

Orrie Haag ⁷² Rites Tuesday ⁷²

Orrie F. Haag, 80, of Grinnell died at Grinnell General Hospital Saturday after an extended illness.

The son of Andrew and Eliza Gabriel Haag, immigrants of Germany, he was born Arpil 10, 1891, on a farm in Iowa County and received his early education in the schools of that area and Deep River. He was baptized in the Lutheran faith.

In 1909 he moved to Grinnell where he attended the Grinnell Academy. He was graduated from Grinnell High School in 1912. For a number of years, Mr. Haag was a businessman engaged in the retail shoe business, both in Grinnell and Newton.

He was married to Grace Kelly Treickler July 18, 1944, at Newton, and soon after the couple moved to Grinnell. After his retirement from the shoe business he served for several years as secretary for Poweshiek County Soldiers' Relief.

A Veteran of World War I, he was awarded a citation for Meritorious service and loyal cooperation in the American Legion's rehabilitation program Nov. 11, 1967, and was issued a life membership in the American Legion. He was a member of the World War I Barracks and Focht-Tenant Post of the American Legion.

In his early years, Mr. Haag was active in Masonic Lodge, Consistory and Shrine and the Elks Lodge.

He is survived by his wife Grace; a sister, Pearl Haag of Grinnell; and several nieces and nephews in the Montezuma and Deep River area. He was preceded in death by his parents; five sisters, Emaline Haag, Carrie Cranston, Lydia Elliott, and Lenora Keller of Deep River, and Katherine Haag of Grinnell; and one brother, Will Haag.

Memorial services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 15, at the James-Schalinske Funeral Home. Mr. Haag elected to will his body to medical science.