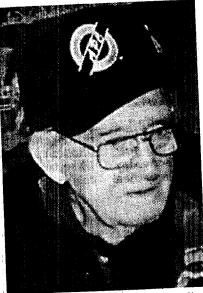
Olaf L. Young



Olaf L. Young, 98, of Kellogg died Saturday, Oct. 6, 2007, at his home.

A graveside service and burial took place Thursday, Oct. 11, at Rock Creek Cemetery, rural Grinnell, with John Epperson, pastor of Grinnell Christian Church, officiating.

Pallbearers were Jeff Breeden, Chris Christinson, Will Roland, Matthew and Patrick Smith and Doug Verwers. Memorials may be made to the Olaf L.

Young Memorial Fund.

The son of L. N. and Emma Koger Young, he was born Oct. 21, 1908, on the family farm in Jasper County. He attended rural school near his home, and later graduated from Newburg High School. Following his education, he worked on the family farm where he continued to live and farm all his life. He was a veteran of the United States Army during World War II.

He was a member of Victor Grange and Jasper County Farm Bureau.

He is survived by one niece, Bette Sample, a great nephew, Michael E. Sample, a great great nephew Michael W. Sample, and a great great great niece, Rami Danae Sample, all of Las Vegas, Nevada, and special friends, Patrick and Mary Jo Smith of Grinnell and their children, Matthew Smith of Grinnell and Monica Loupee of Newton. He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers, Beryl A. Young and Hollis B. Young, and his lifelong companion Ruth Ellen Adkins.