

November 16, 1983

Marvin Erdmann

Services for Marvin (Tuffy) Erdmann, 66, retired Groton area farmer, were held at 2 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 9, at St. John's Lutheran Church in Groton, with the Rev. Dan Elkins officiating.

Burial was in the Groton Union Cemetery with military rites by the Groton American Legion Post #39. The Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Erdmann died Sunday at St. Luke's Hospital, Aberdeen. *Nov. 13*

Casketbearers were Tom Blair, Donald Koehler, Loel Larsen, Walter Schaller, Otto Schinkel and Ed Sundberg. All his friends were honorary casketbearers. Mrs. Eugene Neuman was organist and David Suelz, soloist, sang "The Lord's Prayer".

Mr. Erdmann was born April 7, 1917, at Verdon to Deno and Mabel Erdmann. He grew up in the Groton area and married Mildred Henderson November 11, 1939, at Groton. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II and farmed in the Groton area. He was chief of police at Groton 12 years and worked for B&W Elevator Supply 15 years. He was a member of the Groton American Legion Post and the 40 et 8 of Aberdeen.

Survivors include his widow; his mother, Groton; two daughters, Mrs. Wayne (Holly) Grosch, Tacoma, Wash.; and Mrs. Marsha Boyte, Corsicana, Tex.; two sisters, Mrs. James (Doris) Duffy, Sioux Falls; and Mrs. Verne (Beverly) McCullough, Groton; and three grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his father, one brother, one daughter and one son.