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Sheridan Methodist Church, officiat-
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Smith, he was born Oct. 10, 1927, in
Malcom, where he was raised and edu-
cated. He served in the U.S. Navy in
the late 1950s. Following his discharge,
he returned to Malcom.

He married Phyllis Alertsen in 1965
in Montezuma. He was employed at
Golden Sun Feeds for several years,
then worked as a farm hand in the
Malcom area. He retired in 1980, soon
after moving to Story city, then return-
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He is survived by two sons, Earl
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of Marengo; his former wife, Phyllis of
North English; four brothers, William
Smith of Barstow, Nev., James and
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