

Monday, January 8, 1968

## Charles T. Hotchkin Dies Following Illness

Charles T. Hotchkin, 69, of Kellogg, died Monday morning, Jan. 8, at Grinnell General Hospital East. He had been in ill health for the past five years and had been hospitalized since Dec. 12, 1967.

The son of William and Mary Ellen Dowling Hotchkin, Mr. Hotchkin was born at Newton on Sept. 16, 1898. He attended high school in Grinnell and graduated in the class of 1921.

On Sept. 10, 1924, Mr. Hotchkin married Mary A. DeHart at Grinnell. To this union were born seven children—Neil Hotchkin of Kellogg, David Hotchkin of Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. James (Patricia) Pierce of Grinnell, Dennis Hotchkin of Renton, Wash.; Mrs. Crit (Diane) Byrd, Enumelaw, Wash.; Stephen Hotchkin, Clinton, Iowa, and Mrs. Robert (Lynnette) Cockerton of Newton.

Mr. Hotchkin had farmed and trucked for a time in Jasper County and had been associated with Midwest Stamping Co. in Kellogg for 30 years.

Mr. Hotchkin was a member of St. Mary's Catholic church in Grinnell and the Kellogg Volunteer Fire Department.

Survivors include his widow Mary; seven children; 19 grandchildren; two brothers—Vincent Hotchkin of Grinnell and Odo Hotchkin of Fairfield; and one sister, Mrs. William A. (Irene) Devereux of Adair, Iowa.

Mr. Hotchkin was preceded in death by his parents, two grandchildren, one sister in infancy, and three brothers—Edward, William, and Francis Hotchkin.

Requiem Mass for Mr. Hotchkin will be said at 10 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 11, at St. Mary's Catholic church with the Rev. L. V. Kuebrich, pastor of St. Mary's church, officiating.

Burial will be in the Calvary section of Hazelwood cemetery.

Rosary will be said at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Smith Funeral Home where friends may call.