



Oscar H. Rock, 64

Oscar H. Rock, attorney-at-law, practicing in the Avoca community for the past 35 years, died of a heart attack Monday, June 6, 1983 at an Omaha hospital.

Rock, 64, had been hospitalized for about a week at the University of Nebraska Medical Center in Omaha.

Funeral services were June 9 at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Avoca with Pastor Ron Feuerhak officiating.

Interment was scheduled at the Graceland Cemetery in Avoca with military graveside services to be conducted by the Fred Funston Post No. 227.

Oscar was born April 5, 1919 at Avoca, the son of Henry V. Rock and Bertha Plautz.

He married Ruth Johnson on Dec. 23, 1942 at Avoca.

He was a 1936 graduate of Avoca high school and graduated from Creighton Law School in 1942.

He served a tour of duty in the military from 1942-1946 (W.W.II) and immediately following returned to work as an Assistant

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Attorney General of the State of Iowa in Des Moines.

In 1948 he returned to Avoca and began practicing law in the community with Jack Wyland, attorney-at-law.

He was a Past Commander of the Fred Funston American Legion Post No. 227 at Avoca; Past President of the Avoca Rotary Club; Past President of the Pottawattamie County Bar Association and was associated with several other organizations and clubs.

He served on the Avoca School Board on the Trinity Lutheran Church Council (also serving as secretary of the council), and on the Pottawattamie County Fair Board.

He was a member of the Pottawattamie County WW II Last Man's Club and was a member of the Iowa Bar Association.

He was preceded in death by his parents, four sisters, Ella Sieh, Lola Carroll, Alma Pattee and Ina Burmeister, and three brothers, Carl, Leonard and Herbert.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth here in Avoca; two daughters, Mrs Harry (Kay) Olsen of Glenwood and Mrs Darrell (Marcia) Jacobsen of Hancock; three grandchildren, Jeffrey Olsen, Jeremy Olsen and Angela Jacobsen; one brother, Arnold Rock of Avoca; and three sisters, Mrs Hilda Krummel of Avoca, Mrs Edna McKinny of Hancock and Mrs Fred (Bertha) Jacobsen of Harlan.