

## Chester Hearn services held

*MR. Hearn, 89, died April 5, 1987*  
Chester M. Hearn, 89, of Dumont, formerly of Malcom, died Sunday, April 5, at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Iowa City.

Funeral services were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell, with the Rev. Philip J. Ramstad, pastor of the United Church of Christ-Congregational, officiating. Organist was Kathleen Heffner. Pallbearers were Jim Brown, Bill Collum, Chris Collum, Tom Collum, Bernie Cornelius and Pat Gallagher. Graveside rites were conducted by the Grinnell Veterans Ceremonial Unit at Rock Creek Cemetery west of Grinnell.

The son of Daniel and Clara Young Hearn, he was born on Oct. 8, 1897, at Bristow. He was raised in Bristow and attended school there.

He moved to Malcom in 1941. On April 29, 1942, he was married to Elsie Jane Belels at Unionville, Mo. The couple lived in Malcom where Mr. Hearn worked as an independent trucker. He served with the U.S. Army during World War II. He had lived in Dumont since 1976.

Survivors include one daughter, Betty Collum of Grinnell; 21 grandchildren; 33 great-grandchildren; three sisters, Nellie Griner of Glendale, Ariz., Elizabeth Freeze of Dumont and Erma McDonald of Albany, Ore.; and two brothers, Clair of Dumont and Lyle of Clarksville. He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife; one son, Boyd Belles; one grandson; two sisters, Hazel Johnson and Mariys Ubben; and three brothers, Glenn, Seaman and Paul.