

July 29, 1965

## Milton E. Sippel ✓

Services for Milton E. Sippel, 55 Groton businessman were held Monday at the Methodist church. Mr. Sippel died Friday, July 16 at St. Luke's Hospital in Aberdeen.

The Rev. K. Oliver Brekke officiated. Burial was in the Groton Union Cemetery.

Pall bearers were Ray Johnson, Robert Oliver, Otho Rix, Don Stablein, Ed Sundberg and Art Totzke.

Honorary pall bearers were William Koehler, Dean Kranhold, Ervin Meister, R. A. Richards, Merle Walter and Wendell Shoppe.

Music was provided by Myrtle and Margaret Blader who sang, "In the Garden" and "The Old Rugged Cross" accompanied by Mrs. Robert Wegner, organist.

Mr. Sippel was born Sept. 23, 1909, at Groton. He was married to Maxine Rand at Aberdeen, Nov. 17, 1934. He was a former livestock buyer and at one time was the leading buyer of livestock in the state. His business career in Groton spanned many years. He operated the former Corner Grocery Store and later Sippel's Meat Market and Lockers.

Survivors include one son, Jack, Groton; two daughters, Mrs. Larry (Barbara Pharis, Groton; and Mrs. Charles (Connie) Anderson, Claremont; one brother, Wesley, Groton; and five sisters, Mrs. Ronald (Ruth) Hume, Las Vegas, Nev.; Mrs. Andrew (Lillian) Wehde, Groton; Mrs. Paul (Lydia) Freden, Claremont; Mrs. Dave (Mildred) Sims, and Mrs. Jack (Esther) Sweeney, both of Chicago; and six grandchildren.

The Paetznick - Garness Funeral Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Out of town relatives and friends who attended were Mr. and Mrs. J. Sweeney, Mrs. Dave Sims of Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Peterson, Mrs. Irvin Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Rodgers, all of Huron; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stablein, Miami, Fla.; Mrs. Don Stablein, Mina and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson, Aberdeen.