

March 8, 1973

Earl Hobusch

Services for Earl J. Hobusch, 83, were held Saturday, March 3, at 2 p.m. in the Conde Methodist Church with the Rev. Richard Gould officiating. Burial was in the Conde Cemetery.

Mr. Hobusch died February 27 at Colonial Manor in Groton.

Mrs. Keith Taylor, organist, accompanied a ladies' quartet, Mrs. Wesley Grimes, Mrs. Ardon Morse, Mrs. Norbert Hearnen and Mrs. Lloyd Dirksen, who sang "In The Garden" and "Abide With Me."

Pallbearers were Henry Ball, Alan Brown, Ancel Cowle, Cyril Evans, Howard Thomas Jr. and Earl Hatfield. Usher was Arista Padfield.

Mr. Hobusch was born June 7, 1889, at Cincinnati, Ohio. He married Edna Borwell on Jan. 26, 1916, at Aberdeen. He was a farmer in the Verdon-Conde area since 1907. The last few years he made his home with his daughter, Mrs. W.H. (Ida) Poffenberger, at Bismarck, N.D., and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Melvin (Helen) Rossow, at Conde. He entered Colonial Manor at Groton last March.

Survivors include a son Bert Hobusch of Santa Fe Springs, Calif.; a daughter, Mrs. Poffenberger, Bismarck; four grandchildren; one great-grandson; and three sisters-in-law, Mrs. Rossow, Conde, Mrs. Marion Joy of Sioux Falls and Mrs. Willard (Lorraine) Bebo of Estherville, Iowa.

His wife and a brother, Wm., preceded him in death.

Paetznick - Garness Funeral Chapel was in charge of arrangements.