

Nickoli Nelson

MINNESOTA — Nickoli Nelson, age 89 died at Osakis, Minn., Monday, Febr. 21, 1977. He was born in Norway, near Trondhjem, in 1887. He immigrated to America in 1904. After spending several years in Illinois and Minnesota he came to Wright county, near Belmond. He married Emelia Oscarson and to this union eight children were born. Mr Nelson was a farmer until 1957. Mrs Nelson died in 1966. Since then he has lived with his two daughters, Ruth and Esther at Belmond and Osakis, Minn.

He was preceded in death by one daughter in childhood. Survivors include four sons - Norris Nelson of Scarville, Rev Clifford Nelson of Harlan, Rev Everett Nelson of Roland and Reuben Nelson of Belmond; three daughters - Mildred (Mrs Alfred) Meyer of Toledo, Ohio, Esther (Mrs Roy) Larson of Osakis, Minn., and Ruth (Mrs Russell) Lonnevik of Belmond, one sister Nickoline in Norway, and one brother, Einar in Chicago, Ill., 30 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

Services were held at St. Olaf Lutheran church, west of Belmond on Thursday, Feb. 24, 1977. Burial was in the church cemetery.