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Thursday, January 20, 1966

Lifelong Resident, Ben H. Reynolds Succumbs Tuesday

Ben H. Reynolds, 76, of 1421 Broad Street, died Tuesday evening at a local hospital, following an extended illness.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday from the James-Schalinske Funeral Home with the Rev. Chester E. Custer, pastor of the Grinnell Methodist church, officiating. Organist will be Mrs. Kathleen Heffner.

Serving as pallbearers will be Orrie Haag, Edward Spoth, W. K. Richardson, LaVaughn Cram, Raymond See and Ray G. Myers. Interment will be in Hazelwood cemetery.

A lifelong resident of Grinnell, he was born here on April 25th, 1889, the son of Bernard H. and Margaret Fox Reynolds. He attended the local public schools and was a graduate of Grinnell high school.

He was a member of the American Legion and was a veteran of World War I, serving in the U.S. Army.

In April of 1909, he was united in marriage with Velma Rowland at Newton, Iowa. She preceded him in death on Dec. 2nd, 1965. For many years he and his wife travelled the midwestern states as a sales team until their retirement in 1951.

Survivors include his sister, Mrs. Cecil (Bess) Myers, his brother, Harry Reynolds, both of Grinnell; and his nieces and nephews.

In addition to his wife and parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers, George and Fred.