An Obituary Of Henry C. Martens

Henry Christian Martens, son of Johannes and Christine Martens, was born in Altana, Germany, May 2, 1873, and departed this life April 10, 1934, at the age of 60 years, 11 months and eight days. Henry Martens and wife and one son, William, came to this country from Germany in the year 1905. His wife preceded him in death two years ago and since that time his health was failing. On last Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock he quietly passed away at the St. Francis hospital.

He was married to Johanna Wollm in the year 1898 and to this union was born one son. William. He is survived by his son. William, one brother and his wife. Mr. and Mrs. William Martens, one nephew, Alfred Martens and cousin, Ervin Baettjer, of Grinnell and other relatives in Germany.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home with Rev. William Welsh of the Baptist church officiaring. Burial was in the family lot in Hazeiwood cemetery.

Pallbearers were Norman Pilgrim, Joe Rand, Fred Heinle, H. J. Speth, Ervin Baettjer and Alfred Martens.