

### **S. Abrahamson, 90, Dies At Duchess**

Svend Abrahamson, 90-year-old native of Norway, died at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Hansen, Duchess, on Saturday, October 17 at 11:30 p.m.

The late Mr. Abrahamson was born in Norway on December 10, 1853, and had lived in Canada for twenty-six years. He came from the old country to settle in Kansas, where he farmed, but came to Canada in 1917.

Surviving are his widow, who is ninety-one years of age and known throughout the community as "Grandma" Abrahamson; two sons, John in Calgary and Peter of Lexington Kansas; two daughters, Mrs. Helmer Hansen and Mrs. John Hansen, both of Duchess.

The funeral service was held from the Duchess Mennonite Church on Wednesday, October 20, with Clarence J. Ramer conducting last rites. Pallbearers were: Chris Jacobsen, Martin Rebne, Alfred Olset, E. Torkelson, G. Grosfield and J. Nielsen. Burial was made in the Duchess Cemetery.

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