

Thursday, October 27, 1960

Alexander Lincoln, Lifetime Resident Of Area Succumbs

Alexander Lincoln of Grinnell died Tuesday afternoon at his home. He was 83 years of age.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the James-Schalinske Funeral Home with the Rev. Warren H. Hendershott, pastor of the Oak Grove Friends church, officiating. Organist will be Mrs. Kathleen Heffner.

Interment will be in the Westfield cemetery.

The son of Ernest and Elizabeth Lincoln, he was born on Oct. 20th, 1877, in Poweshiek county. Mr. Lincoln lived in the Grinnell area all of his life.

He attended the rural schools in Oak Grove community. On Mar. 19th, 1902, he was united in marriage with Emma Spangler of Grinnell. They farmed for three years following their marriage in Jasper county and then returned to the Oak Grove area and farmed there until their retirement 12 years ago. They had since made their home in Grinnell.

Mr. Lincoln is survived by his wife; one son, Ralph of Frederick, Md.; two daughters, Alice of Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. Henry (Elsie) Lincoln of Canal Winchester, Ohio; three brothers, George, Ernest and Frank, all of Grinnell; and his sister, Mrs. Bert (Susie) Whitaker of Grinnell. He was preceded in death by his parents and three brothers, Dave, Charles and John.

He was a member of the Oak Grove Friends church.