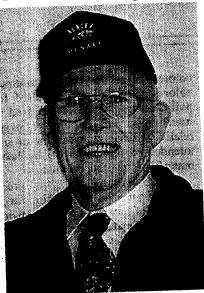
## Gerald E. Flanagan



Gerald Edwin Flanagan, 85, of Kellogg died Friday afternoon, Oct. 5, 2007, at the Iowa Veteran's Home in Marshalltown.

Funeral services for Gerald Flanagan will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 9, at the Pence-Reese Funeral Home in Newton. Burial will be in the Memorial Park Cemetery in Newton.

Born July 3, 1922, in Green City, Mo., he was the son of Richard Wayne and Martha Deloma Rouse Flanagan. He attended schools in the Green City area. He served with the U.S. Navy during World War II as a Seaman 1st Class.

After the war, he moved tot he Newton and Kellogg areas, and was employed by the Maytag Company as a steam press operator for 34 years, retiring in 1976.

On Nov. 1, 1952, he married Doris H. Doud in Grinnell.

He was a member of the Newton First Southern Baptist Church and the Local Union No. 997.

He is survived by his wife, his sons, Kenneth Flanagan and Guy "Bill" Doud of Kellogg; his daughters, Barbara Rahimi of Springfield, Mo., and Patricia Miller of Marshalltown; five grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and his brothers and sisters, Jake Flanagan of Newton, Vita Jean Cleous of Wichita, Kan., Ruth Griffin of Macon, Mo., Rose Ravencraft of Hallsville, Mo., Betty Smith of Kirksville, Mo., and Deloris Tabor of Macon, Mo., as well as a large esxtended family.

Memorials may be made to the First Southern Baptist Church in Newton or to the Kellogg Ambulance and Fire Department.