December 30, 1965

Wilbur L. Rix

Services for Wilbur L. Rix were held Wednesday, Dec. 22, in the Presbyterian church with the Rev. Robert Carey officiating. Burial was in the Groton cemetery.

Music was furnished by Mrs. Amos Doeringsfeld and Mrs. Robert Carey as a duet, accompanied by Mrs. Joe Williams.

Active pall bearers were Dana Craig, Gordon Froehle, Clayton Gibbs, Otis Belden, Ed Sundberg and Earl Larson. Honorary pall bearers were Andrew Wehde, A. J. Schuelke, Jack Johnson, George Riggs, Wm. Koehler, G. Stroh, Marvin Harry and Randall Peterson.

Mr. Rix was born Feb. 17, 1890 in the Groton area. He was married to Edna Blair at Groton, Feb. 26, 1913. He was a past member of the Groton Farmers Elevator Board and of the school and township boards.

Survivors include his widow; one son, Robert, Groton; three daughters, Mrs. Herbert (Margaret) Bach, Minneapolis; Mrs. Jerrold (Mary) Donovan, and Mrs. Wayne (Patricia) Sanderson, both of Groton; seven brothers, James, Foster, Art, Floyd, Otho and Arden, all of Groton; and Bryan, Fresno, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. J. F. (Jesse) Sherman, Rapid City and Mrs. Joe (Ruth) Volk, Aberdeen; 18 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one sister, Mrs. William (Mabel) Shaw.

The Ackerson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.