

January 13, 1933

Frederick W. Rock Dies Sunday at Age of 83

Frederick W. Rock, since 1892 a resident of this community, died at his home in Groton, Sunday, following an illness of two weeks. He was 83 years of age at the time of his death, or would have been next month.

Mr. Rock was born in Germany, February 6, 1850 and came to Groton in the year of 1892. He was married December 10, 1876 to Miss Paulina Janke, the ceremony taking place in Germany, and he at one time saw service in the German army.

Nine children were born to this union, six of whom are still living. Those left to survive him are: Mrs. H. J. Sweitzer of Twin Falls, Idaho; Otto and Wm. Rock of Groton; Frank Rock of Voltaire, N. D.; Herman of Stratford and Emil of Groton. Mrs. Rock died some time ago.

The funeral was held at the Paetznick undertaking parlors Wednesday at 2 p. m., conducted by Rev. E. W. Spence, and the remains were laid to rest in Groton cemetery.