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Former Groton Resident Dies at St. Louis, Mo.

David Harris, 63, of St. Louis, Mo., passed away on August 6th, 1953, and was laid to rest in St. Marcus cemetery there.

Dave, as he was known as a boy, was born at Groton, S. D., on October 27, 1890, where he grew to manhood, later going to Aberdeen where he married the former Estella Hayes of Haynes, N. D. The couple soon moved to Chicago, Ill., and later to St. Louis, Mo.

His health had been failing during the past two years, but the end came unexpectedly following surgery at a St. Louis hospital.

Mr. Harris was preceded in death by his parents, George and Viola Harris, and sister, Mary, all of Groton.

Survivors include his wife, Estella, of St. Louis; three sisters, (Pearle) Mrs. A. W. Bonnell, Aberdeen, S. D.; Mrs. Portia Bolin, Cambridge, Minn., and (Irene) Mrs. Clarence Niven of North St. Paul, Minn. Three nephews and four nieces also survive.