

Arthur E. Burnell

Dr. Arthur E. Burnell, 101, died Friday, Oct. 2, at St. Francis Manor.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at the Slininger-Rossow Chapel in Jefferson, with burial in Jefferson Cemetery. Members of Floyd Brown Post 11 of the American Legion conducted graveside rites.

He was the son of Hiram and Lenora Goforth Burnell and was born Nov. 12, 1890, on a farm near Bristow. He was a 1910 graduate of Bristow High School and then attended business college in Waterloo. He earned a degree in chiropractic from Palmer College of Chiropractic in Davenport in 1917.

He enlisted in the U.S. Army in February 1918 and served in France during World War I. He was discharged in

June 1919, then returned to Cedar Falls to practice.

Dr. Burnell was married to Mary Crawford June 14, 1942. They lived in Jefferson where he practiced chiropractic until retiring in June 1980.

He was a member of the Central Christian Church in Jefferson. He was a 50-year member of Eastern Star and the Masonic Lodge, a member of the Jefferson Veterans of Foreign Wars Post, a life member of the American Legion in Jefferson and an honorary life member of Focht-Tennant Post No. 53 of the American Legion in Grinnell.

Dr. Burnell had lived at St. Francis Manor since October 1987.

There are no immediate survivors. He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Mary; a sister, Florence Palmer; and two brothers, Ray and Frank.

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