

## Henry O. Hansen, 84

Henry O. Hansen, son of Carsten and Carsten and Christina Johansen Hansen, was born Dec. 8, 1898 at Walnut, and died Oct. 11, 1982 at Cass co. Memorial hospital after a long illness at his home and in the hospital.

He attended Walnut school and was married to Lula Longnecker of Walnut on Dec. 7, 1921 at Avoca. They farmed in the Walnut and Atlantic area before moving to Atlantic, where he was employed by an implement company and later was greenskeeper at the country club. They had three daughters.

In 1953 they moved to Walnut, where he worked as a carpenter and later for a lumber company, retiring in 1964.

The couple celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Dec. 3, 1971 and Mrs Hansen died Feb. 15, 1972. In 1974 he moved to Peace Haven in Walnut, and on Nov. 18, 1976 was married to Ruth Grant.

He was a member of Peace United Church of Christ, past Noble Grand of the Odd Fellows Lodge, member of the Atlantic Elks Lodge, the PSC Wildlife Club and XYZ Senior Citizens of Walnut.

Surviving are his wife, Ruth; three daughters, Mrs Duane (Shirley) Acker of Manhattan, Kan., Mrs Glenn (Norma Jean) Jones of Shell Knob, Mo., and Mrs Gerald (Marilyn) Jones of Walnut; a brother, George P. Hansen of Walnut; a sister, Mrs Willianda Hogen of Omaha; six grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his first wife; a son, Gary; two sisters,

Wilma Hansen and Edna Marshall.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Peace United Church of Christ in Walnut, with the Rev. Bruno Romanowski officiating."

Honorary bearers were Carl Langbehn, Raymond Towne, Raymond Stamp and Leo Thurnan. Bearers were Earl Wiechmann, Charles Thurman, Clifford Christensen, Emil Brehmer, Lester Brehmer and Walter Jones. Burial was in the Walnut cemetery.