

June 11, 1970

## Mrs. Herman Nehls.

Funeral services for Mrs. Herman (Myrtle) Nehls, 84, a long time Groton-Ferney resident, were held Thursday, Feb. 26, at 2:00 p. m., at St. John Lutheran Church. The Rev. Russell Peterson officiating. Burial was in the Ferney cemetery.

She died Monday at St. Lukes Hospital in Aberdeen.

Pallbearers were Ralph Nehls, Richard Nehls, Lester Nehls, Eddy Nehls, Floyd Dobberpuhl and Lyle Nehls.

Mrs. Nehls was born on June 7, 1885 in Iowa to Jim and Nancy Lewis. She was married to John Simpson in Iowa and the couple came to South Dakota shortly afterwards and farmed in the Ferney area. To this union were born three sons and one daughter. Mr. Simpson died in 1919 with the war time flu. On August 14, 1928, she was married to Herman Nehls at Aberdeen. They made their home in the Ferney and Groton areas. Mr. Nehls died Jan. 16, 1946.

Survivors include three sons, Roy Simpson, Prosser, Wash., Luther Simpson, Denver, Colo., and Raymond Simpson, Minneapolis; one daughter, Mrs. John (Stella) Nehls, Groton; 14 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her two husbands, three brothers and three sisters.

Ackerson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.