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A private family service was held on Tuesday, April 24, 2012. Interment was at Hazelwood Cemetery in Grinnell.

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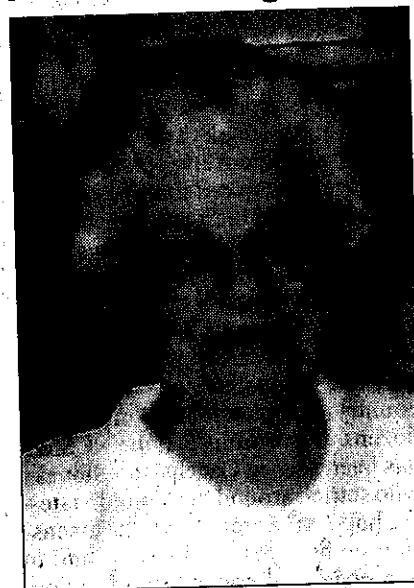
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Survivors include two children, Jeri Lou (Jerry) Bogue of Grinnell and Jim (Sharon) Wang of Malcom; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

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