PETERSON, Jorgen

June 23, 1855
Denmark
July 29, 1938

Viborg Enterprise -
August 4, 1938

Jorgen Peterson
Father - Peder Jorgensen - Born 1818
D- 12-1894
Mother - Anne Katrine Smith
Born - 6-21-1829
Died - 12-11-1894
Both buried @ Rosehill Cem.
Viborg

PIONEER RESIDENT PASSED AWAY ON JULY 29TH

Funeral Services for Jorgen Peterson Held on Monday Afternoon

Jorgen Peterson was born June 23rd, 1855 at Vesterhasing, Fyn, Denmark. In 1870 he immigrated to America with his parents. The family established their home in Clay county, South Dakota.

On October 5, 1879 he was united in marriage to Anna Margaret Smith. After residing at Komstad, South Dakota for a period of two years the Peterson's moved to their farm home at Viborg, South Dakota.

He was preceded in death by his wife who died December 25th, 1929; and four daughters, Myrtle and Amanda, who died in childhood, Mrs. Emma Smith and Mrs. Cecelia Hansen.

Surviving him are four children, Peter and Arthur Peterson, Viborg, S. D.; Mrs. Jake Flint, Viborg, S. D., and Mrs. Mabel Smith, Grand Forks, North Dakota; seventeen grandchildren and four great grandchildren; two brothers, Lewis Peterson, Viborg, and Rasmus Peterson, Sioux City, Ia.

For the past several years Mr. Peterson continued to fail in health. The last sixteen months he was confined to his bed. Death called at 7:26 Friday morning, July 29th, 1938.

"As God leads, I am content,
He will take care;
All things by His will are sent;
That I must bear.
To Him I take my fear,
My wishes while I'm here;
The way will all seem clear
When I am There."

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon, August 1st, 1938, at the Methodist church of Viborg with the Reverend W. Morris Kildal officiating.

Interment was at the Rosekill cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to those who extended sympathy in our bereavement; to those who helped us in every way; and for the floral offerings.

The Jorgen Peterson children,
and families.