

January 7, 1981

Gustave Carlson

Gustave Carlson, 101, died on Friday, Jan. 2, at the Groton Colonial Manor.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m., Monday, Jan. 5, at the Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel in Groton with the Rev. John Maines officiating. Burial was in the Groton Union Cemetery.

Music was provided by Mrs. John Maines who sang "Rock of Ages" and "What a Friend We Have in Jesus". She was accompanied by Mrs. Gene Cassels on the organ.

Casket bearers were Charles Strom, Marc Johnson, Alan Strom, Charles Johnson, Luverne Strom and Richard Strom.

Masonic graveside rites by the Groton Masonic Lodge No. 65 were conducted by Maurice Webb of Aberdeen.

Mr. Carlson was born on September 21, 1879, at Markaryd, Sweden. On October 11, 1910, he married Augusta Johnson at Hobart, Ind. He came to the Groton area in 1915 and had resided at the Colonial Manor since 1973.

He was a member of the United Methodist Church and the Groton Masonic Lodge No. 65.

Survivors include several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife.