

May 9, 1968

David E. Lees

David E. Lees, 71, 1623 S. 2nd St., Aberdeen died Sunday morning at St. Luke's Hospital following a heart attack.

Services were held at 2 p. m., Wednesday, May 8 at the First Presbyterian Church there with the Rev. Kayton Palmer officiating. Burial was in Riverside Memorial Park Cemetery.

Mr. Lees was born Oct. 29, 1896 at Brewster, Minn. He attended grade school there and graduated from the Lakefield, Minn., high school. He enlisted in the Navy during World War I and served for the duration of the war. After his discharge he returned home and moved to Groton, where he was employed by the Bradshaw and Archer Co. On Nov. 9, 1922, he married Violet Preston of Groton at Aberdeen. They established their first home in Groton. In 1927 they went to Aberdeen, where he was employed by the National Biscuit Co. In 1931, he entered the employ of the United Biscuit Co., and was with that firm for 31 years until he retired six years ago.

Survivors include his widow; two daughters, Mrs. Wayne (Jacqueline) Davis, Aberdeen; and Mrs. Rod (Nancy) Barnes, Huron; one brother, three sisters and six grandchildren. His parents and a brother preceded him in death.