RASMUSSEN, Chris

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Obituary

Chris Rasmussen

Chris Rasmussen was born on the island of Langeland, Denmark, Oct. 23, 1876. He came to the United States of America with his parents at the age of six years, settling at Freemont, Nebraska, where he grew to manhood. On July 6th, 1901 he was united in marriage to Christine Rode. To the union of these two people four children were born, two of whom died in infancy. The two surviving are Miss Vera of Viborg and Earl of Sioux Falls. The Rasmussens have lived in the Viborg community since 1911, and have made their home in the city for a period of 13 years. Mr. Rasmussen was an honored and respected member of The Danish Brotherhood Lodge of America, Viborg Chapter.

Mr. Rasmussen has not been well for a number of years. But it was a shock to the community to learn of his death on. Thursday morning, Feb. 4th. He had been confined to his bed for about ten days. He attained the age of 66 years, 3 months and 7 days.

Besides his widow and two children, Mr. Rasmussen is mourned by two sisters; Mrs. Laura Pasquill of Butte, Montana, and Mrs. Anna Meadville of Los Angeles, California, and a brother, Christian Rasmussen of Freemont, Neb., and a great number of friends.

We pray that the peace of God will go with Mr. Rasmussen and that his memory will be blessed. And we pray God's blessing and comfort upon those who mourn.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon, from the home at 1:30 and the South Lutheran Church at 2:00. Rev. Harris A. Jespersen was the officiating pastor, assisted by Rev. H. Stall-knecht, who spoke in the Danish language. Fraternal Burial Association was in charge of funeral arrangements. Interment was on Rose Hill cemetery.