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Thursday, September 17, 1970

## Lewis Robison Services Held

Lewis E. "Pat" Robison, 79, of Rte. 1, Grinnell, died suddenly Sunday evening at Grinnell General Hospital following brief hospitalization.

He was the son of James Oliver and Mary Bopes Snell Robison and was born in Rock Island County, Ill., on Feb. 19, 1891. When a young boy, he came with his family to the Gilman community and attended rural schools near Gilman and Newburg.

On Dec. 9, 1914, he was married to Myrtle Mae Alexander. The couple farmed in the Grinnell area for a few years, and Mr. Robison operated a steam threshing rig over a wide area. He was an engineer for the Meadow Gold Creamery in Grinnell for 22 years.

In 1937, he was employed by the Grinnell water plant as a diesel engineer, and he continued in that position for 19 years. Following his retirement, Mr. and Mrs. Robison made their home south of Grinnell.

He is survived by his wife Myrtle; his son Jim; two grandsons, William L. Robison of Livermore, Calif., and Jerry L. Robison of Kettering, Ohio; four great-grandsons; two great-granddaughters; and two sisters, Mrs. John (Gertrude) Hunter of Grinnell and Mrs. Roy (Jessie) Cole of Tallahassee, Fla. He was preceded in death by his parents; three brothers, Leonard, Sidney and John; three sisters, Mrs. Etta Holdren, Mrs. Blanche Holdren and Mrs. Ella Garver; and a great-grandson.

Funeral services for Mr. Robison were held at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 16, at the Smith Funeral Home with the Rev. Doran Morford, minister of the First Friends church, and the Rev. Joe Alexander, pastor of Full Gospel church in Newton, officiating. Organist was Mrs. Willard Heffner, and Mrs. Wayne Dayton was the vocalist. Pallbearers included Charles Alexander, Marvin Cummings, Eugene Hunter, Floyd Hunter, Claire Hutchison and Leonard Robison Jr.

Burial was in Hazelwood Cemetery.