

JAN. 25, 1962

**William Connell
Funeral Friday**

Funeral services for William A. Connell, 85, a lifelong resident of Poweshiek county who died Jan. 16 in St. Francis hospital, Grinnell, were conducted at 2 p. m. Friday at the Deep River Presbyterian church by the Rev. William Moorehouse. Mrs. Claudis Axtell and Mrs. C. D. Hornbeck sang "Beyond the Sunset."

Interment was in Goldenrod cemetery. Casketbearers were Paul Light, Evan Elliott, Quentin Rose, John Bruns, W. W. McClain and Claudis Axtell.

William A. Connell was born on a Poweshiek county farm Dec. 8, 1876, and spent his entire life in this county except for two years in New Mexico. For many years he was in the draying and trucking business at Deep River until retirement. Mrs. Connell died three years ago.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Ben Johnson, Mitchellville, and Mrs. Robert Dodge, Hector, Minn.; a son, Ray Connell, Oskaloosa; two brothers, Tyra Connell, Deep River and Ollie Connell, Cedar Rapids, other relatives and a host of friends.