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DAVID SHER, LOCAL MERCHANT, DIES

David Sher, 66, Ironwood grocer, died suddenly between 12:30 and 1:00 o'clock Monday morning, August 20th, after suffering a heart attack. Mr. Sher had been ill for the past six months, and was at the Grand View Hospital for a period of four months. He returned to his home recently and was stricken there. He was rushed to the Grand View Hospital but died soon after he was admitted. Mr. Sher was born, in Lithuania on March 15, 1879, and in 1904 came directly to Ironwood where he had resided ever since. He dealt in livestock for several years and in 1919 he started his grocery business. He remained interested in horses and cattle as a hobby. Mr. Sher is survived by his wife, Goldie. There is one daughter, Ida, who has been managing the store during the absence of three brothers in service. There are four sons, Dr. Harry Sher of Hurley; Cpl. Jacob, now in New York after army duty overseas; Pfc. Roy, in the South Pacific; and Sgt. Louis with the army in Fresno, California. Two grandchildren also survive. Funeral ararrangements are still incomplete, but burial will take place in the Jewish cemetery in Hurley. The remains were viewed on Tuesday at the Charbonneau Funeral Home in Hurley.

Mr. Sher had a host of friends on the Gogebic Iron Range. He was especially known by the residents of Ironwood's north side, where the Sher Grocery Store is located on Michigan Avenue. His customers admired him for his courteous service, and for his willingness at all times to accommodate his friends in the neighborhood. Mr. Sher was very devoted to his family. His charitable manner was admired by all who knew him.

Mr. Sher was a member of the Moose Lodge, the B'Nai Brith, and the Ironwood Chamber of Commerce.