

OSTROOT, George

April 26, 1889
Hartland, Minnesota
October 29, 1980
Viborg

Viborg Enterprise - November 6, 1980

SERVICES HELD FRIDAY FOR GEORGE OSTROOT

Funeral services for George Ostroot were held on Friday, Oct. 31, 1980 at 10:30 a.m. at the Bethany Lutheran Church, Viborg, S. Dak. Pastor Norman Wahl officiated. Organist was Mrs. James Oakland. Pastor Wahl sang "Just a Closer Walk With Thee" and the congregation sang "Amazing Grace."

Pallbearers were Arlo Andersen, Burdell Christensen, Keith Keller, Newell Sorensen, Robert Ward and Norman Jensen. Interment was at Rosehill Cemetery, Viborg, S. Dak.

George Ostroot, son of John and Anna Ostroot, was born at Hartland, Minn., on April 26, 1889.

He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith and was a member of Bethany Lutheran Church.

He grew up in Lake Preston and graduated from the high school there in 1908. He graduated from St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minn., in 1912. He was united in marriage to Marie Jurisdal at Cottonwood, Minn., June 30, 1914. She passed away in December of 1978.

Prior to purchasing the Viborg Enterprise in 1936, he was engaged in the education profession as a teacher, principal and superintendent in various schools in North Dakota, Minnesota, South Dakota and Idaho. He was also in the banking and insurance businesses.

He was a resident of Pioneer Memorial Nursing Home the past two years. He passed away at Pioneer Memorial on Wednesday, Oct. 29, 1980, at the age of 91 years, 6 months, and 2 days.

He leaves to mourn three sons, George Jr., of St. Louis, Mo., Norman of Viborg and Edward of South Gate, Ca.; six grandchildren, two great grandchildren; one brother Alvin Ostroot of Little Falls, Minn., and other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his wife, Marie, one son Delmore, two sisters and one brother.