

Edgar Albert Brown, 86

Aug. 23, 1905 — May 25, 1992

AVOCA — Edgar Albert "Dick" Brown was born near Oakland, Aug. 23, 1905. He was the son of A.L. and Minnie Belle Stevens Brown and was one of three sons in the family. He attended country school near Avoca. He owned and operated Brown Oil Company in Avoca from 1929 to 1962.

He married Kay Sullivan June 8, 1932, at Dunlap. They were the parents of two children, Douglas and Madelyn. He served on the water board and on the school board. They celebrated 59 years of marriage last June. He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Avoca and the church council for a number of years. They have been residents of Longview Nursing Home in Mo. Valley for the past year. He died there May 25, 1992, at age 86 years, 9 months and 2 days.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, Elmer and Ralph. Survivors include his wife, Kay; a son, Douglas (Cheryl) Brown of Avoca; a daughter, Madelyn (Charles) Gleeson of Blair, NE.; six grandchildren and other relatives.

Funeral services were held May 28, 1992, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Avoca with Fr. James Polich, officiating. Burial was in the Graceland cemetery in Avoca. Casketbearers were Michael Gleeson, Charlene Gleeson, Katheryn Gleeson, Julie Brown, Richard Brown and James Gleeson. Knutson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.