920, the couple had two small children: Goldie (2) and Wesley (8 months). Their son Wesley Bull was killed in a car accident which occurred in 1941 in Washakie County. They lived in Precinct 2 of Washakie County for a number of years and were back in Ten Sleep ca. 1965. James Edward Bull passed away in 1975.

Memories et al. I am sure that I saw Jim Bull sometime and have the distinct impression that he looked a lot like his brother Frank Bull, Jr. His WW I registration doesn't give detail on Ancestry.com which is unusual. Recently (April 30, 2013), Lyle Bader, Worland, WY, posted on *Facebook* a number of pictures and one of them featured Topsy [Claire] Bull and children about 1930's. fb

James Edward Bull

Funeral services for James Edward Bull were Monday at the Ten Sleep L.D.S. Church with Bishop Robert Swander officiating.

Bull died last Friday in the Washakie Memorial Hospital at the age of 84. He was born March 2, 1890 at Big Trails, the son of Frank and Martha Bull. He married Claire Buckmaster on July 16, 1916 in Thermopolis.

Bull was born on a ranch in the Big Trails country and spent his life running horses and cattle there with the exception of 15 years which he spent in Lander. He retired in 1965. He was a member of the L.D.S. Church.

He is survived by his widow, Claire, Ten Sleep; one daughter, Mrs. F.F. (Goldie) Veach, Millcreek; one step-brother, Arnold Wain, Ten Sleep; one step-sister, Mrs. Eula Egbert, Ten Sleep; nine grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by one son, Wesley, who died in 1941.

Burial was in the Ten Sleep Cemetery.