JOHNKE, Gustav William Frederick

October 7, 1898
Parker, South Dakota
December 17, 1947
northeast of Viborg

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Obituary

GUSTAV JOHNKE

Gustav William Frederick Johnke was born October 7, 1898, on a farm near Parker, S. Dak., the son of Henry and Sophie Johnke. He died suddenly on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 17, while completing his evening chores. He had attained the age of 49 years, two months, and 10 days.

He was baptized Jan. 22, 1899, at Parker and received his education in schools of that community. With the exception of four years from 1938 to 1942 when he worked for the State Highway Department, he has worked steadily at farming around Centerville. However, for the past five years he has lived on a farm northeast of Viborg.

On January 20, 1928, he was married to Miss Myrtle Anderson at Salem, S. Dak.

Besides his loving wife, Mr. Johnke is survived by his mother, Mrs. Sophie Johnke of Centerville; six brothers and four sisters. His father and two brothers preceded him in death.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express the deep appreciation I have for all the kind deeds performed for me during my sudden bereavement. Especially do I want to thank all those who brought food, those who sang and assisted at the services, those who sent flowers and cards of sympathy, and all others who may have assisted in any way whatsoever. Your kindness will never be forgotten.

Mrs. Gustav Johnke,
Mothers, Brothers, & Sisters