

August 29, 1984

Albert Bahr

Funeral services for Albert R. Bahr, 83, Groton, were held at 2 p.m., Tuesday, Aug. 21, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Ferney, with the Rev. Larry I. Geyer officiating.

Burial was in the Ferney Cemetery under the direction of the Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel, Groton.

Casketbearers were Clair Cowan, James Hoops, Bertell Martin, Harlan Radke, Otho Schaller and Darrel Sombke. All of his friends were considered honorary casketbearers.

Organist was Mrs. Dallas Sombke with David Suelz, soloist, singing, "Nearer My God To Thee". The congregation sang, "Rock Of Ages"; "I Know That My Redeemer Lives", and "I'm But A Stranger Here".

He died Saturday, Aug. 18, at home.

He was born May 8, 1901, at Groton. He married Elda Sombke November 28, 1928, at West Hanson Township. He served as a church elder for St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Ferney, was a member of the Lutheran Laymen League, served on the ASCS Board, served as Clerk of West Hanson Township and served on the West Hanson School Board.

As a child he lived in Montana for a short time, but spent the rest of his life in the Groton area. He was a retired farmer.

Survivors include his widow, Groton; one son, Arnold, Groton; one daughter, Mrs. James (Belva) Dobberpuhl, Aberdeen; and one granddaughter.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one son, one brother and two sisters.