

Monday, January 29, 1968

Warren E. Bailey Services Tuesday

Warren E. Bailey Sr., 73, of Rte. 2, Grinnell, passed away early Sunday morning at Grinnell General Hospital East, following poor health the last few years.

Born May 13, 1894, at Dillsboro, Ind., he was the son of Perry and Eliza Summerfruit Bailey. He attended local rural schools and later Dillsboro high school. In 1914 he moved to the Grinnell area.

On Nov. 27, 1925, he was united in marriage with Stella Hanson at Jessup, Iowa. To this union were born two sons and one daughter, Warren E. Bailey Jr. of Chicago, Roger Bailey of Grinnell, and Mrs. Elmer (Donna) Billman of Prior Lake, Minn.

In addition to his widow Stella, his sons and daughter, Mr. Bailey is survived by eight grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Gertrude Liggett

of Albuquerque, N. M.; and a brother, R. Lee Bailey of Grinnell. He is also survived by several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Mrs. Cora Houston; and a grandson, Steven Billman.

Mr. Bailey had farmed near Grinnell for most of his life, except for a period during World War I when he enlisted in the U. S. Navy and served aboard ship in both the Atlantic and Pacific.

He was a member of the Methodist church at Dillsboro, Ind., and the Knights of Pythias, Hopeful Barracks, WW-I veterans organization, and the Veterans of Foreign Wars (charter member), all of Grinnell. He was a member of the American Legion at Newburg.

Mr. Bailey had retired from farming in 1942 when he and his wife moved to their home just west of Grinnell. He had worked as a carpenter and was employed

by Grinnell College. He also operated his own canvas repair and upholstery shop.

Fueral services for Mr. Bailey will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Chester E. Custer officiating. Organist will be Mrs. Willard Heifner. Casket bearers will include Lloyd Durr, Clyde Austin, Russell Stoker, Edmund Green, Roger Peters, and Paul Pedersen.

American Legion rites will be conducted by Jack Day, chaplain, and William K. Richardson, commander, with members of Foch-Tennant Post No. 53. Burial will be in Hazelwood cemetery.

Friends may call at the Smith Funeral Home.

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