

February 27, 1930

#### Gustave Pasch

Gustave Pasch, whose death occurred at 5:00 o'clock on Monday morning, was born September 14, 1856, in Pommern, Prussia, and came to the United States in 1872, and settled in Wisconsin. He came to South Dakota in 1880, and filed on a claim in Henry township, south of James. He lived here until 1906, when he moved to Groton, and since that time has been a resident of this city.

A year after he came to this section he returned to Wisconsin and married Miss Bertha Kendall. They were united in the holy bonds of wedlock, December 22, 1881, and in 1882, come back to South Dakota with his bride. To this union five children were born, two of them twins and who died in infancy 38 years ago. The remaining children are Ernest, of Groton; Mrs. Paul G. Tosch, of this city, and Gust., Jr., of Swift Current, Sask., Canada. His widow also survives him.

The funeral will be held from the home at 2 o'clock, Thursday afternoon, and at 2:30 in St. John's Lutheran church of this city. The obsequies will be in charge of Rev. F. E. Wilke, and the remains laid to rest in James cemetery.

Mr. Pasch has not enjoyed very good health for the past year and a half, and for the past year, almost has been confined to his room. His ailment was an incurable one, although everything known to science was done in his behalf. But long years and a gradual decrease in recuperative powers were more than he could stand and he passed to the great beyond on Monday morning.