

January 7, 1963

## Mrs. Hilda M. Andrews

Funeral services for Mrs. Hilda M. Andrews, were held Wednesday, Jan. 9, at the Methodist church in Britton with the Rev. Rodney Gist, officiating.

Burial was in the Groton union cemetery. Franzen Funeral Chapel, Britton was in charge of arrangements.

Music was furnished by soloist, Rodney Barnes and a duet by Mrs. Jesse Alberts and Rodney Barnes, accompanied by Mrs. M. J. Gross, organist.

Honorary pall bearers were Robert Stanley, Sam Curr, Clark Lamport, Al Akerson, Max Hinrichs, August Reyelts, Dale LaMee and Claude Steele. Active pall bearers were Geo., Harry, Elmer, John, Russell and Willard Andrews.

Mrs. Hilda Martina Andrews was born in northern Sweden on Sept. 11, 1884, to Aaron and Mathilda Klimp. She came to America when she was 6 months old. The family lived at Hamden, N. D., until she was married to John Edwin Andrews at Clitheral, Minn., on Dec. 3, 1902. Then they moved to Canada in 1912 and to Claremont, S. D. in 1921, where she lived until 1947, when she moved to Britton to make her home. She passed away at her home on Saturday evening, January 4th, at the age of 78 years.

Survivors include eight children, six sons, George of Claremont, Harry, Elmer and John of Britton, Russell of Aberdeen and Willard of Lake City, two daughters (Ellyce) Mrs. Lorenz Reyelts of Britton and (Gertrude) Mrs. Clinton Dunphy of Sauk Rapids, Minn., 32 grandchildren, 22 great grandchildren, and one brother, Agwald Klimp of Henning, Minn.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband in 1946, two brothers and one sister.