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Surviving are two brothers, Loren of Deep River and La Vern of Oskaloosa, and four sisters, Helen Hite of New Sharon, Dorothy Johannes of Oskaloosa, Lola Arthur of Searsboro and Fernie Cranston of Keswick.

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