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Deaths elsewhere

John L. Olson

Former state Sen. John L. Olson, 75, died Thursday in Worthington.

Olson, a livestock farmer and lifelong resident of Nobles County, was in the Minnesota Senate from 1958 to 1976.

He was a past president of the Minnesota Livestock Association, a member of the executive board of the Minnesota Synod of the Lutheran Church in America and a member of the Minnesota Livestock Hall of Fame. Last summer he was honored at the Minnesota State Fair for 50 years of exhibiting champion swine.

He is survived by his wife, Martha, and four children.

The funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in the First Lutheran Church, Worthington.

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M. Olson