

February 27, 1990

Bessie Anderson

Bessie Anderson, 85, Groton, died at the Colonial Manor Nursing Home, Groton, Saturday, Feb. 24, 1990.

The funeral was held Tuesday, Feb. 27 at Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Groton. The Rev. Anne Maldoon officiated. Burial was in the Groton Union Cemetary under the direction of Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel.

A prayer service was held at the chapel Monday evening.

Bessie Peterson was born June 20, 1904 at Varna, Ill., to Amel and Anna

daughter; two sisters, Mrs. Cleo (Iva) Sweeney, Claremont, and Mrs. Joe (Alvie) Otto, Aberdeen.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, four brothers, three sisters.

Casketbearers were Charles Anderson, Gerald Atkinson, Glenn Cooper, Jack Kimball, George Nikolas, and Glen Peterson.

Organist was Mrs. Douglas Doeden. Ushers were Morris Spencer and Kenneth Frey.

Swanson Peterson. She married Raymond Anderson at Aberdeen, June 19, 1928. They lived in the Claremont area all of her life until 1970 when she moved to Groton.

She had been a member of Augustana Lutheran Church, rural Claremont, until she moved to Groton and was presently a member of Emmanuel Lutheran Church and a member of the church circle.

Survivors include a son, Richard Anderson, Claremont; a grand-