November 20, 1969

Chester E. Carmine

Services for Chester Edward Carmine, 87, of 211 7th Ave., SW, Aberdeen, a Brown County pioneer were held, Monday, Nov. 17 at the Scandinavia Lutheran Church in Gem township.

The Rev. David R. Rasmussen officiated and burial was in the Groton cemetery.

Mr. Carmine who had been in the insurance business in Aberdeen and earlier farmed in the Groton and Aberdeen areas, died Friday at St. Lukes Hospital.

He was a member of the Brown County Territorial Pioneers and of the Stratford Masonic Lodge.

Mr. Carmine was born at Avoca, Ia., Feb. 24, 1882, and the following year his family homesteaded near Groton. He attended Northern Normal and Industrial School and Dec. 27, 1911, married Alice Diehl in Gem township. The family moved to Aberdeen in 1952.

Surviving are his widow; a son, Chester Carmine Jr., San Lorenzo, Calif.; six daughters, Mrs. Gordon (Ruby) Hauauer and Mrs. Chester (Beulah) Flolo, both of Fremont, Calif.; Mrs. Adam (Goldie) Mardiah, San Leandro, Calif.; Mrs. Melvin (Wilma) Kumpf and Mrs. [illegible] (Mary Jane) Bernard, both of [illegible]deen and Mrs. Douglas (Shirley) [illegible] Deer Park, Tex.; two brothers, [illegible]armine, Pierre and Raleigh [illegible] Fargo, N. D.; 15 grandchil-