



## Passes; Funeral Here Saturday

Funeral services will be held at 1 p. m. Saturday at Stroud's Chapel for Herman C. Nebel, 79, resident of Gardiner from 1932 until about six weeks ago, whose death occurred as the result of a heart attack at St. John's Hospital at about midnight Monday.

Mr. Nebel operated a farm at Gardiner and during his 22 years residence in this county he also was employed by the state highway department and was employed on industrial security duty as a watchman at the Crown Zellerbach mill during the second world war. He retired about three years ago and remained at Gardiner until moving to Port Townsend six weeks ago.

He underwent an operation several weeks ago at Port Angeles and was recuperating at home when he became ill and was hospitalized here.

Born May 15, 1875 in Detroit, he moved in about 1880 with his parents to Great Falls, Mont., when Great Falls was a frontier tent town. The family homesteaded in the Great Falls area, where Mr. Nebel was reared. In his younger days he was employed as a cowboy in the cattle business and later worked 25 years for the Anaconda Copper Mining company before coming to this state. He also worked in a mine at Nyehart, Mont.

Mr. Nebel's family made the trip to Great Falls by steamboat up the Missouri River from Missouri. During his cowboy days he participated in the last great horse roundup in the state of Montana. For a number of years he operated a livery stable at Monarch, Montana.

He was married at Great Falls in 1916 to May Luther.

The Nebel farm at Gardiner had been established by his father on timberland cut over by the old Gardiner Timber and Land Co. The elder Mr. Nebel had worked for the timber company.

After his wartime employment on security duty at the mill he remained for a time as watchman in Crown Zellerbach employment before working several years for the state highway department in the Gardiner - Discovery Bay district.

Survivors include his wife here; seven children, Milton Nebel and Mrs. Margaret Smith, Port Townsend; Karl Nebel, Fort Riley, Kansas; Mrs. Betty Cunningham, Enumclaw; Mrs. Dolores Fegner, Tacoma; Mrs. Julia Christen, Montesano, and Mrs. Marcella Quillon, Vallejo, Calif.; also two sisters, Mrs. Olga Nielson, Alderwood Manor, and Mrs. Alma Kain, Richmond Heights, near Seattle.