CHRISTENSEN, Anders (or Andreas) Christian

November 6, 1858
Denmark
February 14, 1935
Salem Township

New Era (Parker SD)

SALEM

Mr. Andeas Christensen died at his home in Salem township on Feb. 14. He has been in poor health for some time. Funeral services were held on Monday afternoon at his home and at the Danish Lutheran church. He was one of the pioneers of Salem township. He filed on his homestead in 1881 and has lived here since that time. He passed away at 76 years. A large number from this vicinity attended the funeral. Sympathy is extended to the Christensen family.

OBITUARY
ANDERS CHRISTIAN CHRISTENSEN

Anders Christian Christensen was born in Horsens, Denmark, Nov. 6, 1858 where he was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith. On February 20, 1881 he was united in marriage to Andrea Petersen. In the spring of that same year they immigrated from Denmark and came to the United States. They came to Turner county and took homestead the same fall. Mr. Christensen lived on the same quarter section which he homesteaded until the day of his death. He had been a man of good health until the last couple years when his strength began to fail. Last summer he was sick for many weeks and it looked as if the end was near, but God who is gracious added to his life a few months, now after a period of time of about 10 weeks sickness he passed away Feb. 14, 1935 being 76 yrs., 3 months and 8 days old. Two children have preceded their father death, namely, Garfield, 4 years and Alice 3 years old. He leaves to mourn his death his wife and their children, Peter, Henry, Andrew, Louis, Harry, Alice (Mrs. Geo. Bertelsen), Agnes (Mrs. Charlie Jensen), Alfred, Anna (Mrs. Nels Bertelsen), Mabel (Mrs. Freddy Christensen), soninlaws and daughter in laws, 37 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren, neighbors and many friends, among whom Mr. Christensen was highly esteemed and regarded.

For many years he was a member of the board of directors of the Viborg Co-Op. Lumber Co. In his home he was a faithful and loving husband and father. God bless his memory.

Funeral services were held, Feb 18 at the home and at the Spring Valley Lutheran church, Rev. N. P. Nielsen in charge of the services.

The pallbearers were Peter Hendricksen of Viborg, Harvey Jensen, Charley Mellegaard, George Mellegaard, Arthur Overgaard, Eddie Nelson.