

William Kueneman

Services Monday

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William N. Kueneman, 66, died

Friday morning at Grinnell General Hospital East. He had been in failing health the past two years.

He was born in Iowa City on Dec. 1, 1901, the son of William

J. and Elizabeth Ann Brum Kueneman. The family soon moved to Riverside, Iowa, where Mr. Kueneman's father owned a newspaper. In 1914, his father purchased the North English newspaper, and it was here that Mr. Kueneman graduated from high school in 1920.

He attended the University of Iowa, majoring in journalism. On Sept. 8, 1923, he was married to George Ann Laffer. After his marriage, Mr. Kueneman was appointed managing editor of the Knoxville Journal, a position he held for over 10 years.

In 1937 he came to Grinnell and served as advertising manager of the Herald-Register and later as business manager. Since 1944, he was in the printing machinery business and served as a manufacturer's representative for several companies, including Graphic Electronics and Type and Press.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife George Ann, and a sister, Mrs. Dorothy Geiger. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Tom (Huberteen) Williamson of Quemado, N.M.; a niece, Mrs. Frank (Betty Lou) Marnette of Sacramento, Calif.; and a nephew, Norman Geiger of Van Nuys, Calif.

Funeral services for William N. Kueneman were held at 2:30 p.m. today (Monday) at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Eugene Hoenig, pastor of St. Patrick's Catholic church in Melrose, officiating. Organist was Mrs. Willard Heffner. Pallbearers included James D. Cunningham, Michael J. Hotchkin, F. Addison Jones, Russ Otcheck, Kenneth L. Saunders, and Lyle Wiley. Burial was in Hazelwood cemetery.