

Corning Civic Leader Passes

CORNING — Death took John Saldubehere, 78, prominent sheepman and civic leader, at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon in his home at 1520 Butte street. Although Saldubehere had been in failing health for the past several months his death came as a shock to the community. He had long been active in civic organizations, was a member of the Northern California Wool Growers Association, Corning Lions Club, Corning District Chamber of Commerce, Corning Farm Bureau, and a 45 year member of the Elks Club in Red Bluff. For many years he was active in local baseball circles. In addition to his sheep raising operations he had large land holdings in southern Tehama county.

Saldubehere was a native of Urepele, France, born November 11, 1883. He came to the United States in 1902 settling first in the Bakersfield area. For the past half century he had resided in Corning.

Surviving are his widow Eleanor (Nell) Saldubehere, a daughter Mrs. Nancy Martine and two grand daughters, Suzanne and Silvia Martine, all of Corning; two sisters Mrs. Lucy Ansolabehere and Mrs. Manuela Argain of Bakersfield. There are several nephews and nieces residing in the Bakersfield area. A brother Ben Saldubehere died in July, 1955.

Funeral rites are set for 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning in Hall Brothers chapel. Burial will be in Sunset Hill cemetery.