

November 24, 1945

Mrs. Louisa Rossow

Funeral services for Mrs. Louisa Rossow, of Stratford, who passed away November 12th, at the Conde hospital at the age of 92 years, were conducted on Tuesday of last week at 10:00 a. m., at St. John's Catholic church in Groton. The Rev. Fr. E. J. Coyne officiated. Interment was in the family lot in West Rondell cemetery.

Pallbearers were—George Face, Ed. Samuelson, Ben Mathieu, Earl King, Herman Schinkel and John Ott.

Louisa Wiegler Rossow was born at St. Louis, Mo., on April 3, 1857, and moved to Alma, Wis., with her parents when five years of age, where she grew to womanhood. On November 14, 1889, she was united in marriage to William Rossow, at Alma, Wis. Shortly thereafter they came to South Dakota, where they homesteaded near Stratford and where the deceased resided ever since. Mrs. Rossow was the last survivor of a large group of pioneers who came from Buffalo county, Wis. She was a home-loving person and devoted her entire life to the welfare of her home and family. Her kind and friendly personality won for Mrs. Rossow the admiration of a host of friends who held her in high esteem.

Immediate survivors are her six children: William, Adolph and Alvina Rossow of Stratford; Mrs. Rose Kliegel and Joe Rossow of Watertown, S. D.; Louis Rossow of Whitewood, S. D., and also six grand children and four great grandchildren.

The many friends of the deceased in the surrounding community, extend sympathy to the family in the loss of their loved one.

Relatives from a distance attending the last rites were: Mrs. Louis Rossow and son, Dale, of Whitewood, S. D.; Mrs. Rose Kliegel and son, Lawrence and daughter, Marie, Joe Rossow and daughter, Mac, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Rossow and son, all of Watertown, S. D., and Mrs. Emma Nold of Wahpeton, N. D.