

Monday, April 26, 1965

Funeral Services On Saturday For Erick Larsen, 86

Erick Larsen, 86, of Grinnell, died Thursday afternoon, April 22, at Montezuma.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon from the James-Schalinske Funeral Home with the Rev. Chester E. Custer, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. Organ music was provided by Mrs. Kathleen Heffner.

Pallbearers were John Anderson, Robert Belland, Elmer Burnson, I. S. Rasmussen, Iver Thorsen and Donald Larsen. Interment was in Hazelwood cemetery.

The son of Rasmus and Inger Larsen, he was born August 3, 1878, near Stavanger, Norway. In infancy, he was baptized in the Lutheran faith and was confirmed at the age of 14.

He attended the schools of his native land. When he was a young man he came to Grinnell where he had made his home with the exception of several years when he lived in the vicinity of Minneapolis, Minn. For a number of years he farmed near Grinnell.

Survivors include two sisters, Karen Knutsen of Huntington Park, Calif., and Sena Belland of Grinnell; and a number of nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; three sisters, Serina Burnson, Anna Wisecarver and Mary Anderson; and two brothers, Lewis and Reinert Larsen.
