

## Frank Peschel Dies Friday

Frank Peschel, a long time resident of Nebraska and this community, died at St. Joseph Hospital here on Friday, August 21. Mr. Peschel had been in falling health for several years and had been hospitalized for 15 days prior to his death.

He was born the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Peschel on March 9, 1879, in Austria. He moved with his parents when 7 years old to the United States. The family settled in Shelby county, Iowa. There he attended elementary schools and assisted his father and brothers in farming operations.

The family later moved to Northeast Nebraska and farmed in the Osmond and Randolph communities. Frank was married February 26, 1906, at St. Mary's Church here to Miss Catherine Book, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Book of this place. The couple farmed near Osmond and in Tripp county, S. D., then moved to Sioux City where Mr. Peschel was employed at the stock yards for several years and as a street car conductor for seven years. Coming back to Pierce county farming operations were again instituted in the Plainview community and after a year a move was again made to Osmond where farming was the family occupation for the next quarter century. In 1945 Mr. and Mrs. Peschel moved to Osmond to live in retirement.

Funeral services were conducted at St. Mary's Church at Osmond at 9 a.m. August 24 by Father Wm. Lordemann. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Survivors include the widow, two sons and two daughters, and 17 grandchildren. The children are Harold, Osmond; Mrs. Pete Borgmann [Catherine], Creighton; Mrs. Gerald Coenen [Dorothy], Plainview; and Frank Jr., Osmond. Four brothers, three sisters, his parents, and one grandchild preceded him in death.